



# CommUnify

Celebrating **55** years!

## Ways to Give

### You make a difference.

CommUnify is a private nonprofit agency sustained by individual giving, foundation funding, and government grants. The generosity of our donors strengthens the whole community by supporting countywide programs that change our clients' lives.

For 55 years and counting, CommUnify has worked to connect Santa Barbara County's neediest residents to life-changing resources. Having a safety net is critical to vulnerable populations, and CommUnify provides services that meet the complex requirements of people at risk of continuing the cycle of poverty. But we can't do this meaningful work without you.

**There are many ways you can contribute to this important work and maximize the impact of your charitable giving.**

- *Ask your employer about matching gifts*
- *Designate CommUnify as a beneficiary of an insurance policy*
- *Direct a gift through your Donor Advised Fund*
- *Donate cash, stock, or appreciated assets*
- *Make a Qualified Charitable Distribution of retirement assets*
- *Plan a bequest through your will or trust*
- *Sponsor an event or provide in-kind goods & services*
- *Volunteer your time & talents*



## Did you know?

CommUnify has earned the highest ratings and recognition by nonprofit evaluators.



# CommUnify Changes Lives



**I GIVE** to CommUnify because I like their broad service offering, their diversified programs, and that they help children, families, seniors, and the whole community. I feel lucky to have the means to support CommUnify's work, and blessed that my employer matches my donations. They take the amount I specified out of my paycheck each pay period, match it, and send it to CommUnify. It doubles my contribution! It's a great feeling to help our neighbors who face financial challenges."

**JONI MOORE, DONOR**



**I HAVE** been involved with CommUnify for over 33 years. I have continued my philanthropic support all this time because I have seen the full spectrum of exceptional services they provide, and the way they step up to the plate in times of need. Their staff, often at least bilingual, are wonderful ambassadors and caring individuals who treat clients with dignity and respect. Their programs help the most vulnerable people in our county. CommUnify is the best of the best."

**FLO FURUIKE, DONOR**

*"We must open the doors of opportunity. But we must also equip our people to walk through those doors."*

**LYNDON B. JOHNSON**, FORMER PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES

## It starts with you.

Your investment in our work enables us to create a thriving community where everyone can live with dignity.

**For more information on how you can support CommUnify, please contact:**

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**CommUnify's services are offered countywide.  
We have offices in Santa Maria, Lompoc and Goleta.**

**[www.CommUnifySB.org](http://www.CommUnifySB.org)**

**Uniting our community against poverty since 1967.**