









**AREA OF IMPACT:** YOUTH DEVELOPMENT

Empowering young people to reach their full potential

AREA OF IMPACT: **HEALTHY LIVING** 

Improving individual and community well-being

**AREA OF IMPACT: SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY** 

Providing support and inspiring action in our communities

# **HEALTHY. CONFIDENT. CONNECTED. SECURE.**

### **SERVICE**



549,540 Kansans served by 11 YMCA associations

The Y provides a supportive environment for families of all backgrounds, ages, and abilities where people can meet their health and wellbeing goals through exercise, nutrition, and chronic disease prevention programs.

# **VOLUNTEERISM**



5,427 volunteers donated 188,044 hours

The Y is the charity of choice for thousands of Kansans who donated \$32.3 million in 2021. These volunteers gave \$4.8 million worth of their time, talent and effort to better Kansas communities.

### **BUILDING CAREERS**



3,254 Kansans employed

The Y employs neighbors to help neighbors. Kansas YMCAs employ thousands of full-time, part-time and seasonal staff—many of them youth. This large and diverse workforce is an economic engine in our state.

# **SENIOR WELLBEING**



49,318 Kansas seniors connected

Kansas Y programs help prevent social isolation in older Kansas adults by allowing them to connect and engage in meaningful activities. Small lifestyle changes such as increasing physical activity, eating healthier and staying active socially can help older adults live better.

# **ADVANCING EQUITY**



Over 100,000 Kansas users of YMCA360

With 2.5 million users nationwide and 100+ classes, YMCA360 is strengthening our state's health resiliency by promoting activity and healthy lifestyle choices to people of all ages, abilities, and geographic locations. Now every community in Kansas can access the Y.

# **TOGETHERHOOD**



1 in 5 Kansans impacted

1 in 5 Kansas kids and adults participated in Y programs and services in 2021, building community by bringing people of all ages and walks of life together to identify goals and encourage teamwork and wellness.

# FIGHTING HUNGER



811,639 healthy meals & snacks served

As the pandemic interrupted school meal programs for kids and caused financial difficulties for families, Kansas Y's expanded their year-round food programs, started mobile food pantries and mobilized volunteers to serve the growing nutrition needs of children and families

# **MEETING COMMUNITY NEEDS**



\$13,163,936 given in financial assistance

Thanks to \$32.3 million in donations from generous community members, all Ys are able to offer direct financial assistance to individuals and families so they can participate in programs and services that enhance their health and wellbeing. Our child care assistance scholarships allow families to go to work knowing their children are safe and receiving quality care.

# THE FUTURE WORKFORCE



Hundreds of teens, young adults, and job seekers helped

Kansas YMCAs are creating innovative solutions to our state's workforce challenges. Our character development programs help young people cultivate the values, skills, and relationships needed in our future workforce. The Y's Job Prep program creates work-ready teens through training, development, and time/experience in the workplace. The Y Career Academy pays participants to fill desperately needed child care positions at the Y while preparing for a professional career in another growing industry.

# THRIVING YOUTH



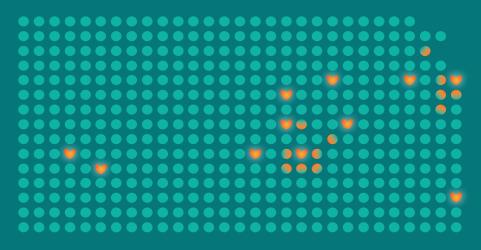
132,108 Kansas kids nurtured

The Y provides youth with the tools and resources they need to succeed in life. 5,183 kids and teens explored new interests, learned new skills and built relationships at 31 summer day and overnight camps. 3,740 children prepared for kindergarten in 19 early learning programs. 9,119 youth discovered support and friendship in 105 before and after school programs. 11,059 youth learned lifesaving swim skills, and 28,602 kids learned teamwork and stayed active in our youth sports programs.



# STRENGTHENING KANSAS COMMUNITIES

The Kansas State Alliance of YMCAs advocates, promotes and supports all Kansas YMCAs as they work to strengthen their communities and connect all people to their potential, purpose and each other.



With 11 Associations serving 549,540 Kansans in 24 communities, Kansas YMCAs are here to support everyone.

At the Y, we know that when we work together, we move individuals, families and communities forward. Charitable giving allows the YMCA to serve as many people as possible. We are committed to inspiring a spirit of service and volunteerism by uniting people from all walks of life to participate in and work for positive social change.

We believe that all kids deserve the opportunity to discover who they are and what they can achieve. We take a holistic approach in developing the social, emotional, academic and physical well-being of youth and cultivating the values, skills and relationships that lead to positive behaviors, better health and educational achievement.

# Camp Wood YMCA Elmdale, KS

• 1 Resident Camp

#### Dodge City Family YMCA Dodge City, KS

- 1 Membership Branch
- 8 Before/Afterschool Sites
- 1 Day Camp

#### Greater Wichita YMCA Wichita, KS

Andover/Dr. Jim Farha YMCA
Downtown/Robert D. Love YMCA
East YMCA
EI Dorado YMCA
Newton YMCA
North/Dennis Schoenebeck YMCA
Northwest/Ken Shannon YMCA
South/Richard A. Devore YMCA
West YMCA
WSU/Steve Clark YMCA

- 10 Membership Branches
- 10 Early Learning Centers
- 19 Before/Afterschool Sites
- 7 Day Camps (including Camp Hyde)
- 3 Farha Sports Centers

#### **Junction City Family YMCA** Junction City, KS

- 1 Membership Branch
- 1 Early Learning Center
- 1 Before/Afterschool Site
- 1 Day Camp

#### McPherson Family YMCA McPherson, KS

- 1 Membership Branch
- 2 Before/Afterschool Sites
- 1 Day Camp

#### Pittsburg Family YMCA Pittsburg, KS

- 1 Membership Branch
- 2 Before/Afterschool Sites
- 1 Day Camp

#### Salina Family YMCA Salina, KS

- 1 Membership Branch
- 1 Early Learning Center
- 5 Before/Afterschool Sites
- 1 Day Camp

#### YMCA of Hutchinson & Reno Co.

Hutchinson, KS

- 1 Membership Branch
- 1 Before/Afterschool Site
- 1 Day Camp

#### **YMCA of Greater Kansas City**

Kansas City, MO

Atchison YMCA

Bonner Springs YMCA

Olathe YMCA

Paul Henson YMCA (Prairie Village) Providence YMCA (Kansas City)

- 5 Membership Branches (KS)
- 4 Early Learning/Pre-K Centers
- 19 Before/Afterschool Sites
- 5 Day Camps

#### **YMCA of Southwest Kansas**

Garden City, KS

- 1 Membership Branch
- 1 Early Learning Center
- 9 Before/Afterschool Sites
- 1 Day Camp

#### YMCA of Topeka Topeka, KS

- 1 Membership Branch;
- 2 Early Learning Centers
- 4 Before/Afterschool Sites
- 3 Day Camps