A Good Place To Start: Volunteering!

Top Volunteers: Parents!

Top 5 States Where Parents Volunteer

Parents volunteer at a higher rate than the general population

Altogether, 64.5 million Americans volunteered and Gen Xers and Parents Lead the Way!

Working Mothers Are Key!

Even though they are some of the busiest Americans, nearly 4 in 10 volunteer.

7.9 billion hours spent!

33.7% of parents, live with children <18, and 26.9% of overall parents volunteered in 2011.

The estimated value of volunteer service is nearly $175 billion!

Notes:

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