



Valley Children's Healthcare

Measuring Community Impact

Fiscal Year 2024 (Calendar Year 2023)

At its core, the true impact of Valley Children's Healthcare is best measured by one powerful metric: the difference we make in the lives of the children we care for each day.

Valley Children's services span the Central Valley, from Kern County to the State Capital and from the Central Coast to the eastern Sierra, and is home to more than 1.3 million children. It is described as a region of "contradictions" - urban and rural communities, affluence and generational poverty, abundance and a place where 1 in 4 children do not have access to enough food to eat. These realities present our greatest challenges and our greatest opportunities to impact the lives of the children and communities we serve.

Beyond our clinical care, Valley Children's also plays a vital role in strengthening the region's economy. With a total economic impact of more than \$1 billion a year, our contributions include more than \$600 million in direct spending and support for more than 6,100 jobs. Through meaningful partnerships with local organizations, Valley Children's has also invested more than \$600 million over the past 12 years to support children and help shape a stronger future for the Valley.

Community Impact at a Glance



Total Economic Impact

\$1.02 billion

in annual average economic impact over 2023 and 2024 in the 12 counties related to operations

- 6,170 jobs supported by all Valley Children's operations
- More than \$600 million in direct spending
- Generated \$41 million in local and state taxes annually
- Offers wages that are double the regional average



IRS-Defined Community Benefit (Schedule H)

\$95.8 million
in FY24

This includes financial assistance, unreimbursed costs of Medi-Cal, charity care, community health improvement services, research and health professions education.



Investments in Our Core Mission and Teams

\$44.6 million

We invest in the tools, equipment and facilities that help our doctors and staff deliver the best care possible at our Madera campus and throughout the Central Valley. This includes technology upgrades, capital improvements (including 16 regional specialty and primary care practices throughout the Valley) and support for our dedicated team.

Community Partnerships

Community partnerships are essential to Valley Children's mission of improving the health and well-being of kids across the Central Valley. These partnerships allow us to extend our reach far beyond the hospital's walls - bringing care, resources and support directly into neighborhoods where children live, learn and play.

Whether it's ensuring fewer children go to bed hungry, creating safe and clean places for them to play or expanding access to care, our work is amplified through the more than 200 organizations we collaborate with year after year. Throughout the region, Valley Children's commitment to kids is seen not just through our clinical care, but through the shared commitment of our community partners to build a healthier future for every child.