The four foundations that every Kentuckian needs to thrive.

**BASIC NEEDS**
- hunger relief, homelessness, financial assistance, utilities assistance, 2-1-1 services, and poverty in Appalachia.

**HEALTH**
- cancer, cures, opioid support, addiction treatment, seniors, infants, and special needs.

**EDUCATION**
- early education, K-12, public school programs, higher education, and workforce development.

**FAMILY STABILITY**
- foster youth, financial literacy, tax services, criminal justice, child abuse, and domestic abuse.

**MAKING THE MOST OF YOUR DONATION AND SERVING THE MOST KENTUCKIANS**

The KECC Charities undergo rigorous scrutiny by the Personnel Cabinet and have met stringent guidelines. They are well-managed and accountable, and they help people right here in the Commonwealth. These federations represent nearly a thousand charitable programs...they touch all our lives.

You can give to any 501(c)(3), however, since the partner charities share the full cost of providing the campaign, there is a 10 percent cost recovery charged to non-partner charities to help offset processing these pledges. To avoid this, you may wish to donate directly to that charity or consider giving to one of the KECC partner charities. To help hold down administrative costs, these gifts to other “write-in” charities must be at least a $50 cash gift or a payroll gift of $3 per paycheck.

Cash pledges are sent in the first quarter following the end of the campaign. Because payroll deduction allows you to spread your donation over the course of a year, we put your gift to use right away -- donations to the partner charities or any agency they support are sent quarterly. Other “write-in” designations will be sent after all of the payroll deductions have been collected.
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- $50 per paycheck can provide 80 parents with curricula to complete 12 weeks of parent education and support programs
- $25 per paycheck can cover the cost of converting a child’s wheelchair to one that will expand and fit the child as they grow
- $15 per paycheck can provide 1,500 Kentuckians with resources to identify, report and prevent child abuse and neglect
- $10 per paycheck can provide 20 square feet of rolled insulation to keep a family safe, warm, and dry
- $8 per paycheck can provide Beginner’s Balance Beam for children struggling with mobility issues
- $6 per paycheck can provide 1,500 Kentuckians with resources to identify, report and prevent child abuse and neglect
- $3 per paycheck can provide a cleanup kit and three cases of water during disaster relief efforts

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