

2025 SEVCA IMPACT REPORT

Responding Today, Building Tomorrow



In 2025 we provided 4,402 services, to 3,342 individuals and 1,750 households.

This impact delivers on our mission to empower and partner with individuals and communities to alleviate the hardships of poverty, create opportunities to thrive, and address the root causes of poverty across southeastern Vermont.

This work is grounded in a simple but powerful approach:
Immediate Relief + Long-Term Strategy = Community Resilience

Through Head Start, Emergency Home Repair, Family Services, Financial Empowerment, and Weatherization we support early childhood development, we keep families housed, safe, warm while building strong financial foundations, and we help individuals navigate crisis situations and build a thriving life.



908

Tax returns prepared; **\$113K** in capital leveraged for small businesses



50

Children served with **18,000** meals



345

Weatherized or repaired homes with **\$836K** invested in local contractors



147

Households prevented from homelessness; **\$258K** in housing assistance



A Message from Our Executive Director

Dear friends,

Over the past year, we have faced a set of challenges that would have been difficult to imagine even a few years ago. The uncertainty surrounding core funding for community action agencies, alongside reductions in other essential programs, has created real strain across our region. The truth is simple: at some point, everyone needs support. When those systems become less stable, moments of need are not only more frequent, they are deeper and longer, leading to unnecessary hardship for individuals and families across our communities.

In the face of this, SEVCA has remained focused on what matters most—the impact on our neighbors and communities in Windham and Windsor counties. We have adapted to shifting conditions, responded to urgent needs, and continued showing up where it counts. The following report offers a snapshot of that work over the past year. It reflects both the scale of need and the commitment of our team to meet it with care, consistency, and purpose.

At the same time, we are not only **responding to today—we are building for tomorrow**. We are investing in strengthening SEVCA so that we can continue to serve as a reliable, foundational support for years to come. This work is only possible because of the strength of this community—your partnership, your trust, and your belief in what we can accomplish together. Thank you. And please don't hesitate to reach out if you'd like to learn more or explore ways to get involved.

With Gratitude,

Joshua Davis



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"I am so
grateful for
the kindness
and respect
I received.
Thank you
for helping
my family
stay warm"

—SEVCA client

