

# 2025 ECONOMIC Impact Study



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## The Impact of Nonprofits in Florida

Nonprofit organizations exist to assist individuals and communities to make our world a better place. Their various missions serve the public by addressing essential services not met by the private sector. Food & Shelter, Education & Literacy, Awareness & Engagement, Child Care & Senior Services, Health, Prevention, Environment, Arts & Culture, Legal, Justice, Safety, Inequities are just some of the hundreds of ways nonprofits impact our society. Nonprofit organizations significantly affect the economy, the workforce, and collectively work towards a better future for all.

## Economic Impact of the Nonprofits in Florida

- Employs 534,116 people, 6.2% of the state's workforce
- Generates nearly \$90 billion in annual revenues
- Holds assets of nearly \$206 billion
- Florida foundations annually give over \$1.7 billion
- Floridians give \$11.1 billion to charity each year, representing 3.4% of household income

Source: Independent Sector

## Florida Cities with Highest # of Nonprofit Employees

Metro Area	# Nonprofits	# Employees
Miami	35,220	349,066
Tampa	16,731	155,962
Orlando	14,207	148,962
Jacksonville	9,358	95,034

## Nonprofit Employees as a % of Total Employment

Source: TED-The Economics Daily as reported on the US Bureau of Labor Statistics website

	Total Private Employees	Nonprofit Employees	% of Nonprofit vs Private Employees
Florida	8,308,654	546,791	7.2%
Miami-Dade	1,056,714	84,927	8.0%
Broward	733,136	31,086	4.2%
Hillsborough	674,160	54,426	8.1%
Orange	819,066	65,093	7.9%
Palm Beach	577,168	29,880	5.2%
Duval	498,084	54,213	10.9%

In 2022, over 350,000 nonprofits in the U.S. accounted for 12.8 million jobs, or 9.9% of private employment. This chart represents data for Florida and its six (6) counties with population over 1 million.

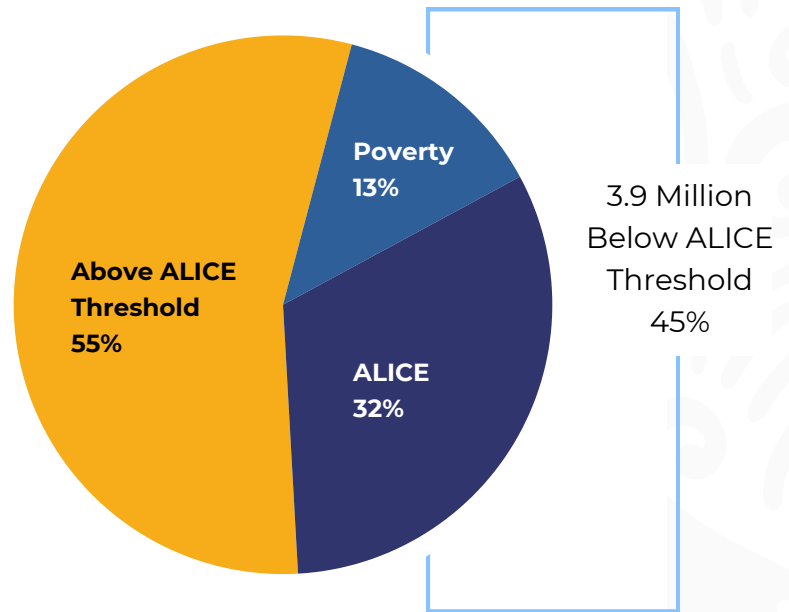
# ALICE in the Crosscurrents: COVID and Financial Hardship in Florida

The number of households in financial hardship in Florida continues to be undercounted in official measures. According to the FPL, 13% of households in Florida (1.1 million) were in poverty in 2021.

Yet United for ALICE data shows that another 32% (2.7 million household) - more than twice as many - were ALICE (Asset Limited, Income Constrained, Employed). ALICE households earn above the FPL, but not enough to afford the basics in the communities where they live.

