

FINANCIAL SERVICES

UMC Support's Financial Services department goes above what they are mandated to do, and offers extra solutions to Annual Conferences and large Methodist organizations, like financial analysis, providing customized accounting and support when you need it most.



EVALUATE
ACCOUNTING
PROCESSES



IMPLEMENT
IMPROVEMENT
PLANS



STREAMLINE
REPORTING



PREPARE ANNUAL
SPENDING PLANS



BUDGET
GUIDANCE

FINANCIAL ASSESSMENT

- Evaluate accounting processes for strengths and weaknesses
- Provide customized accounting and financial support
- Design and implement improvement plans
- Create confidence in financial processes for management

FINANCIAL ANALYSIS

- Review expenditures, reserves, and assets, with feedback
- Provide guidance to reduce costs and increase revenues
- Improve efficiency and streamline reporting
- Prepare annual spending plans with analytics

**FOR MORE
INFORMATION**

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TESTIMONIAL

“ When I came to UMC Support, I found a place where I could make a difference. When talking about budgets, people can be intimidated. I enjoy bringing my listening skills to the process of budgeting and analysis for the United Methodist Connection. ”

Lynne Eiaw-Neiderland,
Director of Financial Planning &
Analysis, UMC Support

GCFA's Denominational Roles and Responsibilities

Your Apportionment Dollars at Work

According to The Book of Discipline, "General agencies are important to our common vision, mission, and ministry" (¶ 701.2). The General Council on Finance and Administration (GCFA) was created by General Conference to fulfill many duties including:



UMC SUPPORT

Providing Solutions, Sustaining Ministry

UMC Support is GCFA's Ministry Support Services division. We offer high quality, affordable services for your ministry to help you reduce your overhead administrative expenses. Our goal is to help you keep more dollars and resources in your ministry so together we can make disciples of Jesus Christ for the transformation of the world. If your ministry needs administrative services, please contact our Connectional Relations team at ConnectionalRelations@gcfa.org.

- Communications and Marketing
- Copyright Consulting
- Human Resources
- Information Technology
- Travel and Meeting Planning



Coordinating and administering financial resources and policies



Reviewing General Agency annual budgets and performing audits



Submitting a quadrennial budget to General Conference



Safeguarding the legal interests and rights of The United Methodist Church



Maintaining a group tax exemption for United Methodist entities



Providing administrative resources to enable the fulfillment of the Church's mission



Gathering and maintaining data and statistics relevant to the denomination



Supporting the Episcopacy through administrative support



Providing an insurance program to service the needs of the Church.

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