

Medica Foundation 2018 Grant Recipients

Minnesota

Behavioral Health

HealthFinders Collaborative, Inc.	Northfield	Develop and enhance capacity to provide high quality, culturally relevant mental health programming that improves mental health care access and outcomes for underserved populations in Rice County.	\$40,000
Miller-Dwan Foundation	Duluth	Create a multidisciplinary partnership with Essentia Health that will develop and provide ongoing behavioral health and healthcare management training in partnership with group homes.	\$30,000
Minnesota Community Healthcare Network	Wayzata	Pilot the delivery of mental health triage and interim care coordination services at the Hennepin County Behavioral Health Care Center.	\$50,000
MoveFwd, Inc.	Hopkins	Expand service capacity to be a provider at a new mental health after school clinic in the Hopkins school district.	\$50,000
Native American Community Clinic	Minneapolis	Integrate a behavioral health focused Community Health Worker within a Federally Qualified Healthcare Center for Native American adults, children and families.	\$50,000

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University of Minnesota Foundation	Minneapolis	Integrate behavioral health services (including mental health consultation, services, and provider training) within a primary care clinic serving children 0-12 from primarily low-income, minority, and refugee backgrounds.	\$50,000
Early Childhood Health			
A Chance To Grow	Minneapolis	Expand the number of Strong Beginnings early childhood centers delivering critical vision screening, eye exams and glasses by 50%.	\$25,000
Children's Dental Services	Minneapolis	Reduce health disparities among Duluth regional Native American children through the integration of dental, medical and community services.	\$25,000
Churches United in Ministry	Duluth	Develop children's literacy and parenting skills through Family Literacy Nights and through hosting a University of Minnesota - Duluth honors course in which students learn how relationships and environments impact early brain development and long-term health and well-being.	\$25,000
Division of Indian Work	Minneapolis	Provide education and supportive services to low-income, high-risk American Indian women ages 16 and older in the Women of Traditional Birthing (WTB) Aftercare Project after they've given birth and exited the WTB program.	\$25,000

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Jeremiah Program	Minneapolis	Purchase and roll-out a new evaluation-focused early childhood curriculum for child development centers in Minneapolis and St. Paul, and develop a parent education program.	\$25,000
Lifetrack Resources	St. Paul	Enhance home visiting program providing services to families involved with Ramsey County Child Protection Services by moving to an evidence-based model and increasing organizational capacity.	\$25,000
Northern Dental Access Center	Bemidji	Add a satellite access clinic to an underserved region in the state to provide low income children with access to dental care in Norman, Mahnomon, Pennington, Polk and Red Lake counties.	\$25,000
Reach-Up Inc.	St. Cloud	Train staff in the Growing Great Kids (Pre-K) Curriculum, sharing the knowledge and skills learned with parents/caregivers and preschool-aged children in a home-based learning environment.	\$20,295
Solid Ground	White Bear Lake	Provide support to formerly homeless children and parents in Solid Ground's HomeAgain, HomeSafe and HomeFront supportive housing programs through a new, full-time Children's Services Specialist position.	\$25,000

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Southside Family Nurturing Center	Minneapolis	Use the two-generation Family Spirit® Home Visiting program along with therapeutic early childhood intervention to improve the health outcomes of Native American families affected by historical trauma and intergenerational poverty.	\$25,000
Urban Ventures Leadership Foundation	Minneapolis	Use prenatal class curriculum to holistically equip new mothers at any stage of pregnancy to manage issues of medical care, nutrition, finances, newborn care, and postpartum depression.	\$25,000
Way to Grow	Minneapolis	Build on the success of new parent child wellness groups in South Minneapolis by establishing additional new groups in Brooklyn Park.	\$25,000
General Health Improvement			
Alzheimer's Association Minnesota - North Dakota	Minneapolis	2019 Purple Gala.	\$5,000
American Cancer Society	Eagan	2018 Making Strides Against Breast Cancer.	\$5,000
American Heart Association	Minneapolis	2019 Twin Cities Go Red for Women.	\$7,500
American Indian Community Development Corporation	Minneapolis	Kola Medical Outreach Program.	\$5,000
American Red Cross	Minneapolis	2019 Heroes Awards.	\$10,000

