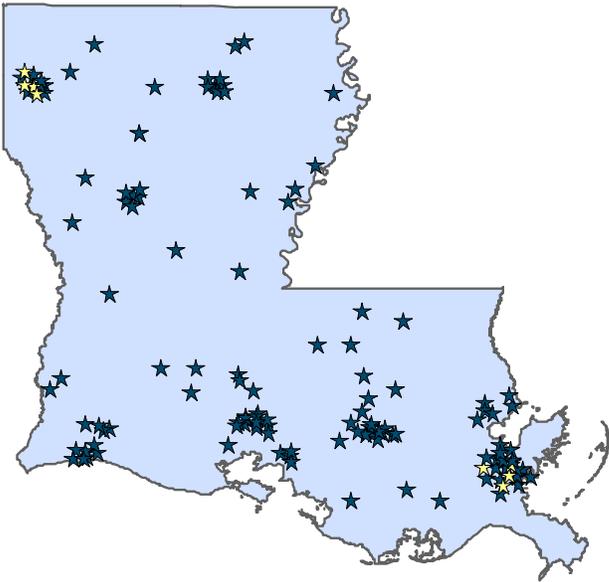


# LOUISIANA

## FAITH-BASED AND COMMUNITY INITIATIVE ACTIVITIES

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### FEDERAL GRANT AWARDS TO LOUISIANA FAITH-BASED AND COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS (2007):

- ★ Over \$196 million through 307 Federal grant awards
- ★ \$165,942,976 to secular nonprofits
- ★ \$30,426,617 to faith-based organizations

### INCLUDED IN FEDERAL GRANTS TO LOUISIANA ARE AWARDS TO FUND PRESIDENTIAL INITIATIVES:

- ★ Compassion Capital Fund (2002-2007): Over \$3.8 million to nonprofits in 12 Louisiana cities.
- ★ Access to Recovery (2007): \$13.4 million over 3 years to Louisiana nonprofits.
- ★ Mentoring Children of Prisoners (2004-2007): \$5.4 million to nonprofits in 4 Louisiana cities.
- ★ Prisoner Reentry Initiative (2005-2007): \$3.8 million to nonprofits in 2 Louisiana cities.

## LOUISIANA HIGHLIGHTS

The state of Louisiana actively partners with community and faith-based organizations through the Governor's Office of Community Programs. In 2008, the White House FBCI Office hosted a Gulf Coast Conference on Disaster Preparedness.

Louisiana nonprofits access training and resources through regular training workshops conducted by Federal Agency FBCI Centers, including the US Department of Housing and Urban Development and US Department of Education.

In 2006, 590,000 Louisiana volunteers dedicated 44.8 million hours of service, according to the Corporation for National and Community Service *Volunteering in America 2007* report.