

The RESULTS National Webinar

April 2, 2022

Welcome!

Our Anti-Oppression Values

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RESULTS is a movement of passionate, committed everyday people. Together we use our voices to influence political decisions that will bring an end to poverty. Poverty cannot end as long as oppression exists. We commit to opposing all forms of oppression, including ableism, ageism, biphobia, classism, colonialism, homophobia, racism, religious discrimination, sexism, transphobia, white saviorism, and xenophobia.

At RESULTS we pledge to create space for all voices, including those of us who are currently experiencing poverty. We will address oppressive behavior in our interactions, families, communities, work, and world. Our strength is rooted in our diversity of experiences, not in our assumptions.

With unearned privilege comes the responsibility to act so the burden to educate and change doesn't fall solely on those experiencing oppression. When we miss the mark on our values, we will acknowledge our mistake, seek forgiveness, learn, and work together as a community to pursue equity.

There are no saviors — only partners, advocates, and allies. We agree to help make the RESULTS movement a respectful, inclusive space.

Find all our anti-oppression resources at https://results.org/volunteers/anti-oppression/

U.S. Poverty Guest Speaker





Phil Tegeler

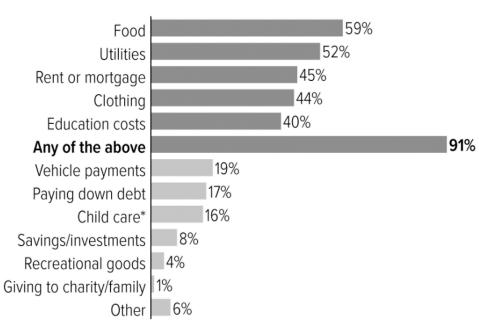
Executive Director of Poverty & Race Research Action Council (PRRAC)

CTC & Housing

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Families With Low Incomes Spent Expanded Child Tax Credit on Basic Needs, Education

Percent of households with incomes below \$35,000 who spent their credit payments on:



^{*}Percent of households with child(ren) under age 5.

Latest on Economic Package



- Possible economic package being discussed this month, mostly behind the scenes
- Policymakers looking for ways to help families with higher costs – CTC is a great tool for this!
- Keep our issues in front of lawmakers in lobby meetings during recess (April 11-22) and via letters
- Congress may move final package in May

RESULTS U.S. Poverty Key Action



Write letters to Congress urging them to **extend the Child Tax Credit**

- Remind lawmakers that families are facing an average of \$296 in higher costs for rent, food, gas, etc. due to inflation (Moody's)
- Highlight that the CTC is the right tool to help families with these costs
- Share how the CTC did or would help you and/or why you care about this issue

Action Resources



- Write letters to Congress about the CTC using the <u>April</u>
 U.S. Poverty Action
- Letters to the editor about the CTC also help. See our media and other online actions in the <u>Action Center</u>
- Practice speaking about the CTC and housing using our 2022 Laser Talks
- RESULTS may contact you about participating in a specific lobby meeting with a senator or staff to push on CTC





Dr. Joanne CarterExecutive Director

Global Poverty Guest Speaker





Peter Sands

Executive Director

The Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria

Great work on the Global Fund Letter!



Congress of the United States Washington, DC 20515

February 22, 2022

President Joseph R. Biden, Jr. The White House 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. President,

Thank you for your recent announcement that the United States will host the Seventh Replenishment of the Global Fund to Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis and Malaria (Global Fund) in 2022. We are writing in support of a robust and increased three-year U.S. pledge for this replenishment.

137 signers!





Find full list of signers here.

Appropriations Process



President's Budget Congressional Budget Resolution

Appropriations

What are we asking for?



Summary of RESULTS' FY23 Appropriations Requests

Global Fund to Fight AIDS,
Tuberculosis and Malaria

• At least \$2 billion

Nutrition

 \$300 million within USAID Global Health

Global Tuberculosis

 \$1 billion within USAID Global Health

What we ask Congress to do



- Every member of Congress can give input on spending preferences to each sub-committee of appropriations.
 That input comes from constituents—from us.
- We also ask them to sign on to "dear colleague" letters that include our requests.
- The more the appropriators hear the request to fund a program at a specific level, the more likely they are likely to pay attention to that request.

How to submit requests



- Every House point person should contact the foreign policy aide in their Rep's office this week.
- Decide which requests to send to your Rep. based on what they've supported in the past. We have scorecards for that.
- Use the sample letter in our Global April Action Sheet to write your request. Include our "appropriations memos" and related sign on letters.

Tools & Support



- FY 23 Appropriations blog: includes memos, scorecards, sign-on letters, training webinar
- April Action Sheet
- RCs and staff to help with the requests



results.org/conference

June 4-5, 2022

Join us for this **virtual event** featuring plenary speakers, workshops, and networking. We're thrilled to welcome **Jelani Cobb** of The New Yorker as a keynote speaker. Stay tuned for more!

