

The Nonprofit Sector in Pennsylvania

Number of Pennsylvania Nonprofit Organizations	
All Nonprofit Organizations	63,698
501(c)(3) Public Charities (includes some religious organizations)	37,615
501(c)(3) Private and Public Foundations	6,191
Other 501(c) Nonprofit Organizations *	19,892
* Civic leagues, chambers of commerce, veterans organizations, etc.	

Public Charities and Foundations Benefit Pennsylvania Communities

Deliver vital community services

- The food banks comprising Feeding Pennsylvania collectively serve more than 2 million hungry individuals each year by delivering more than 110 million pounds of food. In 2012, the organization's 48,000 volunteers gave over 325,000 hours to fighting hunger.

Give voice to the people they serve

- The Philadelphia-based National Nursing Centers Consortium supports the advancement of nurse-led care through developing vital resources for these skilled medical professionals. In 2014, NNCC launched a web-portal called LawAtlas.org, that will enable smaller clinics reserve their resources for community health services.

Contribute to vibrant communities

- The Erie Junior Philharmonic Orchestra completed its 99th season in 2013 and is the third oldest youth orchestra in the country. Talented musicians in grades 5 through 12 hail from 30 metro-area schools to perform classical and contemporary works throughout the year, and the program's alumni have gone on to become professionals.

Advance solutions for challenges facing society

- The Pittsburgh Foundation is one of the nation's oldest community foundations, leading the city and its surrounding neighborhoods towards a more inclusive education system, healthy lifestyles, and responsive government. In 2013, its Talent City initiative helped screen over 1,500 candidates for senior positions in the incoming Mayor Peduto's office to craft an administration that will renew the city's development.

Economic Impact of Pennsylvania's Nonprofit Sector

- Employs **727,200 people** – almost 13.3% of the state's workforce
- Generates **\$109.8 billion** in annual revenues
- Holds assets of **\$249 billion**
- Pennsylvania foundations give **\$1.6 billion** annually
- Pennsylvanians give **\$6.0 billion** to charity each year

Employment by Nonprofit Industry

Nonprofit Industry	% share of PA Nonprofit Employees
Hospitals	35%
Educational Services	19%
Nursing and Residential Care	16%
Social Assistance	9%
Clinics and Home Health Care	5%
Membership Organizations	3%
Museums, Historical Sites	1%
Professional, Scientific Services	1%
Other	5%

Sources on the reverse side



Note: The “nonprofit sector” encompasses organizations that are defined as tax-exempt under section 501(c) of the Internal Revenue Code. This includes both public charities and private foundations [501(c)(3)] and other nonprofits such as civic league organizations [501(c)(4)]. Exceptions are noted when relevant.

Sources:

Employment Data

Best estimate based on available data from the following sources:

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Number of Nonprofits

Urban Institute, National Center for Charitable Statistics, State Summary reports <http://www.nccs.urban.org/statistics/profiles.cfm> {Data is 2013}

Asset and Revenues

Urban Institute, National Center for Charitable Statistics, "Registered Nonprofit Organizations by State (BMF 10/2013)"
<http://nccsweb.urban.org/tablewiz/bmf.php> {Data is 2013}

Foundation Giving

The Foundation Center, FC Stats: "Foundation Stats: Total Grantmaking Foundations" {Data is 2011}
<http://data.foundationcenter.org/#/foundations/all/nationwide/total/list/2011>

Individual Giving

Total: Profiles of Individual Charitable Contributions by State, 2011. National Center for Charitable Statistics, The Urban Institute. November 2013. Accessed 5/7/2014
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Nonprofit Examples:

Feeding Pennsylvania: <http://www.feedingpa.org/aboutus.aspx>

National Nurses Center Consortium: <http://www.nncc.us/site/images/pdf/nprxlaws.pdf>

Erie Junior Philharmonic Orchestra: <http://www.eriephil.org/about-the-erie-phil/junior-philharmonic/>

The Pittsburgh Foundation: <http://pittsburghfoundation.org/sites/default/files/2014%20Spring%20Forum.pdf>