



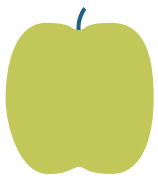
The Impact of Ohio's Community Development Corporations

In 2015, Ohio's community development corporations (CDCs) served **1,000,000** people by providing targeted programs and services in affordable housing, food access, community economic development, financial empowerment, and community engagement. In total, Ohio's CDCs:

Repaired or improved nearly **20,000** homes.

Developed over **1,700** affordable housing units for low and moderate income families, senior citizens and veterans.

Invested over **\$290 million** in their communities and served more than **34,000** households through their affordable housing development, housing counseling, and home repair programs.



Reached over **115,000** Ohioans through CDC food programs, including farmer's markets, healthy foods initiatives, and community gardening.

Assisted more than **20,000** low to moderate income Ohioans in using their food vouchers to access fresh and healthy foods.

Supported or established nearly **240** community gardens and **60** farmer's markets.

Re-purposed or rehabilitated **1,000** vacant properties.

Rehabilitated hundreds of storefronts in communities across the state, creating over **300,000 SF** of retail space to revitalize disinvested communities.

Helped over **36,000** households with job training and small business development, resulting in over **500** new or expanded local businesses, which created nearly **2,000** jobs in low-income communities.



Improved the financial well-being of over **36,000** Ohioans.

Invested approximately **\$5.75 million** in financial empowerment programs to leverage **\$57 million** in assets for low-income Ohioans.

Improved the financial well-being of **1 out of every 2** participants in financial empowerment programs.

Hosted local community events that were attended by over **85,000** people.

Recruited almost **24,000** volunteers, of which, nearly **6,000** were youth.

Organized volunteers that performed more than **324,000** hours of service in their communities.