Use Actions for Outreach



- Maximize your letter-writing by inviting others to write with you
- Action Sheets are written so that anyone can write a powerful letter
- Organize a letter-writing meeting
- People are inspired when they are taking action

Action Meeting Sample Agenda



https://results.org/volunteers/monthly-actions/

Monthly Action Sheets (U.S. Poverty)

April 2022: Tell lawmakers the CTC helps families with rising costs

As families struggle with higher prices for rent, gas, and food, the Child Tax Credit is the right tool to help. Write letters to your members of Congress urging them to extend the Child Tax Credit new! (Word version)

Use our Action Workshop Agenda (Word version) to host a meeting where you can inspire others to action in your community.

Worlding Action Sheets (Global Foverty

April 2022: Write to Congress About Prioritizing Global Poverty in FY23 Appropriations

As Congress looks at its spending plan for fiscal year 2023, it's time to tell them what they should put at the top of the list. As a leader in global health and development, the United States must urgently look to recovery after the COVID-19 crisis to curb major health setbacks in low-income countries. That's where the appropriations process comes in. Act now to influence the appropriations process while it is in full swing.

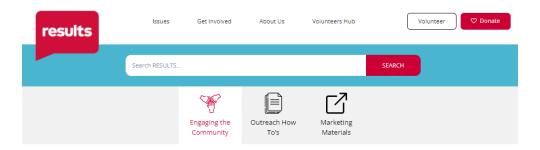
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March 31, 2022

Outreach Resources





Engaging the Community

Thinking about starting a RESULTS group in your community? Or just want to get the word out about RESULTS issues? Learn how to talk about your issues locally, and how to build a coalition where you live!

I want to sign up for RESULTS emails	>
I want to meet our community partners	>
What outreach resources are available to me?	>
I want to prepare for my outreach meeting	>
I want to welcome new advocates	>
I want to activate and manage a Community Action Network of advocates	>

https://results.org/volunteers/engaging-the-community/

The Art of the EPIC



Engage Problem Inform on the solution Call to action



There is also an EPIC for outreach!



ENGAGE the listener.

I volunteer with RESULTS, an organization that, during a global pandemic, got over 725 pieces of media published on eradicating poverty. RESULTS empowered me to raise my voice for a vision of a world free of poverty.



Identify the PROBLEM.

People get bogged down and discouraged with bad news. They don't think they can make a difference in reaching *Congressman Name/ Senator Name*.



INFORM or ILLUSTRATE on the solution.

RESULTS has proven to me that I can make a difference. RESULTS has taught me how to meet with and influence our members of Congress, get published, and reach out to our community to bring them into action. Last year, despite the unprecedented challenges we all faced, we made excellent progress on issues I care about.



Make your CALL TO ACTION.

2022 could be a terrific year for making a difference and making the necessary changes we need in our community, and the world, to end poverty. I would like to invite you to our next RESULTS meeting and guide you in taking actions that make a difference. Are you in?



What has advocacy with RESULTS meant for you?

How will you draw on your story to bring others into the movement?



Want to take the lead on outreach for your group?

Contact **Karyne Bury** of the RESULTS Grassroots Impact Team for ideas kbury@results.org

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Upcoming Events

Diversity and Inclusion 101:

Implicit Bias, Microaggressions, and Understanding of Systemic Racism and Oppression

Led by Dr. Christina Gunther Researcher and Clinical Assistant Professor Sacred Heart University

Space is Limited! Register to join the next workshop: **April 9, 10:30 am ET.**

Additional sessions listed here: https://results.org/wp-content/uploads/2022-Anti-Oppression-Workshop-Schedule.pdf





Newly Scheduled: Researching Your Member(s) of Congress

Wednesday, April 13 at 8:00

Led by Allison Gallaher, Regional Coordinator

Check the Weekly Update next week for more information!

Policy Forums



Thursday, April 14: Global Allies Program – Partners Ending Poverty with RESULTS, 8:30 pm ET. Register today.

Thursday, April 21: U.S. Poverty Monthly Policy Forum, 8:00 pm ET. Register today.

Thursday, April 21: Global Poverty Monthly Policy Forum, 9:00 pm ET. Register today.

Free Agents Webinars & Orientations



Tuesday, April 19: U.S. Poverty Free Agents Webinars, 1:00 pm and 9:00 pm ET. Contact Jos Linn at jlinn@results.org for more information.

Tuesday, April 25: Global Poverty Free Agents Webinar, 7:00 pm ET. Contact Lisa Marchal at lmarchal@results.org for more information.

New Advocate Orientations are on-going! Register for an upcoming orientation at: www.results.org/volunteer.

See all events on the RESULTS Events Calendar: https://results.org/events/.







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