Community Action Agencies, serve as community-based anti-poverty organizations and have been active in Oregon since the mid-sixties. Some CAAs are private, non-profit corporations. Others are organized as part of local county government.

Community Action Agencies provide services that address the full range of family needs—from Head Start and other education and child development programs, to youth and adult employment and training, to services for seniors and the frail elderly. Services are generally coordinated through a case manager or family development specialist. Other CAA programs are designed to strengthen the local economy and develop the community’s infrastructure under the guidance of community leaders.

Community Action Partnership of Oregon works to create and maintain a voice for clean, reliable and affordable energy policies that protect Oregon’s most vulnerable citizens through the Oregon Energy Partnership. This work is done in partnership with Oregon Housing and Community Services, Oregon Energy Coordinators Association and the many coalitions, non-profits, government entities and utilities that work together to provide energy services to Oregonians.

Oregon Energy Partnership also works to enable and encourage low-income individuals to participate in decision-making forums, public hearings, and other meetings concerned with social issues that affect their quality of life. Our goal is to assist CAPO in building a statewide network of informed individuals to educate others on issues of home comfort and energy affordability.

Programs/Services Offered By Community Action Agencies

- Advocacy
- Affordable Housing Development
- Child Care
- Commodity Distribution
- Community Development
- Domestic Violence
- Victims Assistance
- Economic Development
- Emergency Food & Shelter
- Employment Training
- Energy Assistance (LIEAP)
- Family Shelters
- Food Banks
- Food Gleaning
- Head Start
- Homeless Shelters
- Housing Rehabilitation
- Information and Referral Service
- In-Home Care
- Lifespan Respite Care-Warmline
- Life Skills Training
- Migrant/Farm Worker Service
- Neighborhood Centers
- Parent Training
- Public Transportation
- Second Chance Renters Program
- Self-Help Programs
- Self-Sufficiency Programs
- Senior Services
- Special Transportation
- Transitional Housing
- Transportation
- Veterans’ Services
- Volunteer Services
- Weatherization
- Youth Services

Our Mission

CAPO increases resources and opportunities to ensure that all Oregonians thrive.

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