

CDFI Credit Union Impact

Community Development Financial Institutions (CDFIs) must meet stringent criteria to become certified. CDFI credit unions must:

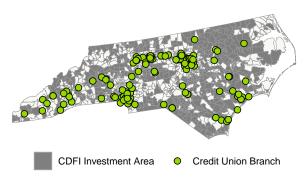
- Direct at least 60% of their lending toward economically distressed people and communities, and
- Build members' capacity to manage credit, increase savings, and increase their financial well-being.

North Carolina's 12 CDFI Credit Unions:

- Have combined assets of \$20.1 billion
- Serve 1,526,955 members through 193 branch locations

North Carolina's CDFI Credit Unions achieve impact through \$16.4 billion in active loans to members, including:

- \$8.5 billion in commnity mortage lending
- \$5.1 billion in local consumer financing
- \$1.4 billion in lending to local businesses
- \$1.4 billion in affordable small-dollar lending



In North Carolina's CDFI Investments Areas:

- 17.2% of residents have incomes below the federal poverty line
- The median family has an annual income of \$55,702