

POVERTY IS A COMMUNITY ISSUE

More than
62,000
Londoners
live in poverty.
That's **1 in 7** of us.



London urgently needs to address poverty. Too many people in our community lack the resources they need to live with dignity and it's holding us all back.

London for All is our city's roadmap to end poverty. As lead agency, United Way convenes community partners to facilitate long-term solutions and systems change. Together, we're creating pathways out of poverty so that all Londoners can participate and thrive.

London for All is:

60+ stakeholder organizations coming together to ignite change

38 individuals identifying with lived or living experience who are involved as key decision-makers

160+ volunteers from diverse backgrounds

LONDON FOR ALL IN ACTION

Engage people with lived experience in democratic processes and institutions

People with lived or living experience deeply understand the realities of poverty. The expertise of these individuals adds strength and resiliency to poverty reduction work. Their first-hand knowledge of systemic barriers is invaluable in co-creating innovative solutions.

38 individuals identifying with lived or living experience in poverty are involved as key decision-makers in London for All. All individuals are eligible for compensation for their time, travel, and expenses.

"London for All has helped me to find my voice and to empower others to know that they are not alone."

– Member, LFA Leadership Table

Work with farmers to provide more fresh food to people who need it most

The London Good Food Box is a neighbourhood-based program that provides vegetables and fruits at an affordable price through collective purchasing.

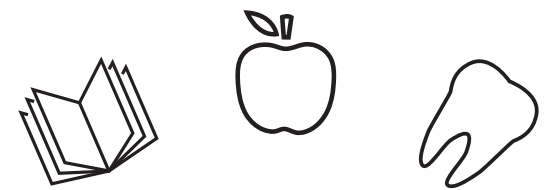
The Good Food Box Program has grown to 12 host sites and distributes over 350 boxes of food monthly.

Expand local no-cost dental programs for Londoners living with low income

SOAHAC Dental Clinic provides free dental care to Indigenous children, youth and adults who are covered for services under social assistance and Children's Aid Society programs.

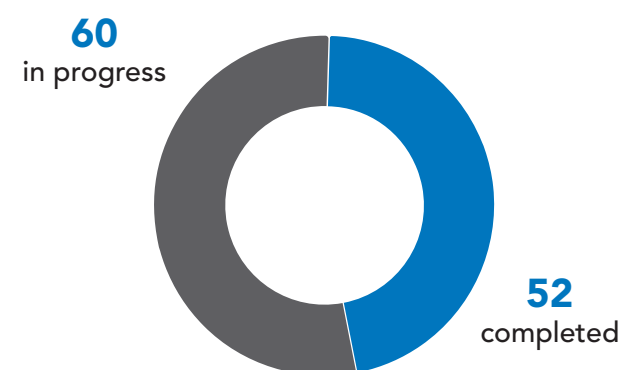
Parkwood Hospital Dental Clinic provides services to individuals in care at Parkwood Institute and after discharge.

Dental Outreach Community Services hosts clinics at Western University and in the community for low income Londoners.



112 Recommendations addressing:

- Income & Employment
- Food Security
- Health
- Transportation
- Early Learning & Education
- Changing Mindsets
- Systems Change
- Homelessness Prevention & Housing



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