

ABOUT US

Unity in the Community is a nonprofit organization based in South Philadelphia, established in 2009 under the Soul Food CDC umbrella. Its mission is to change the lives of individuals in the Philadelphia area through various community-focused initiatives.



OUR MISSION & VISION

Unity in the Community aims to create a welcoming environment where differences are set aside, promoting unity, diversity, and empowerment within the community. By strengthening relationships and fostering collective action, we seek to leave a lasting legacy for future generations.

WHO WE SERVE

The organization primarily serves at-risk residents in South Philadelphia, focusing on providing resources like food distribution through partnerships, community events, and support for initiatives that address local challenges, such as violence prevention and poverty alleviation.

TRANSFORMING LIVES IN SOUTH PHILADELPHIA

Carpentry Academy:

Our Carpentry Academy empowers at-risk youth aged 14–19 with valuable trade skills. Over 24 weeks, participants learn carpentry basics, receive mentorship, stipends, and tools, and participate in outings to foster community and personal growth. This program not only provides career opportunities but also combats the pervasive threat of gun violence in our neighborhoods. These initiatives reflect our unwavering commitment to uplifting our South Philadelphia community.



OUR COMMUNITY INITIATIVES



Thanksgiving Giveback: Meals are provided to families during Thanksgiving to ensure everyone feels supported.



Supporting Black Businesses: We highlight and promote Black-owned enterprises to strengthen local economies.



Education: Resources and programs that foster learning and growth are offered to the community.



Voting: We encourage voter participation through education and outreach.



Housing & Utility Relief: Helping families maintain stable housing and essential services.



Mentoring: We guide youth to success through personal and professional mentorship.



Employment: Connecting the community to job training and career opportunities.

GET INVOLVED

At Unity in the Community, we believe in the power of collective action to create lasting change in South Philadelphia. Whether you're looking to volunteer, donate, or partner with us, there are countless ways to get involved. Our programs rely on the support of individuals and organizations to make a real difference in the lives of at-risk youth and families. By contributing your time, resources, or expertise, you can help empower the community and make an impact where it's needed most. Join us in our mission to build a safer, more supportive environment. For more details on how you can help, please visit our website.









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