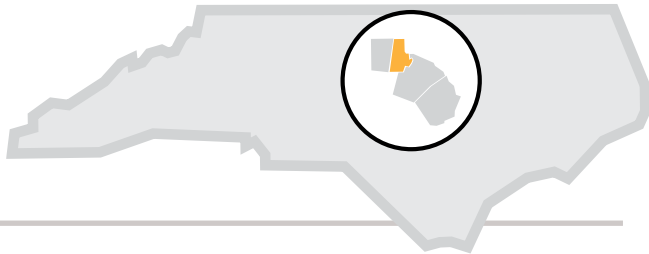


# Durham County

## NC Regional Challenges



Total Population: **332,680**



**13.3%**

of residents live below the poverty line\*

**16.2%**

of children are living with poverty\*

**That is more than 1 in 10 of our neighbors.**



In Durham County last year, **4,713** renting families faced eviction and 215 families faced home foreclosure, and

Last year, 46% of Durham County calls to United Way's 2-1-1 helpline were for housing assistance.

**48%**

of renters have difficulty affording their homes\*\*

Of Those Living With Poverty\*, A Breakdown By Race:

- Black **37%**
- White **31%**
- Hispanic **20%**
- Asian **4%**
- Other **8%**



Black females 18-34 are the group most likely to experience poverty in Durham County.



**9.6%**

of Durham County residents are food-insecure



Child care for a 2-year old at a 4-star center is **\$994/mo**

and **3,000** children are on a waiting list for childcare scholarships



**58%**

of Durham County students are not proficient at reading

\*The US Government defines the poverty line as income of \$27,750 or less for a family of 4. "Low-Income" is anything less than 200% of the poverty line.

\*\*Families that spend more than 30% of income on housing are considered cost-burdened, more than 50%, are considered severely cost-burdened.

# 2023/24 Durham County Program Partners



In 2023/24 United Way of the Greater Triangle is funding these local nonprofits that are based in Durham County or serve Durham County residents.

**INVESTMENTS IN  
DURHAM COUNTY:  
\$1,510,000**

(Many nonprofits serve more than one county.)

**Bold names** indicate a collaborative, consisting of several organizations working together

Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Triangle
Book Harvest
Boys & Girls Clubs of Durham and Orange Counties
CASA
CEF (Community Empowerment Fund)
Center for Child & Family Health
Charles Hamilton Houston Foundation, Inc.
Diaper Bank of North Carolina
Dress for Success Triangle NC
<b>Durham Children's Initiative (DCI)</b>
Durham Habitat for Humanity
Durham Literacy Center
Echo
El Centro Hispano, Inc
El Futuro
Equity Before Birth
Galatians Community Health
H.E.A.R.T.S. (Helping Each Adolescent Reach Their Spark)
Hope Renovations
Housing for New Hope
Inter-Faith Food Shuttle
LatinxEd
Made in Durham
Meal on Wheels Durham
Musical Empowerment
<b>Open Table Ministry</b>
<b>Refugee Community Partnership</b>
StepUp Durham
SUSO-NC (Stand Up-Speak Out NC)
The Caring Place, Inc.
Transplanting Traditions Community Farm
Triangle Area Parenting Support
Village of Wisdom
Youth Mentoring Collaborative
Youth Villages North Carolina