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## "I have forced myself to contradict myself in order to avoid conforming to my own taste" *Marcel Duchamp*



**UNITED WAY**, established more than 125 years ago, is the world's largest privately-supported nonprofit organization. The worldwide United Way movement advances the common good by focusing on education, income and health – the building blocks for a good quality of life. United Way mobilizes millions to action – to give, advocate and volunteer – to improve conditions in their communities.

#### VISION

United Way envisions a world where all individuals and families achieve their human potential through education, financial stability and healthy lives.

#### MISSION

To improve lives by mobilizing the caring power of communities around the world to advance the common good.

#### UNITED WAY BY THE NUMBERS



USD 5,273 billion raised by the worldwide movement in 2012

United Way has a vision of a fair Australia, built on strong, thriving communities.

We believe that postcode should not determine people's destiny and collaboration is required to develop new solutions to complex issues.

Our purpose is to unite business, government, philanthropy and social purpose organisations in determined action to improve outcomes in education, employment and health for disadvantaged people.



#### We do this by:

- Developing and incubating innovative approaches to tackling complex social issues.
- Delivering community impact through delivering proven initiatives in partnership with others
- Developing long-term funding and investment from those who support us with their skills, networks and resources
- Influencing systems change through sharing what works



#### Macquarie Business Park Initiative















#### Ready to Read



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"Go back and give that part a little more oomph.

Really make me believe!"



Long time ago in a country far away.....

### Business in the community

http://resource.unitedway.com.a u/resourcespace/pages/view.ph p?ref=3610&k=5658aebceb



## Questions

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