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Arthritis Foundation	St Paul	2018 Twin Cities Jingle Bell Run.	\$5,000
Better Futures Minnesota	Minneapolis	Health Care Supports Initiative.	\$3,500
Bridging, Inc.	Bloomington	Furnish homes for community members who are transitioning out of homelessness and poverty.	\$2,500
Centre for Asian and Pacific Islanders (CAPI)	Brooklyn Center	Fresh produce distribution program.	\$5,000
Community Health Charities Minnesota	Minneapolis	2018 Medica Employee Giving Campaign.	\$37,500
FamilyWise Services	Minneapolis	2018 Fall Fundraiser.	\$1,000
Greater Twin Cities United Way	Minneapolis	2018 Medica Employee Giving Campaign.	\$37,500
Guild Incorporated	St. Paul	2018 Guild Ladder of Hope.	\$2,000
Hennepin Health Foundation	Minneapolis	Teen HOPE and Pathways Shelter Prevention Project.	\$5,000
Interfaith Outreach & Community Partners	Plymouth	Remove barriers to mental health care access to improve the health of children and their families.	\$2,500
Isanti County Public Health Services	Cambridge	Provide dental services for low-income families.	\$3,000
JustUs Health	St. Paul	2018 Opportunity Conference: Advancing LGBTQ Health.	\$10,000
March of Dimes	Edina	2019 March for Babies and Signature Chefs Auction.	\$25,000

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Marnita's Table, Inc.	Minneapolis	2019 Start the Conversation Fundraiser "Greed Justice and Generosity".	\$2,500
Mental Health Resources, Inc.	St. Paul	Community Collaborative to Help Combat the Opioid Epidemic.	\$5,000
Minnesota Public Health Association	Minneapolis	2018-19 "Public Health Matters" Policy Forum Series and 2019 Annual Conference.	\$2,500
National Alliance on Mental Illness - Minnesota	St. Paul	2018 NAMI Walks.	\$5,000
National Alliance on Mental Illness - Minnesota East Metro Crisis Alliance	St. Paul	Support for Substance Use Crisis Stabilization Team.	\$5,000
North Shore Health Care Foundation	Grand Marais	Oral Health Task Force.	\$3,000
Open Arms of Minnesota	Minneapolis	Support for meal preparation and delivery program.	\$5,000
Ostara Initiative	Minneapolis	Support launch into independent nonprofit.	\$3,000
Parent Advocacy Coalition for Educational Rights (PACER)	Minneapolis	PACER's 36th Annual Benefit.	\$5,000
Propel Nonprofits	Minneapolis	Support the launch of Board Connector, a service that connects interested volunteers with nonprofit board openings.	\$8,000
Reach for Resources, Inc.	Minnetonka	Wellness bags to enhance home visiting program with hands-on tools for staff and parents.	\$4,400
Senior Community Services	Minnetonka	Preventive health and access to healthcare for older adults.	\$5,000

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SoleCare for Souls	Plymouth	Foot care services for people experiencing homelessness.	\$3,000
The Arc of Minnesota	St. Paul	Updating The Arc's online health care resources.	\$3,000
The Loppet Foundation	Minneapolis	Junior Loppet middle school program.	\$4,000
Volunteers Enlisted to Assist People	Bloomington	VEAP Food Program.	\$2,500
West Central Initiative	Fergus Falls	Support for the Early Childhood Dental Network.	\$3,000
YMCA of the Greater Twin Cities	Minneapolis	2018 Gathering event for seniors.	\$5,000
YouthLink	Minneapolis	Dignity Health Project.	\$1,500
Youthprise	Minneapolis	Holistic youth development programming, focused on learning and leadership, economic opportunity and health and safety.	\$2,600

Rural Health

Advocates Against Domestic Abuse dba HOPE (Healing Opportunity Provided Equally)	Aitkin	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
African Women's Center	St.Cloud	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Age Well Arrowhead Inc.	Duluth	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Anna Marie's Alliance	St. Cloud	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000

