

Florida COVID-19 Relief

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Duke Energy Foundation announces \$1 million in COVID-19 response and education grants in Florida

- \$450,000 in COVID-related grants to support bill payments, social services, hunger relief
- \$550,000 in education grants include flexibility to be repurposed during pandemic

Supporting Food Insecurities, Bill Pay and Educational Initiatives

Duke Energy's \$450,000 COVID-19-related grants address immediate social service and hunger relief needs resulting from the virus pandemic.

- Disbursed through 50 organizations
- Supporting more than 2,000 families by helping to pay gas or electric utility bills
- Supporting programs that address food needs for all ages, children to seniors

The Duke Energy Foundation also recently granted \$550,000 to support energy, engineering and environmental educational initiatives.

- Disbursed to 22 organizations
- Given the COVID-19 crisis, organizations have the option to use the funds to address unforeseen operational challenges

Additional Steps to Support Customers

- Not disconnecting service due to nonpayment
- Waiving late payment and returned payment fees

To learn more about Duke Energy's response to the COVID-19 virus, please visit the company [webpage](#) or read the [news release](#).

“ Heart of Florida United Way and the community it serves is grateful to have a partner like Duke Energy supporting us during this challenging time. The amount of requests for assistance is unprecedented, and the contribution from Duke Energy will help support many families who are trying to keep their lives together. ”

Jeff Hayward, President & CEO of Heart of Florida United Way