



LAKE AREA UNITED WAY

Proudly serving communities in Muskogee, Cherokee & Wagoner Counties

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ENHANCING EDUCATION

[Boys & Girls Club of Tahlequah \(918-456-6888\)](#)

Provides youth development to Cherokee County youth by working to inspire, educate, and empower K-8th graders to realize their full potential as productive and responsible citizens in a safe and fun environment. www.tahlequahbgca.org

[Dolly Parton Imagination Library \(918-682-1364\)](#)

Provides age appropriate books each month to children from birth to age five to build a love of reading during the early formative years and put them on a path towards a successful education.

[Girl Scouts of Eastern Oklahoma \(918-683-7738\)](#)

Girl scouting equips young girls in making better life choices by developing leadership, confidence, and girls of courage through a variety of scouting programs. www.girlscoutseastok.org

[Muskogee County Council of Youth Services-MCCOYS \(918-682-2841\)](#)

Provides guidance and character building programs in two United Way funded areas; 1) supervised community experiences for youth and young adults working within the judicial system, and 2) in-school "Lifeskills" training for 6-8th graders at Braggs, Okay & Muskogee Public schools. www.mccys.org

[United Methodist Children's Home \(918-456-6166\)](#)

Provides a spectrum of transitional living assistance into early adulthood for at-risk high school and college aged youth through an independent living program to better equip them in making their way into the adult world.

INCREASING FINANCIAL STABILITY

[American Red Cross \(918-682-1366\)](#)

American Red Cross is a volunteer led humanitarian organization. United Way support touches lives daily with relief to victims of disasters as well as emergency and prevention/preparedness training. www.oklahomaredcross.org

[Hope House of Cherokee County \(918-456-4673\)](#)

Helping people help themselves by providing a supportive network of services and providers such as emergency food, shelter, and utility assistance to aid individuals and families in becoming self-sufficient.

[Legal Aid Services Muskogee \(918-683-5681\)](#)

Providing high quality civil legal services to lower income and elderly residents. www.legallaidok.org

[Legal Aid Services Tahlequah \(918-708-1150\)](#)

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UNITED WAY is working to advance the common good by focusing on:

ENHANCING EDUCATION
INCREASING FINANCIAL STABILITY
PROMOTING HEALTH & WELL-BEING

Lake Area United Way's mission is to mobilize resources to advance the economic well-being, education, and health of our community.

By focusing on these areas, we create lasting change and opportunities for a better tomorrow.

PROMOTING HEALTH & WELL-BEING

[CASA for Children in Muskogee \(918-686-8199\)](#)

CASA recruits, screens, trains, and supports community volunteers to advocate in the best interests of children involved in juvenile cases of neglect and abuse in Muskogee, Wagoner & Sequoyah district courts. www.casaok.org

[CASA of Cherokee Country \(918-456-8788\)](#)

Advocating as a voice for children who enter the court system as a result of abuse and/or neglect by providing trained volunteers to speak independently for the best interests of the children. www.oklahomacasa.org

[Kelly B. Todd Cerebral Palsy & Neuromuscular Ctr \(918-683-4621\)](#)

Provides children with motor deficit or developmental delays physical therapy to enhance mobility and interaction with friends and family. www.kbtoddcpcenter.org

[Kids' Space—Muskogee County Child Advocacy Ctr \(918-682-4204\)](#)

Provides a child-friendly environment for the intervention, assessment, and investigation needed to assist with prosecution, treatment and prevention of physically and sexually abused children. Provides educational and child protective classes. www.kidsspacemuskogee.org

[Volunteers of America – R.S.V.P. \(918-683-1578\)](#)

Retired Senior Volunteer Program (RSVP) creates opportunities for senior citizens to remain actively engaged in their communities through volunteer services in a variety of organizations ranging from hospitals to youth centers by utilizing their time and talents in service to others. www.voak.org

[Women In Safe Homes - W.I.S.H. \(918-682-7879\)](#)

Provides shelter, counseling, and support services to victims of domestic violence, rape, and adult survivors of child sexual assault or harassment in order to achieve safety, survival, recovery, empowerment & rehabilitation to women and children coping with domestic violence.