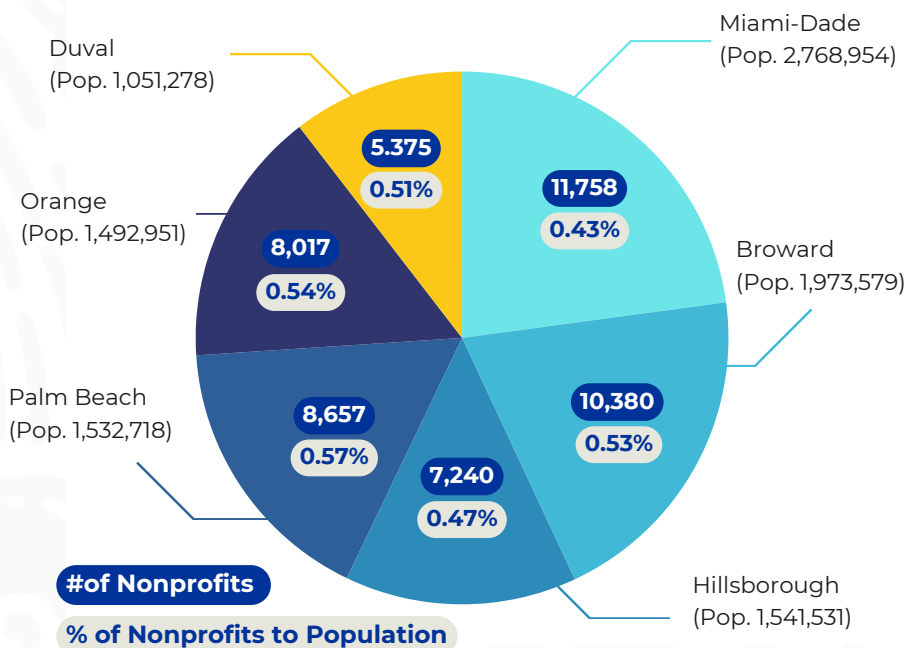
The reality is that of the 8.5 million households in Florida, 3.9 million (45%) had income below the ALICE Threshold of Financial Survival in 2021. These included both households in poverty and ALICE households.

You can request a copy of the full ALICE Report by emailing: [members@fano.org](mailto:members@fano.org)



Source: Produced by United Way of Florida in partnership with United for ALICE. It is a driver of innovative research and action around financial hardship for ALICE (Asset Limited, Income Constrained, Employed) Households.

## # of 501(c)(3) Nonprofits in Florida



### Counties with > 1 Million Population

50% of all Florida 501(c)(3) Nonprofits are within the six (6) Counties with > 1 Million Population

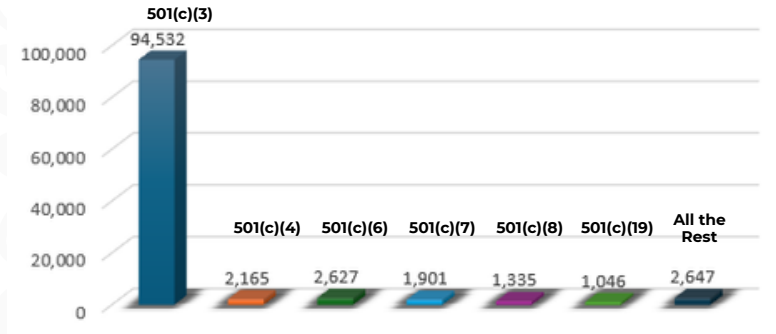
Source: IRS (2022)

