



## 2017 Grant Awards

**African Cultural Alliance of North America** - \$40,000 in support of the Healthy African Women Program, which provides culturally-sensitive and language-appropriate health education and disease prevention services to African and Caribbean women in Philadelphia. Programming includes providing peer-facilitated workshops in partnership with diverse medical and social services providers and connecting participants with follow-up care and services. To learn more, [click here](#).

**Brandywine Health Foundation** - \$15,000 to complete implementation of the Youth Mental Health First Aid (YMHFA) pilot and evaluation in the Coatesville Area School District. The YMHFA program is in its final year of a four-year national initiative to provide teachers, other school district personnel, and the community with the knowledge needed to effectively identify and intervene when youth present with behavioral health symptoms. To learn more, [click here](#).

**Broad Street Ministry** - \$40,000 in support of the Hospitality Collaborative, which provides seven weekly meals to adults facing extreme poverty and homelessness, while connecting guests to on-site partners that offer essential medical and social services. Broad Street Ministry is expanding its services to include a Prison to Workforce Collaborative pilot (PWC), incorporating specialized re-entry case management services. To learn more, [click here](#).

**Cambodian Association of Greater Philadelphia** - \$35,000 in support of the Community Health Initiative, which strives to provide Cambodian-Americans of all ages with the information and tools they need for better health. Programming includes distributing health information, conducting screenings, enrolling individuals and families in insurance and other benefits, and providing personalized case management and navigation assistance. To learn more, [click here](#).

**Center for Advocacy for the Rights and Interests of the Elderly (CARIE)** - \$50,000 in support of the CARIE LINE, an education, consultation, and advocacy service for older adults. In 2018, CARIE LINE staff will provide critical outreach, education, and advocacy to assist participants and providers in understanding and navigating Pennsylvania's shift to mandatory managed care for long-term services and supports through Community HealthChoices. To learn more, [click here](#).

**Center in the Park** - \$30,000 in general operating support for the Center's work to promote positive aging and foster community connections for older adults in Northwest Philadelphia. The Center offers over 100 programs and services annually, with a focus on health promotion, civic engagement, intergenerational connections, Aging Mastery, social services, energy assistance, housing counseling, and long-term care ombudsman services. To learn more, [click here](#).

**Community Legal Services** - \$60,000 in support of the Medical-Legal Partnership (MLP) at the Rising Sun Health Center in the Olney section of North Philadelphia. The MLP provides patients with on-site access to a lawyer to address health-harming legal issues, while informing the organization's advocacy efforts to protect the health and well-being of low-income people. To learn more, [click here](#).

**Friends of Farmworkers** - \$60,000 in support of the Medical-Legal Partnership at Puentes de Salud, which provides Latino immigrants and migrant families with culturally- and linguistically- specific assistance to resolve legal issues impacting their health and quality of life. The interdisciplinary collaboration includes delivery of joint education and

outreach programming to ensure community members know their rights. To learn more, [click here](#).

**Kids Smiles** - \$40,000 in support of early childhood education and outreach to expand young children's access to oral health services and increase parents' and caregivers' knowledge about oral health. Programming includes the Early Childhood Caries Prevention Project, a three-year national initiative that aims to reduce the incidence of caries (the presence of one or more decayed, missing, or filled tooth surfaces in a primary tooth) in children by age five through partnerships between oral health providers and Early Head Start/Head Start sites. To learn more, [click here](#).

**Legal Clinic for the Disabled** - \$70,000 in support of expanding the Medical-Legal Partnership (MLP) at St. Christopher's Hospital for Children to the newborn clinic and neonatal intensive care unit (NICU) step-down clinic, in addition to cross-site capacity building assistance across the organization's other MLPs. The MLP expansion at St. Christopher's Hospital for Children aims to identify and address health-harming legal issues at a child's infancy to reduce the compounding effects of unmet needs. To learn more, [click here](#).

**Lutheran Settlement House** - \$40,000 in support of the Bilingual Domestic Violence Program's STOP IPV Program (formerly the Medical Advocacy Program) at the Children's Hospital of Philadelphia. The STOP IPV Program addresses intimate partner violence (IPV) by placing IPV Specialists in area hospitals to train hospital staff to identify and screen for IPV, advocate for improved IPV policies and protocols, and provide onsite counseling for adults who screen positive for IPV. To learn more, [click here](#).

**Maternity Care Coalition of Greater Philadelphia** - \$30,000 in support of the Early Learning Initiative to promote optimal child development with a comprehensive focus on strengthening language, cognition, and social-emotional function and supporting parent-child interactions. An assessment of the organization's current home visiting programs and Cribs for Kids program will inform the selection of an effective curriculum and evaluation tools. To learn more, [click here](#).

**Nationalities Service Center** - \$50,000 in general operating support to respond to a reduction in public funding and support for refugees and immigrants and maintain the provision of high-quality care and services. Nationalities Service Center provides care and services to more than 5,000 refugees and immigrants each year, from promoting health care access to addressing critical social determinants of health including legal consultation and workforce development. To learn more, [click here](#).

**Pennsylvania Health Access Network** - \$65,000 in support of dedicated consumer engagement and communications capacity to make the health care system more affordable and accessible. Pennsylvania Health Access Network (PHAN) trains, educates, and mobilizes community members, advocates, and organizations on a variety of critical health policy and equity issues, including expanding access to and improving the quality of health care and coverage options. To learn more, [click here](#).

**Philadelphia Legal Assistance** - \$60,000 in support of the Medical-Legal-Community Partnership (MLCP) at Philadelphia's Department of Public Health (PDHP) Health Centers #3 and #4, in addition to exploration of potential expansion opportunities. The MLCP aims to improve patients' lives by addressing health-harming legal needs and by enhancing the PDHP's capacity to improve patient and community health. To learn more, [click here](#).

**Public Citizens for Children and Youth** - \$65,000 grant in support of policy development and programming to promote the health and development of children. Initiatives include the Philadelphia Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention Coalition to advocate for stronger municipal lead policies, the Dream Care Campaign to advocate that every child in Pennsylvania have the ability to enroll in public health insurance, and Give Kids Sight Day to provide children in Philadelphia with access to vision care. To learn more, [click here](#).

**Supportive Older Women's Network** - \$40,000 in support of the Grandfamily Resource Center (GFRC) which provides a network of support for grandparents raising grandchildren in Philadelphia. The GFRC includes an integrated care model that provides grandparents raising grandchildren with behavioral health services in primary care settings in partnership with the 11th Street Family Health Center, Abbottsford Falls Family Practice, and the Health Annex West. To learn more, [click here](#).

**Why Not Prosper** - \$30,000 in support of the On Track program for women incarcerated or in transition to the community, in addition to organizational capacity building assistance. Why Not Prosper provides clients with pre-release mentoring and post-release transitional housing and community-based support services. To learn more, [click here](#).

**Women's Community Revitalization Project** - \$40,000 in support of the Tenant Services Program, which supports low-income women and their families living in the organization's affordable rental developments. Services include case management, crisis intervention, linkage and referral to relevant services, and job readiness support. To learn more, [click here](#).

**Women's Medical Fund** - \$40,000 in general operating support to protect and expand access to abortion through direct service, advocacy, and education. Programming includes the Help Line, which provides telephone counseling, case work, emergency financial assistance, and provider linkage to women and girls who seek access to an abortion. To learn more, [click here](#).