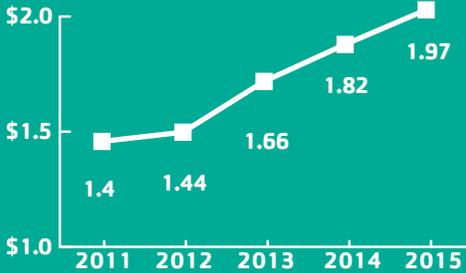


FEE ASSISTANCE

The McGaw YMCA has a long-standing policy that no one is turned away from our Y due to the inability to afford membership fees. Our fee assistance program, however, goes far beyond memberships. We offer scholarships to reduce tuition and fees on youth sports, swim lessons, day and residential camp, child care, fee-based after-school programs, and rental assistance for the Men's Residence program.

FEE ASSISTANCE (IN MILLIONS)

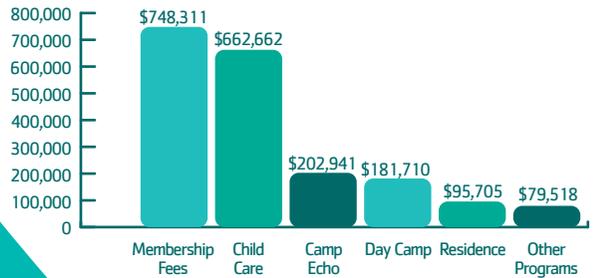


In FY2015 (July 1, 2014 – June 30, 2015), the McGaw YMCA provided \$1.97 million in scholarships, the most the McGaw YMCA has ever given in a single year. In total, 5,383 youth, families, and adults benefitted from scholarships and other fee assistance from the McGaw YMCA.

Membership fees to the McGaw YMCA are based on household income and family size. This helps keep our Health and Wellness facilities accessible to the vast majority of those living and working in Evanston and the surrounding communities. Despite a sliding scale fee structure, the McGaw YMCA remains out of reach for some. To remain true to our commitment of serving our entire community, the McGaw YMCA offers scholarships and reduced program fees for those who qualify.

Scholarships make it possible for kids to learn to swim or participate in an after-school program to get help with homework and learn new skills that broaden their horizons. Scholarships mean a first-ever chance for a child to experience personal growth and new friendships at overnight camp. Tuition assistance helps the very youngest in our community get the head start in life that high-quality, developmentally appropriate child care provides. In any way a scholarship is used, the result is that everyone in our service area has greater access to activities that make the whole community stronger.

FY15 FEE ASSISTANCE DETAILS IN \$:



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