

Volunteers & Donations

Brighton Center celebrates victories as families move toward self-sufficiency. Every victory is aided by the compassion of our donors and the commitment of our volunteers. Through our work together we can make a difference in improving the quality of life for those we serve.

Programs

- Retired and Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP)
- Senior Medicare Patrol (SMP)
- Clothing Closet
- Donations & Volunteers
- Community Events
- Holiday Drive



Brighton Center at its very core is a community based agency. The people in our community and their needs are the driving force behind the work we do. Every day, Brighton Center works to engage all members of the community from young children to older adults so that real change can become reality.

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All impact statements are for Fiscal Year 2016 (7/1/2015 through 6/30/2016)



OUR MISSION:

To create opportunities for individuals and families to reach self-sufficiency through support services, education, employment, and leadership.



CLOTHING CLOSET

A neighborhood thrift store, open to the public that offers clothing and household items. Individuals and families from low to modest income households wishing to maintain self-sufficiency shop at a low cost. Families in need receive assistance at no cost through a voucher.



DONATIONS & VOLUNTEERS

Volunteers are trained and utilized throughout the agency in various capacities year-round. Volunteers include individuals or groups on a regular basis, or through special projects. Donations provide families with vital basic need resources such as food, clothing, personal hygiene items, and other basic everyday items for their households.



COMMUNITY EVENTS

Events such as the Community Celebration and Family Nights are planned and implemented with resident involvement. Brighton Center also participates in events that draw in resources for the families we serve such as the Backpack Challenge and winter coat drives.



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Seven Year Impact Data
(FY10 - FY16)



32,452

individuals served through Senior Medicare Patrol (SMP) by 137 SMP Volunteers.



2,885

Retired and Senior Volunteer Program volunteers served at over 40 volunteer stations in Northern Kentucky for 363,909 hours.



14,371

volunteers and 957 volunteer groups gave 203,935 hours of service.

HOLIDAY DRIVE 2015

Through generous donations, Brighton Center is able to provide holiday items for customers. Families engaged in Brighton Center programs can participate in our Wish Tree or Adopt-a-Family. The Used Toy Sale is a long standing Brighton Center tradition, where children shop for their siblings, friends, or other young family members with a volunteer or staff member.



3,199
Individuals
Served
through
Holiday Drive



831
Individuals
Served Through
Adopt-A-Family



198
Children
Shopped at the
Used Toy Sale



163
Individuals,
Businesses,
& Churches
Provided Gifts
& Clothes



\$205,474
Given in
In-Kind
Donations
during the
Holiday
Drive

RETIRED AND SENIOR VOLUNTEER PROGRAM (RSVP)

Volunteers, age 55 and older, are assisted in finding service opportunities at 30+ non-profit and public agencies in Northern Kentucky that match their personal interests and positively impact the most pressing needs of our communities.



49,254
Hours
Provided
by RSVP
Volunteers



365 RSVP
Volunteers



23
Sites with
Volunteers



40 RSVP
Volunteers
Spent their Time
at Brighton
Center



Brighton
Center has
Sponsored
RSVP Since
1996

SENIOR MEDICARE PATROL (SMP)

A volunteer driven educational program to raise awareness of fraud, waste, and abuse. Older adults are given tips on how to properly read the Medicare Summary, how to spot discrepancies, and where to report fraud.



4,437
Individuals
Received
Information or
Help through
SMP



3,772
Individuals
Educated
through
Awareness
Events



774 Hours
of Service
Provided by
Volunteers



799
One-on-one
Counseling
Sessions



22 Trained
Volunteers