



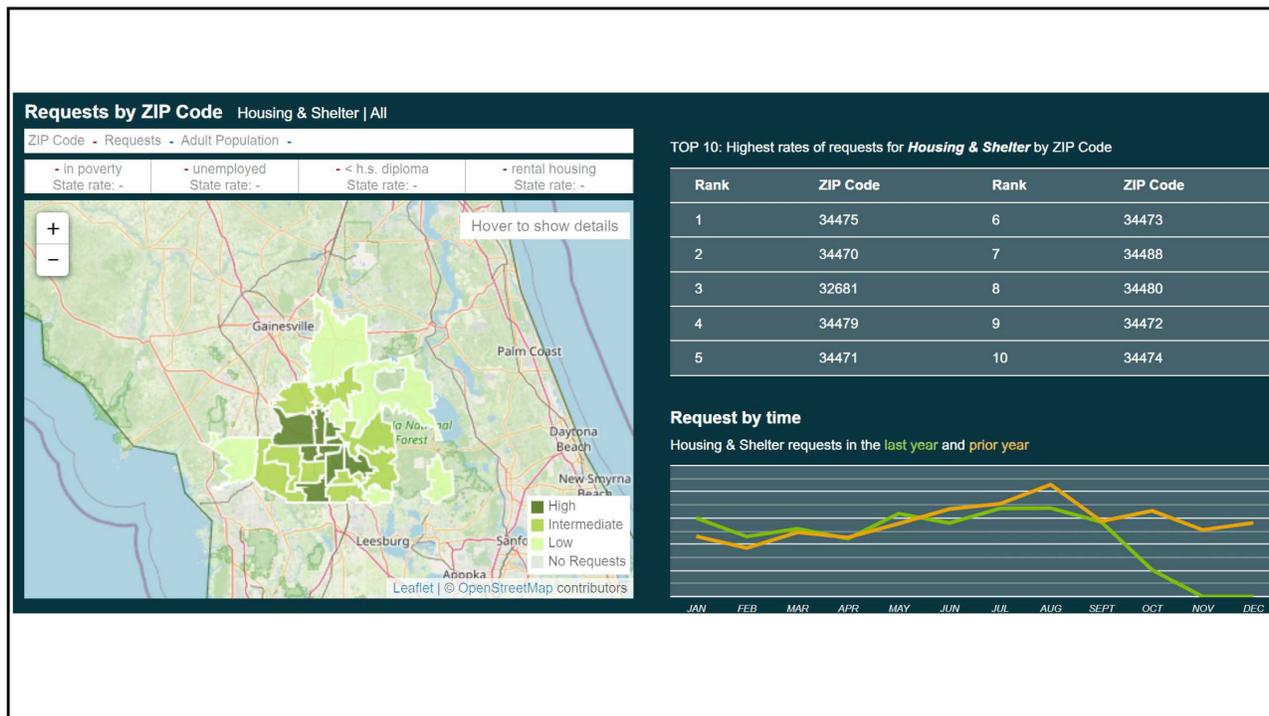
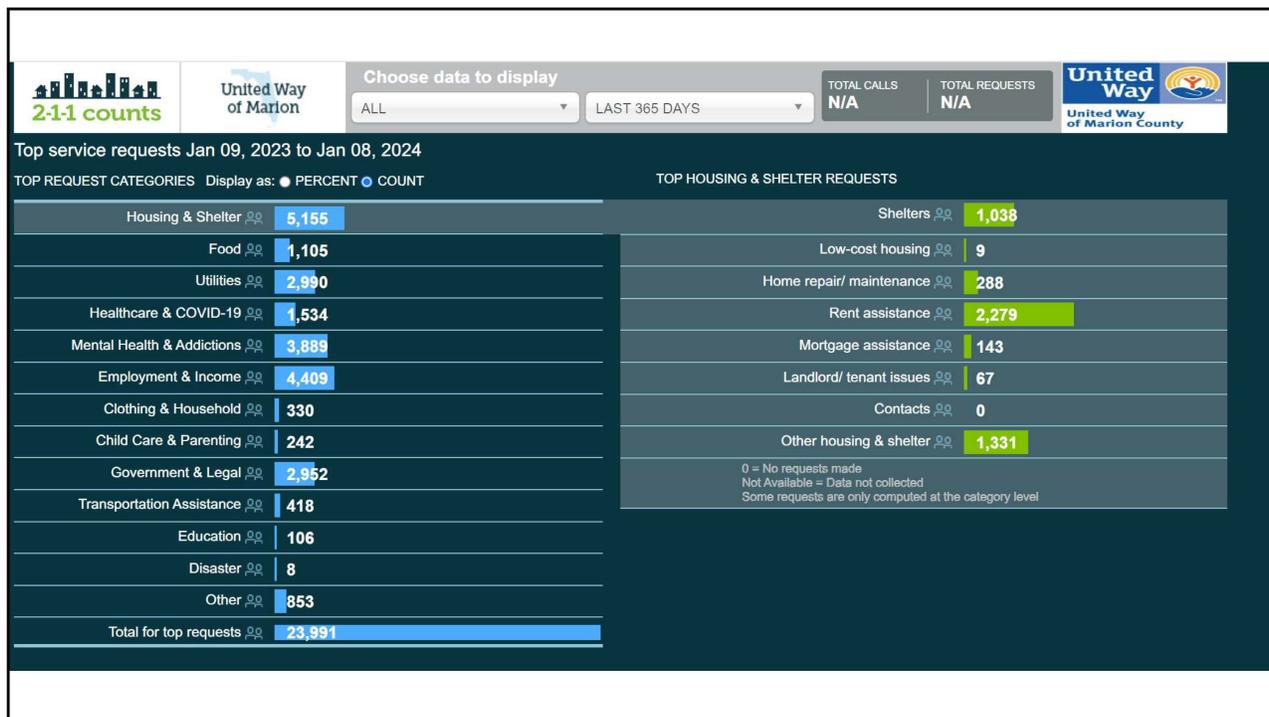
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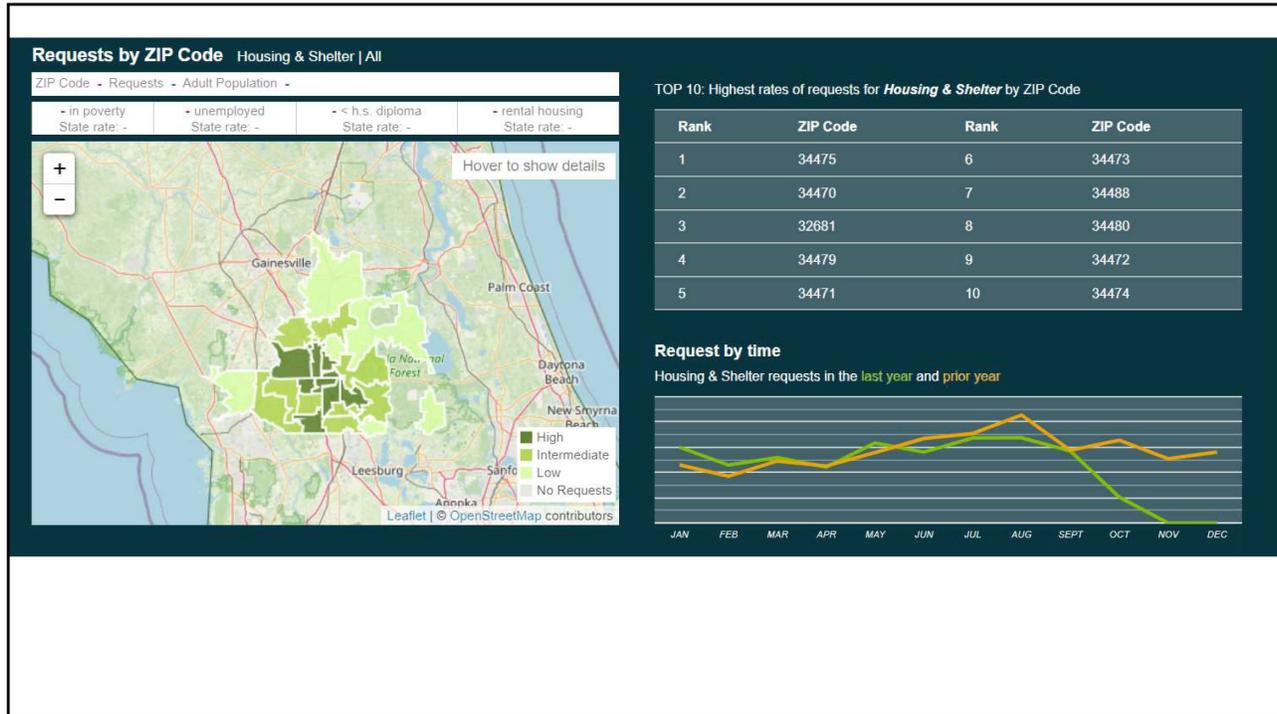
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211counts.org

