

INTRODUCTION TO BROCHURE

This is the official Combined Federal Campaign (CFC) brochure. Charitable organizations appearing in this brochure have complied with regulations, set forth at 5 CFR Part 950, governing their participation in the CFC.

The brochure consists of a National and International List of organizations, approved by the OPM and a Local List of organizations, approved by the LFCC. Organizations appear on these lists based on the scope of their programs. Each organization entry includes the following information: organization's name and code number, statement of purpose, phone number, website address, legal name of the organization in parentheses if it is doing business under another name, the employer identification number ("EIN"), and the percentage of fundraising and administrative costs as a percentage of total revenue. The EIN# has been added to provide donors another point of reference if you wish to obtain information about an organization's finances from the IRS. Please note that some organizations may be covered under an umbrella organization's tax exemption status and may not list the EIN#. Religious organizations are exempt from the requirement of having an EIN#.

Types of Organizations Listed

A federation is a group of voluntary charitable human health and welfare organizations established for purposes of supplying common fundraising, administrative, and management services to its members. Each federation is listed with its accompanying members. If you wish to designate all or some portion of your contribution to a federation, please record that federation's corresponding code number on your pledge card. Contributions designated to a federation will be shared with their member organizations in accordance with the federation's policy. If you wish to designate all or some portion of your contribution to a federation member organization, please record that organization's corresponding code number on your pledge card. Charitable organizations participating in the CFC as members of a federation may pay a percentage of the donations received or a fee to that federation as a service charge. For additional information on whether a charitable organization pays such a fee and/or percentage of donations, you may wish to contact the charitable organizations directly.

An unaffiliated organization is not affiliated with a federation (unaffiliated organizations). If you wish to designate all or some portion of your contribution to an unaffiliated organization, please record that organization's corresponding code number on your pledge card.

International General Designation Option

If you wish your contribution to be distributed proportionately to all international organizations that received designated gifts, you may do so by recording the code letters "IIII" on your pledge card.

Undesignated Funds

Even if you choose not to designate to a specific agency or federation, your contribution will still be accepted. Funds contributed to the CFC, but not designated to a specific organization or federation, will be distributed to all organizations in the CFC brochure in the same proportion as they received in designations. Organizations that do not receive designated dollars cannot receive any donations.

PARTICIPATING FEDERATIONS

National Organizations

America's Charities
American Red Cross
Animal Charities of America
Children First - America's Charities
Children's Charities of America
Christian Charities, USA
Christian Service Charities
Community Health Charities
Conservation & Preservation Charities of America
Earth Share
Educate America!
Health & Medical Research Charities of America

Hispanic United Fund
Human & Civil Rights Organizations of America
Human Care Charities of America
Human Service Charities of America
Medical Research Charities
Military, Veteran & Patriotic Service Organizations of America
National Black United Federation of Charities
National Unaffiliated Organizations
Sports Charities USA
The Arts Federation
United Service Organizations (USO)
United Way of America
Women, Children & Family Service Charities of America

International Organizations

Aid to Africa
Do Unto Others: America's Emergency Relief, Development
and Humanitarian Outreach Agencies
Global Impact
International Unaffiliated Organizations

Local Federations

Community Health Charities of Ohio
Community Shares of Mid-Ohio
Earth Share of Ohio
Local Unaffiliated Organizations
United Way of Central Ohio