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C.A.R.E. Clinic	Red Wing	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Care Partners of Cook County	Grand Marais	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Child Care Resource & Referral	Rochester	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Churches United For The Homeless	Moorhead	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Community Health Service, Inc.	Moorhead	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Damiano of Duluth, Inc.	Duluth	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Elder Network	Rochester	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Empowering Kids Perham	Perham	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Evergreen Youth & Family Services, Inc.	Bemidji	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Faith in Action in Greater Sherburne County	Becker	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Feeding Our Communities Partners	Mankato	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Free Clinic of Steele County	Owatonna	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Granite Falls Living at Home/Block Nurse Program	Granite Falls	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Grove City Area Care LAH Program	Grove City	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000

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Helping Hands Outreach	Holdingford	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Hispanic Outreach Program of Goodhue County	Red Wing	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
HOPE Coalition	Red Wing	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Hubbard County Developmental Achievement Center, Inc.	Park Rapids	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Lakes Area Interfaith Caregivers	Baxter	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
LifeCare Medical Center	Roseau	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Light the Legacy	St. Cloud	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Lincoln Park Children and Families Collaborative	Duluth	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota	St. Paul	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
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Men As Peacemakers	Duluth	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
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Monticello Christian Social Services, Inc.	Monticello	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Northland Foundation	Duluth	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000

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Northwoods Care Partners	Ely	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Our Lady of Guadalupe Free Clinic	Worthington	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Priceless4Purpose-The Steve Bartlett Cancer Nonprofit Org.	Pequot Lakes	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Program for Aid to Victims of Sexual Assault	Duluth	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Project Care Free Clinic	Hibbing	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Terebinth Refuge	Waite Park	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
The Owatonna Healthy Seniors Program	Owatonna	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Two Harbors Area Food Shelf	Two Harbors	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
VINE Faith in Action	Mankato	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Violence Intervention Project, Inc.	Thief River Falls	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Well Being Development	Ely	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Women's Health Center of Duluth, PA	Duluth	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000

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Strategic Grant

Volunteers of America of Minnesota	Minneapolis	Pilot an innovative aftercare model to support youth transitioning back to community following long-term inpatient dual-diagnosis treatment services at Omegon Residential Treatment Center.	\$200,000
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Total Grantmaking in Minnesota \$1,235,295

Nebraska

Community Grants

American Heart Association	Omaha	2019 Heart and Stroke Ball.	\$5,000
Creighton University / Magis Clinic	Omaha	Expand vaccination program and support ongoing need for pharmaceutical supplies.	\$20,000
Visiting Nurse Association of the Midlands	Omaha	Expand telehealth program for older adults in the greater Omaha Metro area, including those who have limited resources and are in-need of home care due to illness, injury or long-term health condition.	\$50,000

Total Grantmaking in Nebraska \$75,000

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Behavioral Health

Valley Community Health Centers	Grand Forks	Develop integrated addiction treatment services within a primary care setting.	\$50,000
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Benedictine Living Communities	Ellendale	Support for health-related programming.	\$2,000
Benson County Transportation	Maddock	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Greater Grand Forks Senior Citizens Association Inc.	Grand Forks	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Lake Region District Health Unit	Devils Lake	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
ShareHouse, Inc.	Fargo	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
St. Alexius Medical	Bismarck	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Third Street Clinic	Grand Forks	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Valley Health	Grand Forks	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000

	Total Grantmaking in North Dakota	\$87,000
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South Dakota

Behavioral Health

Lutheran Social Services of South Dakota	Sioux Falls	Increase access to substance abuse treatment in rural South Dakota through telehealth group treatment.	\$26,095
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Rural Health

Boys and Girls Clubs of the Sioux Empire	Sioux Falls	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Yankton County Parents as Teachers	Yankton	Support for health-related programming.	\$3,000

Total Grantmaking in South Dakota \$34,095

Wisconsin

Rural Health

BOYS & GIRLS CLUB OF THE GREATER CHIPPEWA VALLEY INC	Eau Claire	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Family Resource Center St. Croix Valley, Inc.	Baldwin	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Free Clinic of Pierce and St. Croix Counties	River Falls	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Mental Health Task Force of Polk County	St Croix Falls	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000

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Our Neighbors' Place	River Falls	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
Pierce County Public Health Department	Ellsworth	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000
The BRICK Ministries, Inc.	Ashland	Support for health-related programming.	\$5,000

Total Grantmaking in Wisconsin \$35,000

Total 2018 Grantmaking - 123 Grants Totaling \$1,466,390