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Behavioral Health	Grant Amount
<p>Center for Victims of Torture Minneapolis, Minn. Pilot a new treatment model that adds mental health and targeted case management services to the medical care offered at a primary care clinic.</p>	\$50,000.00
<p>Comunidades Latinas Unidas En Servicio St. Paul, Minn. Expand its domestic violence program to support children who have witnessed domestic violence. CLUES will offer assessments, support groups and individual mental health counseling for these children.</p>	\$50,000.00
<p>HealthEast Foundation St. Paul, Minn. Provide the Mindfulness-Based Recovery Maintenance program for cohorts of people who have completed treatment.</p>	\$50,000.00
<p>Hennepin County Minneapolis, Minn. Expand the Hennepin County Diversion and Recovery Team staff with the addition of a certified dual-diagnosed peer specialist.</p>	\$50,000.00
<p>National Alliance for the Mentally Ill – Minnesota St. Paul, Minn. Educate mental health and health care providers, people living with mental illnesses and their families on effective ways to help people with mental illnesses to quit smoking.</p>	\$50,000.00

<p>Northeast Youth & Family Services Shoreview, Minn. Provide a year round out-of-school day treatment program with milieu therapy and youth development programming for youth with a mental illness, as well as therapy and education for their families.</p>	\$50,000.00
<p>St. Stephen's Human Services, Inc. Minneapolis, Minn. Expand the Housing and Healthcare Access project to provide chronically homeless people with supportive housing and behavioral health care services to reduce homelessness, appropriately use healthcare resources and improve overall health status.</p>	\$50,000.00
<p>The Family Partnership Minneapolis, Minn. Pilot Narrative Exposure Therapy for individuals from impacted culturally diverse communities with Post-traumatic Stress Disorder. Project will measure change in clients' symptoms and evaluate increase in clinician competence.</p>	\$50,000.00
Total Behavioral Health Grants	\$400,00.00

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Early Childhood Health	Grant Amount
<p>A Chance to Grow Minneapolis, Minn. Implement a model developed with Head Start centers in Minneapolis, Ramsey and Anoka-Washington Counties to provide eye exams, glasses and vision care on-site.</p>	<p>\$20,000.00</p>
<p>Amherst H. Wilder Foundation St. Paul, Minn. Deliver the evidence-based Incredible Years program, proven to strengthen parent-child relationships and build children's social/emotional development, using culturally-adapted parent education curriculum for Hmong and African American early childhood-age children and their families living in the Saint Paul Promise Neighborhood.</p>	<p>\$30,000.00</p>
<p>Ascension Place Minneapolis, Minn. Improve the growth and development of children age 12 and under at St. Anne's by providing parenting and children's health coaching tailored to the needs of individual families.</p>	<p>\$5,000.00</p>
<p>Community Dental Care St. Paul, Minn. Expand the Program to Improve Community Oral Health to schools in the metropolitan area, as well as Rochester, Minnesota. This program provides in-clinic prevention and education services for children and pregnant mothers, school-based prevention and education services, and community outreach.</p>	<p>\$30,000.00</p>
<p>CornerHouse Interagency Child Abuse Evaluation and Training Center Minneapolis, Minn. Expand the Family Services Program to address the negative outcomes of child sexual abuse victims and their families through a home visiting program.</p>	<p>\$30,000.00</p>
<p>FamilyWise Services Minneapolis, Minn. Expand adult parenting education, specifically the Parent Support Outreach Program, into Anoka and Washington County.</p>	<p>\$30,000.00</p>

<p>Greater Minneapolis Crisis Nursery</p> <p>Minneapolis, Minn.</p> <p>Expand the Nursery Way program, in partnership with Women’s Advocates, to help children and families in crisis respond to emotions and stress levels.</p>	<p>\$30,000.00</p>
<p>Just Kids Dental Incorporated</p> <p>Two Harbors, Minn.</p> <p>To provide community and school-based preventive dental services and oral health and nutrition education to children ages 5-12 at 35 school and community sites where high-risk children are located.</p>	<p>\$27,000.00</p>
<p>Simpson Housing Services</p> <p>Minneapolis, Minn.</p> <p>Expand early childhood programming for homeless families headed by adolescent parents. Staff will work one-on-one with families to encourage healthy development and positive relationships.</p>	<p>\$27,132.00</p>
<p>West Central Initiative</p> <p>Fergus Falls, Minn.</p> <p>Provide training and equip participants with the tools they need to expand the evidence-based home visiting curriculum in West Central Minnesota communities.</p>	<p>\$30,000.00</p>
<p>West Side Community Health Services</p> <p>St. Paul, Minn.</p> <p>Expand the Bright Smiles program, which provides culturally competent discounted preventative and restorative dental care to uninsured or underinsured children up to age five and education for their families.</p>	<p>\$30,000.00</p>
<p><i>Total Early Childhood Health Grants</i></p>	<p><i>\$289,132.00</i></p>

