

AJFCA VISTA PROJECT

Building capacity to meet the needs of Holocaust survivors; some of the most vulnerable members of our community

130,000 Holocaust survivors live in the U.S.



25% live in poverty

and struggle to afford housing, food, health care, transportation, and meaningful human interaction.

AJFCA VISTA Project members assist the largest communities of survivors in the United States including New York, New Jersey, Detroit, Chicago, Los Angeles, Southern Florida and metro D.C.

Participation in the VISTA project has impacted entire communities and Holocaust survivors across the U.S. since its inception in September, 2014

2,515 uninsured or economically disadvantaged Holocaust survivors were impacted by the VISTA project



the VISTA project leveraged **\$475,562** in in-kind donations

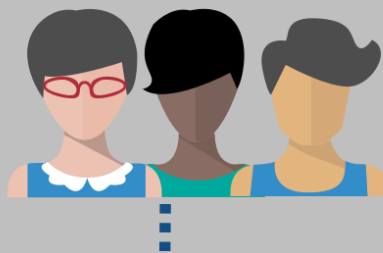
including volunteer time, food and space and raffle prizes for socialization events, pro bono dental services and eyeglasses, and food baskets for survivors in need.

7 agencies conducted community needs assessments, including a national scan for legal needs. 94 organizations contributed to a greater understanding the needs of survivors in project communities and across the United States



619

new volunteers were recruited by VISTA projects



687

staff and volunteers were trained on working with survivors

2,304

volunteer hours were contributed by recruited volunteers

