

Nearly 4 million children in Florida live in families with incomes below the federal poverty level (\$22,050 a year for a family of four).

16% of households with children experience food insecurity.

41% of families who rent their homes spend more than a third of their income on rent.



More children in Florida than ever before are living in poor or low-income families. The most critical elements for these children to ensure that they don't remain in poverty as adults are peace, plentiful food and safe shelter, and good education. Here's how we help:



Pack-A-Sack 4 Kids: provides healthy, kid-friendly foods in a fun drawstring bag each weekend to children who otherwise would go hungry.

Family Support Services: helps pay rent or utility bills to prevent eviction and homelessness.



Children of the World Preschool: equips 2-5 yr old children of immigrant and refugee families for success in American schools.

P.A.S.S. Tutorial Program: assists 1st-5th grade children of poor and low-income families to raise their grades and acquire critical skills.



Families Learning Together: provides parents with English language tutoring, school-age children with homework help and preschoolers with pre-literacy activities, while helping parents succeed as their children's most important teacher.

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