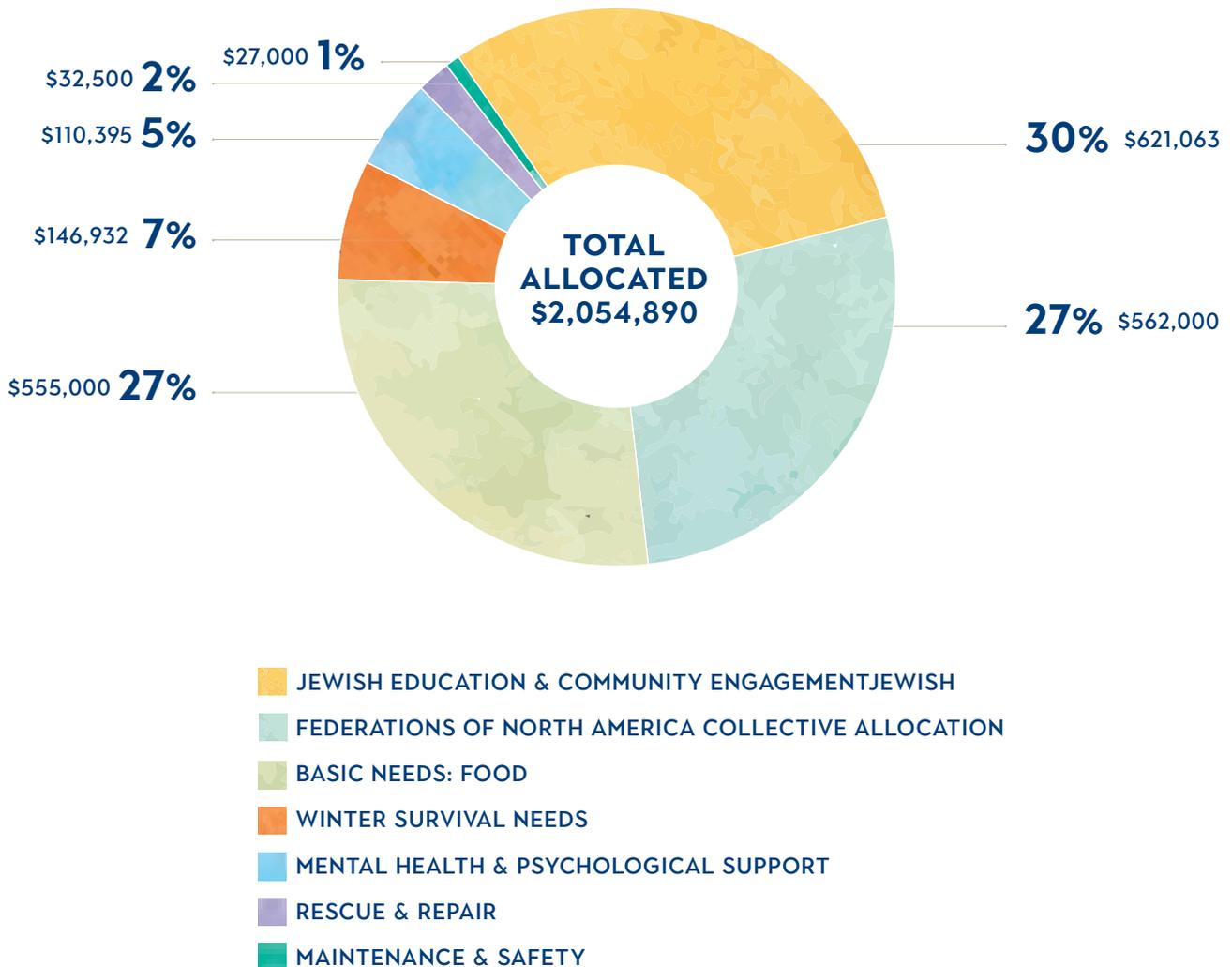


ASSOCIATED UKRAINE EMERGENCY ALLOCATIONS

For more than 30 years, the Baltimore Jewish community, through The Associated, has been in partnership with the Jewish community in Odesa, Ukraine. This long-standing relationship reflects The Associated's deep commitment to global Jewish peoplehood ensuring that, in moments of crisis, we are poised to support and stand in solidarity with our global family.

Since the beginning of the war in Ukraine in 2022, the Baltimore community has responded to the profound devastation that the conflict has had on the Jewish community. Over the last four years, The Associated distributed \$2,054,890 in response to emergent needs on the ground in Odesa and continues to respond to needs as they arise, especially around the harsh winter months.



JEWISH EDUCATION & COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Supports art and music enrichment for youth and teens, connections for young Jewish adults, summer camp scholarships and the distribution of Ukrainian-language books to ensure families have accessible educational and cultural resources.

JEWISH FEDERATIONS OF NORTH AMERICA (JFNA) COLLECTIVE ALLOCATION

Jewish Federations of North America raised and allocated over \$100 million as of February 2026 to ensure that urgent relief reached and continues to reach those in need. Of this total, the Associated contributed \$562,000 to this collective fund. JFNA funding has focused on six areas of support in Ukraine, including humanitarian aid, volunteerism, advocacy, refugee relief and resettlement, aiding Jews in Russia and Belarus and immigration and absorption in Israel.

BASIC NEEDS: FOOD

Kosher food is provided for families and children, while additional support ensures that elderly community members have consistent access to both nutritious meals and essential medicines.

WINTER SURVIVAL NEEDS

Support for Odesa Jewish community members to prepare for the cold winter months, including generators, power banks and warm clothing.

MENTAL HEALTH & PSYCHOLOGICAL SUPPORT

Initiatives include trauma-focused therapy and emotional first aid, resilience camps for teens and family respite seminars.

RESCUE & REPAIR

At the beginning of the war, support enabled volunteer firefighters to form rescue and recovery teams and additional support to treat and manage the wounded, sick and deceased.

MAINTENANCE & SAFETY

Funding provides Wi-Fi in shelters, mold remediation and basic operational support for community centers, all serving as safe locations for community members in Odesa to gather.

Learn more about The Associated's Baltimore-Odesa Partnership here: associated.org/bop

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