

# Delivering Value for the Community: **Education**



**Our vision is a community connected.** When educational organizations like yours join a network of coordinated care, schools and community-based service providers can come together to serve students and families in need. As enhanced access and coordination help to meet more needs, more students and families can pursue their full potential with dignity, strengthening community well-being.

## OUR END-TO-END SOLUTION HELPS YOU ANSWER QUESTIONS LIKE:

**How can we help students and their families faster and with fewer barriers?** Send and receive referrals from a wide variety of partners, including immigration organizations, health plan providers, WIC programs, or the department of social services.

**How can we ensure we capture the right information to create positive change?** Share crucial information between providers to securely match individuals to the right services. Keep track of student/parent-informed consent, household data, interest in Head Start or preschool openings, SFSP/CACFP application status, and more.

**How can we assess community needs and the impact of our initiatives?** Gain a deeper understanding of the health of the communities in which your schools are located. Address any disparities by tracking differences in need, support provided, and outcomes of community care across sectors and demographics.

**How can we be sure individuals receive the care they need?** Follow the journeys of your students and their families as they receive care from other organizations in the network, and get notified when they're connected to care.

**How can we ensure educational needs are being met?** Connect traditional and non-traditional students to the programs that address both educational and other social needs to holistically improve educational experience and outcomes.

## THE UNITE US DIFFERENCE:

- ✓ **Secure** - Unite Us is HITRUST, SOC 2 Type 2, and NIST certified and follows the highest security frameworks in the industry. Unite Us is HIPAA compliant and fully aligns with the strictest federal privacy regulations, including 42 CFR Part 2 and FERPA.
- ✓ **Complementary** - Unite Us works in parallel with existing operating systems to simplify and streamline the referral process.
- ✓ **Fast** - Unite Us automatically aggregates de-identified data that can be leveraged for innovation, funding opportunities, and building partnerships with other community-based organizations quickly and efficiently.

## Data from our Networks

We have connected over 3,700 students and their families to care.

**The top three co-occurring needs for students needing educational assistance are:**



**Employment services**



**Housing and shelter**



**Benefits navigation**

USE CASES

## Greater Access to Community Resources

Receive referrals for openings in state-approved, income-based, **early childhood education programs**.

Help students in rural areas access newly added, **COVID-19-related school programs**.

Help youth 18 years or younger access free meals at school through **child nutrition programs (CACFP/SFSP)**.



Facilitate **connections to services beyond education**, including housing assistance, employment services, and benefits navigation.

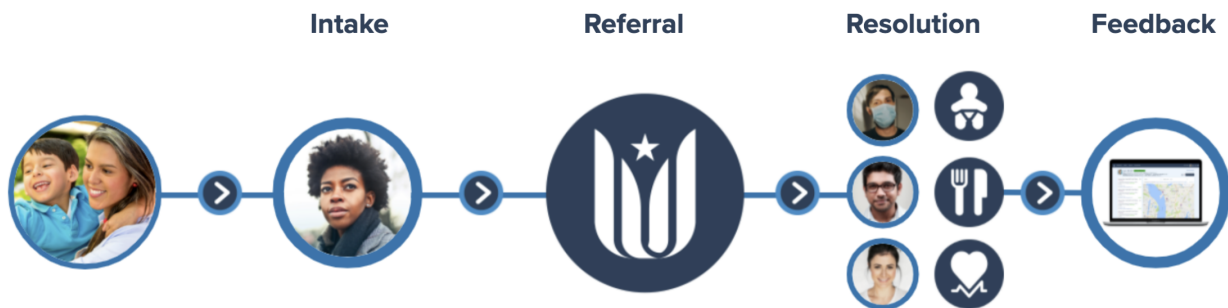
Assist a recently laid-off parent with a **referral to an employment agency**.

Manage behavioral health referrals to and from **school districts and community-based services**.

“ We can hop on the Unite Us Platform to give families the resources they need. Working with families, you hate to tell them no. With this platform, we can search and find different services that we didn't even know existed. It helps us deliver the services more efficiently and timely.”

– **Mickia Freeman**, Positive Parenting Partnership Champions for Children, FL a network partner

### A Family's Journey to Access Services after a Crisis



A family of 5 loses everything in a house fire. One of the children's Equity and Homeless Liaisons, Dulce, takes action.

Dulce connects with the family and identifies that they have many social needs:

- Language services
- Food assistance
- Housing and shelter support
- Clothing and household goods

Dulce uses Unite Us to gain **digital consent** and electronically refer the family to multiple community partners.

Through the platform, she can seamlessly **communicate with the other providers** in real time, and securely share the family's information.

As the family receives resources and services, Dulce receives real-time updates and tracks the family's total, whole-care journey.

To learn more, reach out to our team at [www.UniteUs.com](http://www.UniteUs.com)