Each year, 16 million people in the United States dial 2-1-1 for help with basic needs like food and shelter or emergency services. *2-1-1 Counts* is the first tool to provide real-time, searchable, and visual data presentations from 2-1-1 call centers nationwide. Using *2-1-1 Counts*, you'll find a snapshot of community-specific needs displayed by ZIP code, region or call center as recently as yesterday, enabling you to check trends, make comparisons, and share information easily. *2-1-1 Counts* works with your local 2-1-1 to share this information with community leaders and service agencies.





Florida 211 Coverage Map



About 988 Helpline Centers

The 988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline (formerly known as the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline) provides free and confidential emotional support to people in suicidal crisis or emotional distress 24 hours a day, 7 days a week, across the United States.

The Lifeline is a national network of over 200 local crisis centers of which 13 are located in Florida.

How to Contact a 988 Lifeline Center

You can contact a 988 lifeline center 24/7 in any of the following ways:

- Call: 988
- Text: 988
- Online Chat - Click [here](#)

For more information about 988 services visit <https://988lifeline.org/>



United Way of Marion County 211 Next Steps

211 Advisory Committee Representative's

City of Ocala

- Legislative Affairs
- City Council

Marion County

- Administration

Local 211 Resource Manager

- Community Services
- Legislative Affairs

Public Health

- Marion County Health Department
- Heart of Florida Health Centers
- Marion County Hospital District

Law Enforcement

- Ocala Police Department
- Emergency Operations – Sheriffs Department

Objectives July 1, 2024

- Secure Sustainable Funding
- United Way \$ 80,000
- Community \$120,000

- Quality / Data Base Management

- Select 211 Call Center Provider

- Marketing & Communications