

QBE cares about the community

Empowering people to live more independently and productively.

At QBE, our internal culture of accountability, diversity, inclusion and philanthropy sets the stage for our external commitment to creating a brighter, more sustainable world. The QBE Foundation is one component that reflects our company's focus, involvement and investment in the neighborhoods where we do business, and where our employees live and work.

Focus on sustainable development goals



The goals of the QBE Foundation align the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals and tie directly into QBE's purpose and strategic business priorities. Our grant-giving program is focused on reducing inequalities, helping local communities build resilience, and fighting climate change.



Doing our part


This year, the QBE Foundation is proud to continue supporting Feeding America, the nation's largest domestic hunger-relief organization to make an even deeper philanthropic impact.




In addition, we named six large grant partners, which reach a diverse mix of organizations: [The American Red Cross](#), [Equal Justice Initiative](#), [Future Farmers of America](#), [ImpactAssets](#) allocated to [Iroquois Valley Farmland REIT](#), [Tech Goes Home](#), and [Wounded Warrior Project](#).



Encouraging resilient communities

 The QBE Foundation is proud to be partnering with Leading Cities to present the QBE and AcceliCITY Resilience Challenge, a global competition rewarding entrepreneurs for leveraging technology to make city ecosystems more sustainable. Our unique collaboration identifies, funds and accelerates the growth of innovative start-ups that help cities mitigate physical, economic and social risks, in order to build thriving, resilient communities.

Employee participation

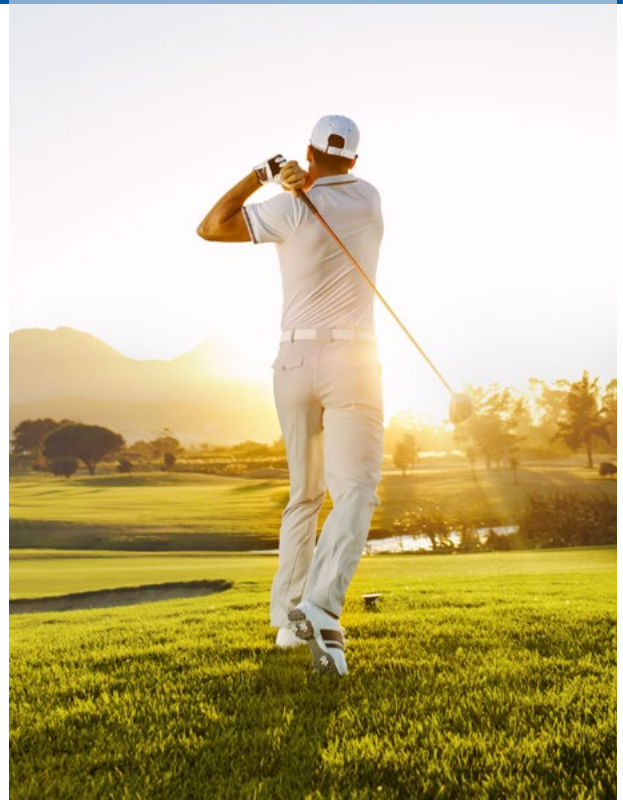
 The QBE Foundation relies heavily on QBE employees, who participate with colleagues and community partners to make a difference for those in need. To encourage participation, we offer several ways for our employees to get involved:

- Volunteer days, which provides one paid day of volunteer leave for every employee every year
- Matching employee donations to eligible charities of their choice
- Employee fundraisers are matched by the foundation

The QBE Shootout

Giving back to our communities is a cornerstone of our business and, in addition to The QBE Foundation, the QBE Shootout is another way QBE gives back. Thanks to the generosity, dedication and hard work of our corporate partners, employees, volunteers, staff and fans, over the years, the QBE Shootout has raised more than \$14 million for a variety of worthy charities.

The QBE Shootout's primary charitable beneficiaries are CureSearch for Children's Cancer and the Wounded Warrior Project (WWP). CureSearch is a national non-profit accelerating the search to cure children's cancer by driving innovation, transcending research barriers and solving the field's most challenging problems. For over 30 years, their primary focus has been the 43 children diagnosed with cancer each day. WWP is a charity dedicated to serving veterans and service members who suffer from physical injuries and mental illness resulting from their service to our country. WWP's focus is to empower those who served on or after September 11, 2001 to return to fulfilling, quality lives following their service.



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