



Proudly supporting our neighbors and families for **25 years in Dayton**

WestCare Ohio (dba East End Community Services) is dedicated to empowering everyone with whom we come into contact to engage in a process of change benefiting themselves, their families, coworkers and communities. As a human services non-profit agency we are committed to delivering high-quality, integrated, and cost-effective services to our community. Our diverse team of experienced, credentialed, and dedicated staff provides high quality, trauma-informed and compassionate support to everyone who enters our doors.

With partnerships in mind, our organization's philosophy is Uplifting the Human Spirit through our cradle to grave continuum.



East End Community Services Is a place-based organization that serves the highest-poverty neighborhoods in Dayton. Our purpose is to help our neighbors and families break the cycle of generational poverty. We design and implement programs and build strategic partnerships that move children and families from struggle to stability to success. Our high-quality whole-family services address the social determinants of health: Education, income and family stability, health and wellness, social connectedness, and housing and community improvements.

WestCare Ohio, also known as 'East End', is proud to have provided service to 5056 individuals persons during the fiscal year July 1, 2021, through June 30, 2022.

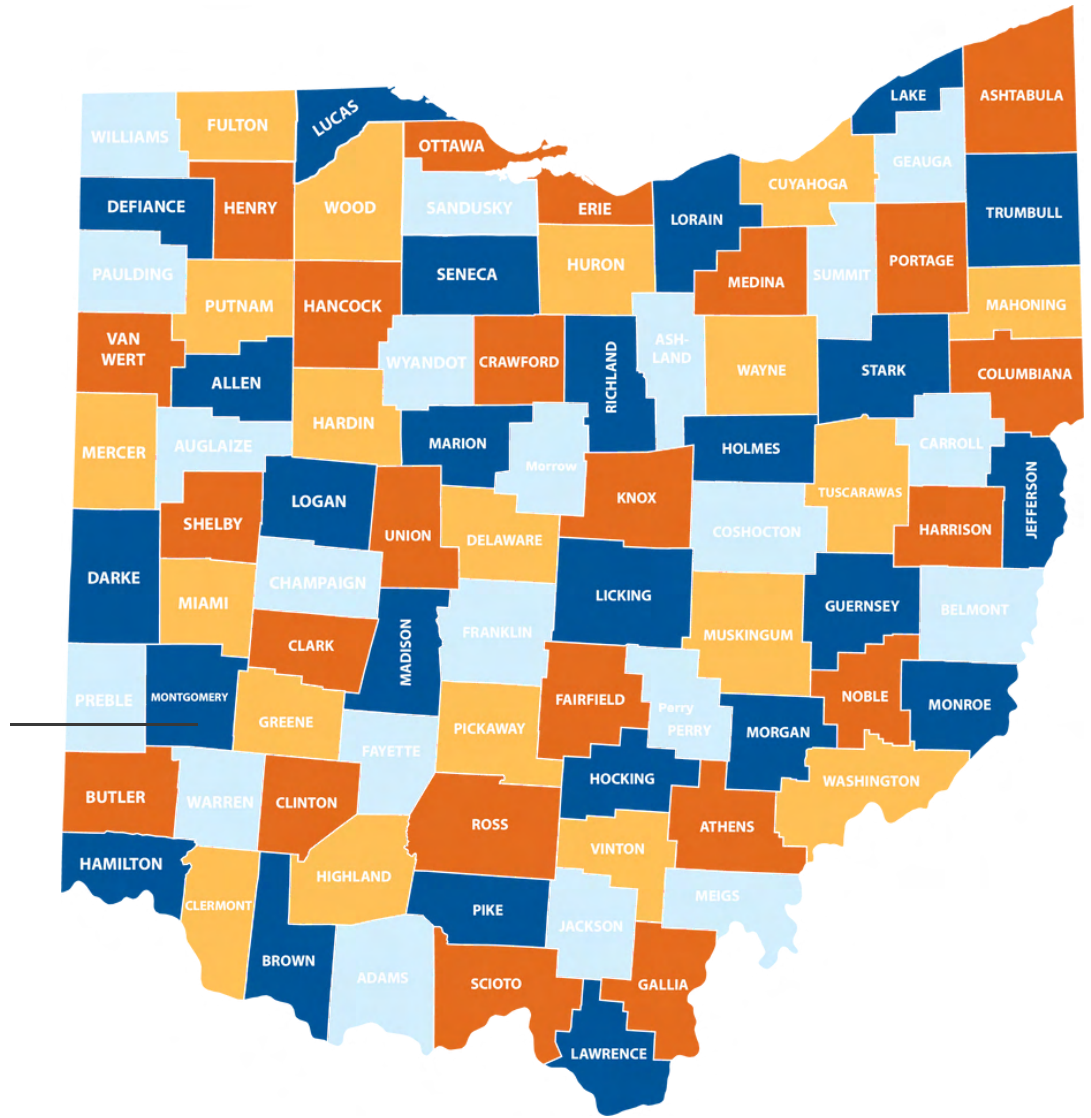
- *We serve a broad range of age groups: 11% of service recipients are younger than 19 (59 under 5 years); 42% are adults ages 20-34 (usually parents); 39% are between the ages of 35 and 54; and 7% are older than 55 (4 persons over 84 yrs.)*
- *Our service recipients are culturally and racially diverse: 37% are White; 34% are Black or African American; 26% are Latino*
- *49% of service recipients live in three East Dayton zip code areas that East End targets. the other 51% come from all other parts of our County (Montgomery).*

Our 19 separate programs focus on improving outcomes for children, their parents, their families and the entire community in which they live.

We work with 200 children and teens daily, ranging from kindergarten through high school to help them achieve success academically, build resiliency skills in the face of challenges they encounter growing up in poverty and in families with addiction, to graduate from high school with a plan for post-secondary education and/or employment training. We 'even the playing field' for our kids by providing them with the same enriching opportunities their more affluent counterparts experience.

Our adult and family programs help remove the barriers that have kept our neighbors from achieving success, create opportunities for change, and provide direct support for those who struggle to meet their basic needs. East End provides hundreds of adults with employment readiness skills each year, along with specific employment training programs. We help our community elders make ends meet while helping them reduce their social isolation and teach them strategies to enjoy the aging process. We also provide recovery support for our many neighbors trapped in the debilitating cycle of addiction to opioids and stimulants. Our recovery peer supports walk alongside people struggling with addiction to connect them to community resources and support them as they regain control of their lives. We address food insecurity.

WestCare Ohio/East End Community Services is in the process of adopting a 'whole family coaching model', which will empower our service teams to work with entire families to set and achieve their own goals by taking advantage of the many programs we provide and connecting to other programs throughout our community.



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- Miracle Makers Afterschool and Summer at Ruskin Neighborhood Elementary School
- Pilots Afterschool program at Wright Brothers Middle School
- East End Youth Development Center
- Parent University
- Wrap around services at Ruskin
- Peers for Change
- Family based Peer Program
- Conversation for Change
- Prevention services
- GANE (Gardening and Nutrition Education) program
- Senior Outreach and Support Services
- Aging Mastery program
- Camp Mariposa
- Family Peer supporters

