The Economic Health of the Nonprofit Sector Depends Upon Maintaining Diverse Sources of Revenue (1)

- Fees for Service Paid by Individuals and Private Entities (i.e. event and admission fees, tuition, patient care charges)
- Government Grants, Contracts and Fees for Service (i.e. Medicare/Medicaid Payments)
- Charitable Giving and Other Private Contributions
- Other Income

Art, Culture and Humanities: 45%

Education: 61%

Environment and Animals: 49%

Healthcare: 56%

Human Services: 48%

Americans Support the Effective and Diverse work of Nonprofits

- 62.8 million American adults volunteer 8.7 billion hours of service in 2014, the equivalent of over 5 million full-time jobs and worth $179.2 billion. (2)

- On an average day, 16.0 million Americans contribute to their communities through nonprofit volunteering. (3)

- Charitable giving was $373.25 billion in 2015, with more than two thirds of taxpayers giving to charitable causes each year. (4)

Sources


(3) Ibid.