

A Day in the Life of Your United Way Investment



6 am Early drop off for child care begins at several agencies as working families begin their day



7 am Camp counselors are preparing for the day's activities before the summer day campers arrive

8 am Nutritional breakfasts are served and teeth are brushed at an early childhood development center.

9 am Assurance calls are made to vulnerable adults and their caregivers notifying family, neighbors and/or police if unable to reach the person or there are apparent problems.

10 am Certified home health aids are sent to clients' homes to deliver health support services to the aged/ill.

11 am Meals are delivered to seniors in Hunterdon County, allowing them to live more independently.

Noon Legal aid is provided for a senior who's been denied social security benefits.

1 pm An uninsured father seeking treatment for depression begins a counseling session.

2 pm A volunteer tutor meets with an adult with limited literacy proficiencies enabling them to achieve personal, job related and family goals.

3 pm Children arrive at an after school center rather than an empty house.

4 pm A mentor meets with her assigned child to work on homework together.

5 pm A medication reminder call is made to a senior citizen having difficulty identifying the day of the week.

6 pm A group of adults with developmental disabilities goes out to dinner at a local restaurant learning to enjoy productive use of leisure and recreation time.



7 pm A group counseling session begins for women in early recovery from drug and/or alcohol use.

8 pm A new family in the community meets with a Hispanic outreach counselor for help in finding English language classes.

9 pm A criminal justice advocate accompanies a police officer to counsel the victim of a domestic violence crime.

10 pm Individuals without homes are checking into a shelter for an overnight stay.

11 pm The 2-1-1 Helpline is taking calls from individuals needing information and referral to agencies.

Mid An individual that has broken down on the side of an interstate highway receives emergency assistance.

1 am A young wife is checking into a safe house to escape abuse.

2 am The 2-1-1 Helpline is taking a call from an individual needing emergency shelter for the night.

3 am An individual unable to sleep throughout the night due to stress over financial issues is able to contact a concerned specialist to seek out advice and put their mind at rest.

4 am A compassionate listener is accessible to an individual contemplating suicide.

5 am An employee returns to their HomeShare which allows affordable housing to them in the community, fostering independence with dignity.