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General Health Improvement	Grant Amount
African Challenges Corporation Minneapolis, Minn. HeFAL Project	\$2,500.00
American Cancer Society Mendota Heights, Minn. <i>Making Strides Against Breast Cancer Event</i>	\$5,000.00
American Heart Association Minneapolis, Minn. <i>2014 Twin Cities Heart Walk</i>	\$15,000.00
American Lung Association St. Paul, Minn. <i>2014 Fight for Air Stair Climb, the Fight for Air Walk and the Wine Gala.</i>	\$5,000.00
American Red Cross Twin Cities Area Chapter Minneapolis, Minn. <i>2014 Heroes Breakfast.</i>	\$10,000.00
Better Futures Minnesota Minneapolis, Minn. <i>2014 Annual Breakfast Conference</i>	\$2,000.00
Bolder Options Minneapolis, Minn. <i>20th Anniversary Gala</i>	\$2,500.00
Can Do Canines New Hope, Minn. <i>2013 Can Do Woofaroo</i>	\$1,000.00
Charities Review Council St. Paul, Minn. 2014 Annual Forum and general support	\$2,500.00
Children's Defense Fund St. Paul, Minn. <i>2014 Beat the Odds Celebration</i>	\$2,500.00

Community Health Charities Minnesota Minneapolis, Minn. 2014 Medica Employee Giving Campaign	\$38,093.00
Emergency & Community Health Outreach St. Paul, Minn. Outreach and Communication Initiative: Health Outcomes in Minnesota's Diverse Communities	\$3,000.00
Face to Face Health and Counseling Services, Inc. St. Paul, Minn. Centering Pregnancy program	\$2,840.00
Faith Community Nurse Network of the Greater Twin Cities St. Paul, Minn. Shine a Light Project	\$3,000.00
Family Housing Fund Minneapolis, Minn. 2014 Project Homeless Connect	\$5,000.00
Greater Twin Cities United Way Minneapolis, Minn. 2014 Medica Employee Giving Campaign	\$36,907.00
Guild Incorporated St. Paul, Minn. 2013 Ladder of Hope	\$2,000.00
Little Brothers – Friends of the Elderly Minneapolis, Minn. Senior Assessment for Independent Living	\$2,500.00
Management Assistance Program for Nonprofits, Inc, St. Paul, Minn. General support	\$2,000.00
March of Dimes Edina, Minn. 2014 March for Babies	\$50,000.00

Mental Health Association of Minnesota St. Paul, Minn. Mental Health Advocacy Program	\$2,000.00
Minnesota Dental Foundation Minneapolis, Minn. <i>2014 Minnesota Mission of Mercy</i>	\$3,000.00
Minnesota Network of Hospice & Palliative Care North St. Paul, Minn. <i>2014 Annual Hospice & Palliative Care Conference</i>	\$2,500.00
Minnesota Public Health Association Minneapolis, Minn. 2013-14 Policy Forum series: A Community of Caregiving	\$1,000.00
Minnesota Visiting Nurse Agency Minneapolis, Minn. Behavioral Health Specialty Training	\$3,600.00
Nonprofits Assistance Fund Minneapolis, Minn. Nonprofit financial management resources	\$2,500.00
Parents in Community Action, Inc., Minneapolis, Minn. Somali Health Fair	\$2,000.00
Partnership Resources, Inc. St. Louis Park, Minn. <i>2013 ReelAbilities: Minneapolis - St. Paul Disability Film Festival</i>	\$5,000.00
Pease Christian Reformed Church Pease, Minn. <i>2013 Mille Lacs County Operation Community Connect</i>	\$1,500.00
Senior Community Services Minnetonka, Minn. <i>Medicare & Health Insurance Counseling program</i>	\$2,000.00

State of Minnesota St. Paul, Minn. <i>Minnesota Help Me Grow Summit</i>	\$2,500.00
Stearns County Human Services Saint Cloud, Minn. Central Minnesota Community Health Survey	\$5,000.00
Sustainable Resources Center Minneapolis, Minn. Blood Lead Testing Outreach and Education to Low-income Families	\$3,000.00
Teenwise Minnesota St. Paul, Minn. <i>2013 and 2014 Be Wise Benefit Events</i>	\$6,000.00
The Arc Greater Twin Cities St. Paul, Minn. <i>2014 Arc Gala</i>	\$2,500.00
The Cystic Fibrosis Foundation Bloomington, Minn. <i>2013 Breath of Life Gala</i>	\$2,500.00
Washburn Center for Children Minneapolis, Minn. <i>The Washburn Games</i>	\$2,500.00
West Broadway Business and Area Coalition Minneapolis, Minn. West Broadway Farmers Market	\$2,500.00
<i>Total General Health Improvement Grants</i>	\$244,940.00