# Categories of Tax-Exempt Organizations

Source: IRS

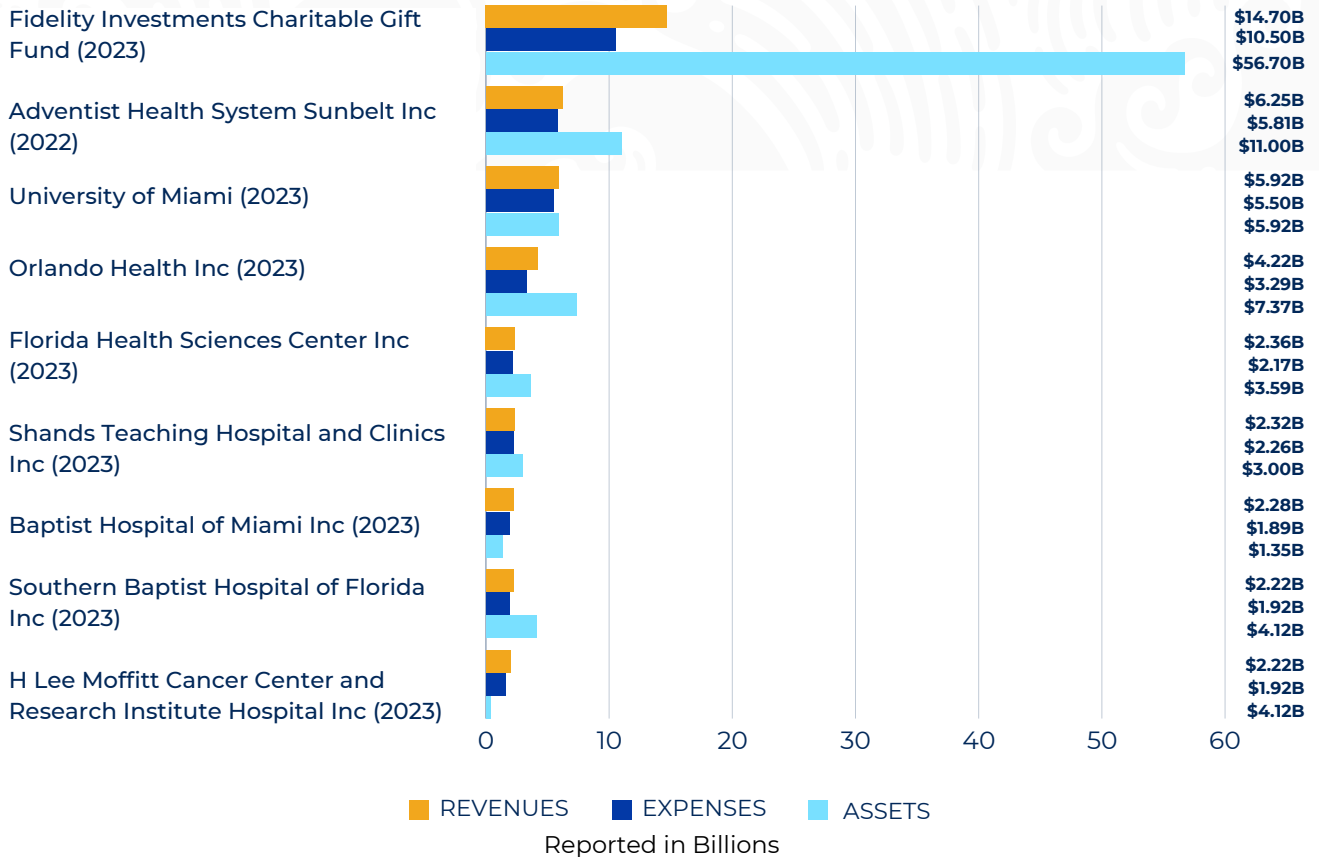
Full listing of all categories and descriptions of nonprofit organizations is available by request: [members@fano.org](mailto:members@fano.org)

**Total Tax-Exempt Organizations in Florida: 106,253**



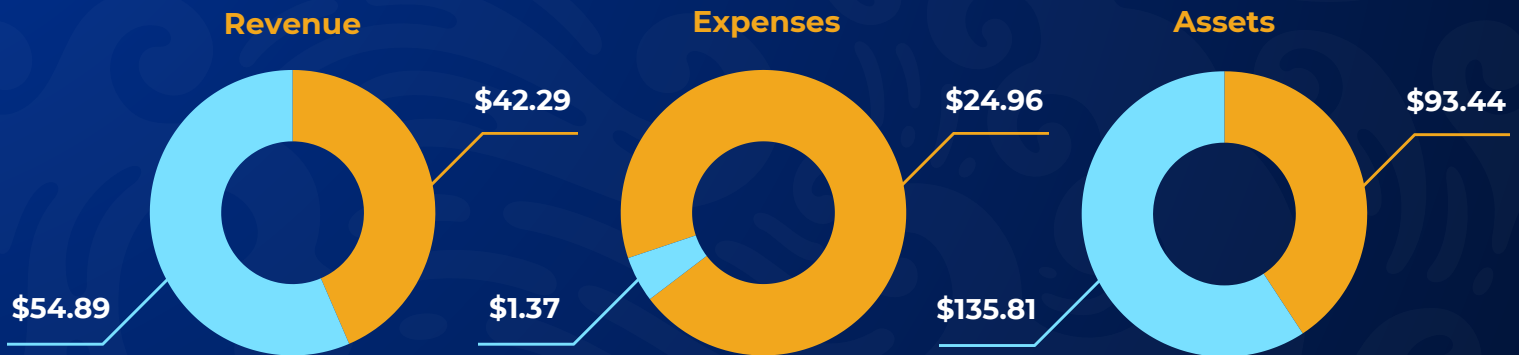
- Charitable, Religious or Educational Organizations
- Community Social Welfare Organizations
- Business Leagues
- Social Recreation Clubs
- Lodges, Fraternities
- Serves Present and Past War Veterans
- 501 (c) (1, 2, 5, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 21, 22, 23, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 92)

## Organizations With Total Revenue Over \$2 Billion



# Florida Nonprofits with Revenue Over \$1 Billion & Over \$2 Billion

- Total Nonprofit Organizations Reporting Revenue > \$1 Billion
- Total Nonprofit Organizations Reporting Revenue > \$2 Billion



Total Revenue for All 501(c)(3) Nonprofits in Florida is > \$16.5 Billion

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