



Priorities FY2021

(August 30, 2018)

HEALTH

Result 1: Story County residents have access to enough food and healthy food

Strategy 1.1: Reduce the meal gap

Result 2: Children, youth, and adults have access to needed mental health care

Strategy 2.1: Correct diagnosis and treatment

Strategy 2.2: Crisis Services

Result 3: Story County residents are emotionally and physically well

Strategy 3.1: Access to care

Strategy 3.2: Negotiating the healthcare system

Strategy 3.3: Safety

EDUCATION

Result 1: Children enter school developmentally on track

Strategy 1.1: Child and family basic needs met

Result 2: Children exit 3rd grade reading at grade-level

Strategy 2.1: Child and family basic needs met

Strategy 2.2: Child development

Strategy 2.3: Community

Result 3: Story County residents are educated on local issues and are provided tools to advocate for themselves and others

Strategy 3.1: Awareness

Strategy 3.2: Understanding

Strategy 3.3: Engagement

Strategy 3.4: Confidence

Strategy 3.5: Advocating tools

FINANCIAL STABILITY

Result 1: Access to basic needs

Strategy 1.1: Housing

Strategy 1.2: Emergency Services

Strategy 1.3: Access to reliable transportation

Result 2: Increasing income

Strategy 2.1: Securing or maintaining employment

Result 3: Increased financial capability

Strategy 3.1: Financial education

Strategy 3.2: Financial opportunity

Strategy 3.3: Access to financial services

ISU Student Government Priorities

ISU Student Government supports community services that benefit Iowa State Students that cannot easily be obtained from resources available on campus.

1. Childcare Services, with a specific emphasis on infant and toddler care
2. Services providing aid to victims of sexual assault
3. Substance abuse prevention and treatment
4. Programs that empower traditionally discriminated-against peoples
5. Legal Services not provided by Student Legal Services with a specific emphasis on probation services



Priorities for 2020/21

(NOTE: Priority categories AND sub-bullets are in priority order)

#1 Meet basic needs, with emphasis on low to moderate income:

- Quality childcare cost offset programs, including daycare and State of Iowa licensed in-home facilities
- Food cost offset programs, to assist in providing nutritious perishables and staples
- Medical and dental services
- Housing cost offset programs, including utility assistance
- Sheltering
- Transportation cost offset programs
- Legal assistance
- Disaster response

#2 Meet mental health and chemical dependency needs

- Ensure substance abuse prevention and treatment is available in the community
- Provide outpatient emergency access to services
- Provide crisis intervention services
- Provide access to non-emergency services

#3 Youth development services and activities

- Skill development and enhancement
- Summer enrichment/prevention of loss of learning



Story County Priorities For Fiscal Year 2020-21

****Services funded by Story County must be available and accessible countywide****

The following service categories are listed in a prioritized order (sub-bullets are not prioritized):

1. Services addressing basic needs

- Affordable, quality childcare
- Affordable, quality housing (including temporary/transitional housing)
- Transportation
- Food and nutrition
- Access to medical, dental, mental health, substance abuse, and co-occurring care

2. Services addressing safety and well-being needs

- Legal assistance
- Social and educational development and opportunities
- Access to emergency services

3. Services promoting self-sufficiency

- Services and supports allowing people to remain in their homes
- Education and awareness