

2020 Grant Awards

COVID-19 Rapid Response Grants

African Family Health Organization

\$20,000 to support health access and navigation services, translation and interpretation of COVID-19 information, and emergency assistance for African and Caribbean community members.

Bread & Roses Community Fund

\$56,000 to support the Solidarity Fund for COVID-19 Organizing to be re-granted to local community groups working to promote racial, social, and economic justice in response to the pandemic.

Broad Street Ministry (fiscal agent for Step Up to the Plate)

\$150,000 to support collaboration between Broad Street Ministry, Prevention Point Philadelphia, Project HOME, SEAMAAC, and the City of Philadelphia to provide meals and supportive services to individuals experiencing homelessness and/or housing and food insecurity.

Cambodian Association of Greater Philadelphia

\$20,000 to support COVID-19 response capacity and family support and case management services for Cambodian community members.

HUNE (Hispanos Unidos para Niños Excepcionales)

\$28,000 to support family advocacy and case management services for families of children and youth with differentiating abilities and to enhance office cleaning to ensure safe provision of in-person services.

La Puerta Abierta

\$45,000 to support delivery of behavioral health services, emergency financial assistance, and rental relief for Latin(x) community members.

Nationalities Service Center

\$20,000 to support emergency assistance to immigrant and refugee community members and to provide quality care and services that promote health and well-being.

Philadelphia Foundation (fiscal agent for PHL COVID-19 Fund)

\$50,000 re-granted to local nonprofit organizations serving community members affected by the health and economic impacts of COVID-19.

Philadelphia Freedom Valley YMCA (fiscal agent for PlayStreets Program)

\$10,000 to support the Philadelphia Department of Parks and Recreation's PlayStreets program to provide play and learning activities and summer meal distribution for children and youth.

Prevention Point Philadelphia

\$50,000 to support care and services for community members with substance use disorder and/or co-occurring mental health diagnoses and individuals who are homeless, medically fragile, and/or food insecure.

SEAMAAC

\$45,000 to support health and social services programming for immigrant and refugee community members and COVID-19 hunger relief activities in South Philadelphia.

The Village of Arts and Humanities

\$45,000 to support Village Industries, a youth development program that combines art and social justice with social-enterprise to promote preparation for employment and higher education.

Urban Affairs Coalition (fiscal agent for **Stop the Spread of COVID-19**)

\$10,000 to support the purchase and distribution of reusable masks for children and seniors in Philadelphia in partnership with Project HOME.

Strategic Initiative Grants

Early Childhood

Attachment Biobehavioral Catch-Up (ABC) Lab at University of Delaware

\$660,300 (36-month grant; \$200,000 awarded in 2020) in support of the ABC Lab's partnership with the Philadelphia Department of Behavioral Health and Intellectual disAbility Services to expand delivery of the evidence-based ABC program in the Philadelphia Infant Toddler Early Intervention system. ABC promotes early childhood development by supporting parents and caregivers to foster responsive and nurturing relationships with their infants and toddlers.

Kids Smiles (KS)

\$25,000 (12-month grant) in support of the Education and Outreach Program's work to improve the oral health literacy of underserved families and to reduce the incidence of childhood dental disease, including by empowering parents and caregivers with the knowledge, skills, and resources to begin an oral health routine for their infants and toddlers. KS will develop a digital toolkit to facilitate virtual education and outreach.

Pennsylvania Partnerships for Children (PPC)

\$75,000 (18-month grant) in general operating support for PPC's advocacy to improve the health, education, and well-being of children and youth. PPC's early childhood priorities include promoting access to health insurance coverage and care to assure healthy development, expanding state-funded evidence-based home visiting services to meet the comprehensive needs of infants and young children at higher risk, and increasing access to quality child care and pre-kindergarten so that every child enters school ready to learn.

PolicyLab at Children's Hospital of Philadelphia

\$4,500 (3-month grant) in support of stakeholder engagement to identify opportunities for interagency collaboration between the Philadelphia early intervention and behavioral health systems to promote early childhood social-emotional development.

Immigrants and Refugees

African Family Health Organization (AFAHO)

\$55,000 (12-month grant) in general operating support for AFAHO's work to provide culturally and linguistically sensitive health, human, and educational services to African and Caribbean immigrants and refugees. AFAHO utilizes a peer support model to strengthen community health culture and facilitate social integration.

\$20,000 (6-month extension grant) in support of AFAHO's development of an integrated Sexual and Reproductive Health Program, with a focus on building data systems and knowledge management capacity.

Justice at Work (JaW)

\$60,000 (12-month grant) in general operating support for JaW's work to support low-wage migrant and immigrant workers as they pursue economic and social justice. JaW provides client-centered, linguistically, and culturally competent legal services, community education, and advocacy to promote healthy, safe working conditions and to address employment as a critical social determinant of health.

La Puerta Abierta (LPA)

\$50,000 (12-month grant) in general operating support for LPA's work to provide pro bono comprehensive, trauma-informed mental health services – including individual, family, and group therapy – to the Latin(x) immigrant and refugee community. LPA serves those who are unable to access mental health services elsewhere due to economic, legal, and social barriers and builds provider and systems capacity to promote more accessible, culturally informed care.

Nationalities Service Center (NSC)

\$75,000 (12-month grant) in general operating support for NSC's work to welcome and empower immigrants and refugees to achieve a life of safety and stability, sustainable opportunities, and meaningful community connections. NSC provides immigrants and refugees with comprehensive client-centered services that promote their health and well-being, including through case management, connection to care, safety and survivor services, legal consultation, and workforce development.

SEAMAAC

\$50,000 (12-month grant) in general operating support for SEAMAAC's work to support and serve immigrants and refugees and other politically, socially, and economically marginalized communities, as they seek to advance the condition of their lives in the United States. SEAMAAC provides linguistically- and culturally-appropriate services and support, with a focus on health access and navigation, case management, hunger relief, community development, and education.

Community Voice and Leadership

Pennsylvania Health Access Network (PHAN)

\$75,000 (12-month grant) in general operating support for PHAN's work to expand and protect access to quality, equitable, affordable health care. PHAN blends coalition building and policy advocacy with community health organizing to support and empower consumers to get the treatment they need and to become advocates for health equity.

\$24,300 (9-month grant) in support of building knowledge management capacity through design and implementation of an integrated data system.

Special Project on Medical-Legal Partnerships

Community Legal Services (CLS)

\$85,000 (12-month grant) in support of the Medical-Legal Partnership (MLP) Program at Rising Sun Health Center and the Karabots Pediatric Center of Children's Hospital of Philadelphia. The MLP Program provides health center patients with access to legal services to address health-harming legal needs and applies learning from casework to policy and systems change efforts.

Philadelphia Legal Assistance (PLA)

\$60,000 (12-month grant) in support of the Medical-Legal-Community Partnership at Philadelphia Department of Public Health Centers and Federally Qualified Health Center partners including Delaware Valley Community Health. The MLCP addresses the socio-legal needs of health center patients, improving outcomes for individuals and families that face barriers to accessing care and services in collaboration with health care team members.