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## Capital Area United Way's Community Conversation Survey Now Live

**Baton Rouge, La. (February 25, 2021)** – Capital Area United Way's Community Conversation survey is now live and accepting responses. The survey, conducted every three years, is used to determine the next priority areas to direct funding in upcoming grant cycles.

The purpose of this survey is to hear from citizens in the Capital Area about their hopes, dreams and aspirations for the community. Capital Area United Way seeks to know how we can all work together and address the community's challenges as we continue to work to assist the ALICE (Asset Limited, Income Constrained, Employed) families of the 10-Parish service area.

"As the COVID-19 pandemic continues to set the ALICE families back, area residents can assist in setting priorities for a post-pandemic community," said Edy Addison, Director of Community Impact and Initiatives. "We are anxious to see how the community's priorities have changed over time, and we look forward to expound on this in the future."

Because of the COVID-19 pandemic, Community Conversation is unable to be held in person as done in the past; however, these conversations are still important in defining our future goals and endeavors.

Anyone living in the 10-parish Capital Area is eligible to take the survey. The survey can be found at [www.surveymonkey.com/r/CAUWCC2021](http://www.surveymonkey.com/r/CAUWCC2021). More information on ALICE, as well as the latest ALICE report, can be found at [www.cauw.org/ALICE](http://www.cauw.org/ALICE).

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For more than 96 years, Capital Area United Way has touched thousands of lives in our 10-parish area. We envision a community where everyone is empowered to reach their full potential. Our mission is to solve our community's toughest challenges by leveraging partnerships to advance the common good in education, income stability, and healthy living. To learn more visit [www.cauw.org](http://www.cauw.org).