

# ARMY EMERGENCY RELIEF

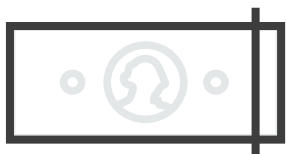


## 2019 Year in Review

### OUR MISSION: ARMY EMERGENCY RELIEF IS PART OF THE ARMY

AER is a nonprofit corporation and in partnership with Installation Management Command it is the U.S. Army's own financial assistance organization. Army Emergency Relief exists solely for helping the Army take care of its own.

**90 cents**  
of every dollar  
donated goes directly  
to programs assisting  
Soldiers & Families



In 2019  
AER provided

**~40K**  
Soldiers and Families  
**\$70M**

in zero interest loans,  
grants, and scholarships

Since 1942  
AER has provided

**4M**  
Soldiers and  
Families  
**\$2B**  
in assistance

including

**\$1B**

since 9/11

**\$5.6M**

Donated by  
**Active Duty and  
Retired Soldiers**  
During AER's  
annual campaign

**59K**

**Soldiers, citizens,  
and businesses**  
donated



The Greenbrier Resort in West Virginia hosted the PGA TOUR event A Military Tribute at The Greenbrier, and raised more than \$50,000 for Army Emergency Relief.

**\$4.5M**

Donated by  
**foundations,  
businesses  
& citizens**  
who want to  
help Soldiers

**\$10M**

to AER in 2019

AAFES is an invaluable partner in spreading the word about AER's programs and benefits. Through the Give and Get Back program, shoppers have raised over \$600,000 for the Army and Air Force relief societies.



DONATE TODAY AT

[Give.ArmyEmergencyRelief.org](http://Give.ArmyEmergencyRelief.org)



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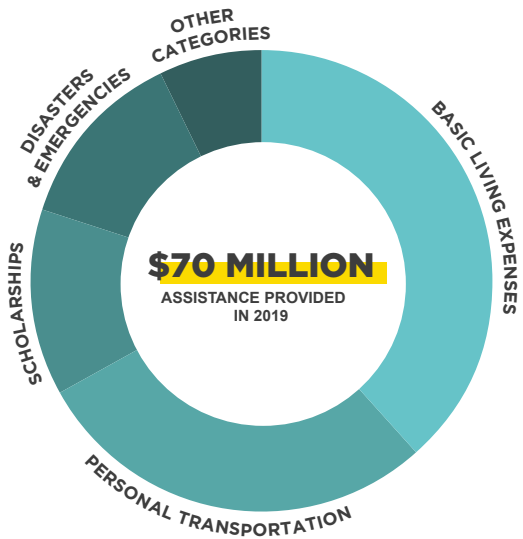


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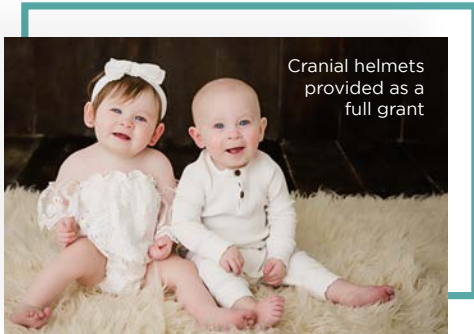
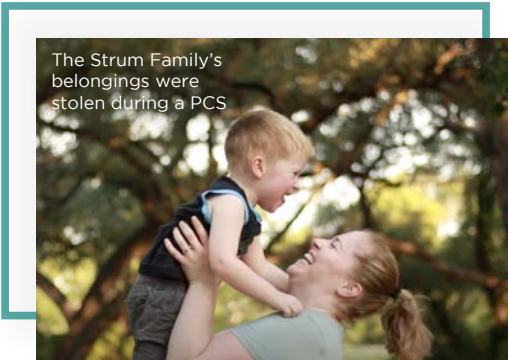
## ASSISTANCE OVERVIEW:



<b>BASIC LIVING EXPENSES</b>	<b>32K</b> Soldiers & Families received <b>\$27M</b> in assistance
<b>DISASTERS &amp; EMERGENCIES</b>	<b>5K</b> Soldiers & Families received <b>\$9M</b> in assistance
<b>EDUCATIONAL SCHOLARSHIPS</b>	<b>4K</b> Soldiers & Families received <b>\$9M</b> in assistance
<b>PERSONAL TRANSPORTATION</b>	<b>21K</b> Soldiers & Families received <b>\$20M</b> in assistance
<b>MEDICAL &amp; DENTAL</b>	<b>32K</b> Soldiers & Families received <b>\$27M</b> in assistance
<b>PERMANENT CHANGE OF STATION</b>	<b>1K</b> Soldiers & Families received <b>\$1M</b> in assistance
<b>OTHER CATEGORIES</b>	<b>2.5K</b> Soldiers & Families received <b>\$2.5M</b> in assistance

## STORIES OF ASSISTANCE

“AER ended up being able to help us with the flight back up to Oklahoma, going back up to get our vehicle, the expense of actually repairing our vehicle... I absolutely don't know what we would have done without AER.”



“Our family was in the first year of rebuilding our savings and I didn't know how we would come up with \$4,000 [for cranial helmets]...but I knew I couldn't leave my children's heads deformed... I don't know what we would have done without AER for this necessary treatment, but our family would have been in a very unwell place financially.”



In 2019, Army Emergency Relief spent 90 cents of every dollar on programs, earning a four-star rating from Charity Navigator, the highest rating possible



AER earned Guidestar's Platinum Seal of Transparency for sharing concise, detailed information about plans and progress with key stakeholders and the public.