

Our Outlooks

2025-2026

In 2025-2026, Centraide aim to increase funding in relation with:

- 2SLGBTQIA+ communities (+\$75K)
- Indigenous communities (+\$300K)
- Migrants with precarious status (+\$370K)
- Homelessness and housing (+\$500K).

To assist community agencies working with the homeless population and to enable these agencies to continue their efforts in a context of increased needs, Centraide will manage the Emergency Homelessness Assistance Fund. This aid will help address targeted needs and ensure funding for structuring projects over two years.

It is financial support of \$8.5 million for Quebec from the Secrétariat à l'action communautaire autonome et aux initiatives sociales (SACAIS) as part of Fonds québécois d'initiatives sociales (FQIS) – Ministère de l'Emploi et de la Solidarité sociale. This amount is supplemented by an investment of \$990,000 from Centraide of Greater Montreal to support agencies in its territory.

Over the next three years, Centraide will collaborate with at least 40 neighbourhood roundtables and social development to co-create local action plans targeting food security, housing access, and community engagement.



In 2025–2026, Centraide of Greater Montreal will contribute \$2.5 million to the collective project AMPLIFIER. This \$50 million fund will support the construction of affordable and sustainable housing in Quebec. This initiative reflects Centraide's commitment to taking concrete action in response to the housing crisis.

The project is being carried out in collaboration with the Government of Quebec (\$7.5 million), Desjardins Capital (administrator), and several philanthropic foundations (\$42.5 million).

In 2025-26, \$1.2 million will be invested to support 11 stay away summer camps around the Montreal area, enabling the organization of 99 camp outings in collaboration with 65 community (representing an increase of \$157K compared to 2024–2025), to enable youth and families from Greater Montreal to get out of the city and access nature. Both scientific literature and a recent evaluation conducted by Centraide show the significant benefits of the summer camp strategy on the attitudes, skills, and competencies of those living in the most disadvantaged situations, thereby contributing to a positive impact on their life trajectory.