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United Way of West Florida Agency Certification Opens October 4

Pensacola, FL – Local nonprofits are invited to apply for Agency Certification from United Way of West Florida beginning October 4. The application is open to nonprofit organizations in Escambia and Santa Rosa counties.

Becoming a Certified Partner Agency is required for any organization planning to apply for funding from United Way of West Florida in January of 2023. Agencies must reapply for certification every year. Certification does not guarantee funding.

Agencies not seeking funding from United Way can also benefit from Certification. It confirms that an organization has been thoroughly vetted and meets United Way of West Florida's standards for transparency, financial health, and governance.

Trainings are available for organizations applying for the first time or ones that need a refresher. These sessions are optional and will be available in-person and remote.

Training Session Dates

- October 5, 2022 | 3:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.
- October 11, 2022 | 8:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.

Agencies can register for training sessions and find more information online at uwwf.org/agency-certification. UWWF's Agency Certification period runs from October 4 to October 21.

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About UWWF: United Way of West Florida is a local 501(c)(3) non-profit organization that unifies nonprofit agencies, organizations, businesses - and people - to fight for the health, education, and financial stability of every person in Escambia and Santa Rosa counties. With a vision of a community united to create better opportunities for all, United Way of West Florida's mission is to Unite our community and leverage resources to improve lives. For more information, visit uwwf.org.