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Healthy Lifestyles for People with Disabilities	Grant Amount
<p>Apple Tree Dental Minneapolis, Minn.</p> <p>Expands access to dental services for people with disabilities at the new Rochester clinic, which will employ Dental Therapists while enhancing and expanding daily mouth care training programs to additional sites.</p>	\$30,000.00
<p>Arc Midstate St. Cloud, Minn.</p> <p>Design and implement the Club Wellness program for individuals with developmental disabilities and related special needs to encourage healthy lifestyle choices. Conduct a resource fair and culminate the program with a walk/run celebration.</p>	\$19,500.00
<p>Courage Kenny Foundation Golden Valley, Minn.</p> <p>Expand access to primary care through early establishment of a health care home for individuals with disabilities prior to discharge from inpatient rehabilitation to the community.</p>	\$30,000.00
<p>Hammer Residences Wayzata, Minn.</p> <p>Support proactive, healthy choices for people with disabilities around their diet, exercise and social interactions; Encourage adoption of healthy, well-balanced lifestyles.</p>	\$30,000.00
<p>Living Well Communities Eagan, Minn.</p> <p>Create a comprehensive "culture of wellness", including health coaching, nutrition education, and promotion of healthy lifestyles for people with disabilities in residential and nonresidential programs.</p>	\$30,000.00
<p>Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota St. Paul, Minn.</p> <p>Implement a health coaching and technology program for people with disabilities that will assist them to improve targeted health outcomes through a wellness curriculum.</p>	\$30,000.00
<p>Opportunity Partners Minnetonka, Minn.</p> <p>Implement the Balance Challenge, utilizing peer health coaching and technology to help the people with disabilities achieve optimal health.</p>	\$29,905.15

<p>Range Respite Project, Inc. Virginia, Minn. Provide structured educational programming and case management services through implementation of adult caregiver support groups, a siblings support group, caregiver self-care focused community education seminars, and one-on-one case management.</p>	<p>\$13,105.00</p>
<p>Udac, Inc. Duluth, Minn. Partner with foster care agencies serving adults with disabilities to introduce and establish participation in a specialized fitness center.</p>	<p>\$11,480.00</p>
<p><i>Total Healthy Lifestyles for People with Disabilities Grants</i></p>	<p>\$223,990.15</p>

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Organizational Core Mission Support	Grant Amount
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central Minnesota St. Cloud, Minn.	\$5,000.00
C.A.R.E Clinic Red Wing, Minn.	\$5,000.00
CentraCare Health Foundation St. Cloud, Minn.	\$5,000.00
Central MN Task Force on Battered Women St. Cloud, Minn.	\$5,000.00
Child Care Resource & Referral Rochester, Minn.	\$5,000.00
Family HealthCare Center Fargo, North Dakota	\$5,000.00
Family Pathways Cambridge, Minn.	\$5,000.00
Family Resource Center St. Croix Valley, Inc Baldwin, Wisc.	\$5,000.00
Free Clinic of Pierce and St. Croix Counties River Falls, Wisc.	\$5,000.00
HealthFinders Collaborative Northfield, Minn.	\$5,000.00
Isanti County Public Health Cambridge, Minn.	\$5,000.00
Life House, Inc. Duluth, Minn.	\$5,000.00
Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota Duluth, Minn.	\$5,000.00
Lutheran Social Service of Minnesota St. Cloud, Minn.	\$5,000.00

Minnesota State University Moorhead Moorhead, Minn.	\$5,000.00
Monticello Christian Social Services, Inc. Monticello, Minn.	\$4,000.00
North Dakota Caring Foundation, Inc. Fargo, North Dakota	\$4,560.00
North Shore Health Care Foundation Grand Marais, Minn.	\$5,000.00
Northland Foundation Duluth, Minn.	\$5,000.00
Opportunity Matters Sartell, Minn.	\$5,000.00
Polk County Public Health Crookston, Minn.	\$5,000.00
Reach-Up, Inc St. Cloud, Minn.	\$5,000.00
Rice County Faribault, Minn.	\$2,350.00
The Refuge Network Cambridge, Minn.	\$5,000.00
Well Being Development Ely, Minn.	\$5,000.00
West Central Industries, Inc. Willmar, Minn.	\$5,000.00
Women's Health Center of Duluth, PA Duluth, Minn.	\$5,000.00
YWCA of Mankato Mankato, Minn.	\$5,000.00
<i>Total Organizational Core Mission Support Grants</i>	\$135,910

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Alzheimer's Disease – Strategic Grant	Grant Amount
Metropolitan Area Agency on Aging North Saint Paul, Minn. Support for a statewide collaboration to prepare Minnesota for the personal, social and budgetary impacts of Alzheimer's disease and related dementias and build community capacity to address health issues locally.	\$100,000.00
<i>Total Alzheimer's Disease</i>	\$100,000.00

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Total Funding for 96 Grants in 2013	\$1,393,972.15
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