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Annual Report 2010

The Care & Share Fund, Inc.



Committed
to helping meet
critical needs in the
Dorchester Community

The Care & Share Fund, Inc.

2010 Highlights

Care & Share is...

...a public, non-profit 501(C)(3) charity formed in June 1998 exclusively to respond to the critical needs of Dorchester County citizens that cannot be met by other public or private sources. We have no paid staff, so 95.7% of donated funds go directly to citizens in need.

Our Vision

We envision a community that promotes the health, safety and wellbeing of our citizens.

Our Mission

We are committed to assisting individuals and families in need, enhancing services to families and strengthening our community.

We are dedicated to helping our vulnerable adults remain safe and healthy in their homes.

STATEMENT OF ACTIVITIES

as of December 31, 2010

Support & Revenue

Donations	\$31,399
Fund Raising	\$21,158

Total **\$52,556**

Expenditures

Program Services	
Medical Fees	\$3,101
Medical Supplies	\$699
Prescriptions	\$12,685
Housing	\$8,744
Utility Assistance	\$30,280
Transportation	\$533
Other	\$1,864
Total	\$57,907

Support Expenses:	
Management and General	\$1,051
Fundraising	\$1,526
Total	\$ 2,577

Total Expenditures **\$60,484**

Change in Net Assets **(\$7,928)**

We continue to make a significant difference in the lives of individuals and families. We help citizens who are ineligible for Department of Social Services assistance or who have urgent unmet needs that jeopardize their health or safety.

Our statistics on persons assisted are indicative of the growing number of families in the community unable to meet their basic needs due to loss of employment and the high cost of fuel, utilities and medications. We assisted 724 Dorchester County residents compared to 496 last year, a 46% increase.

Assistance	2009	2010
◆ Prescriptions	158	235
◆ Doctor/Dental bills	22	34
◆ Medical supplies	10	2
◆ Utility assistance	163	330
◆ Rent assistance	35	81
◆ Glasses	4	6
◆ Transportation		13
◆ Household Items		18
◆ Other		5