

Organization Name	Project Title	Website	Project Description	Geographic Area Served	Awarded Amount	Duration	Award Date
441 Ministries Beechwood	Beechwood HOMES Program		Generational poverty and housing injustice, inadequate education options, lack of jobs, and persistent crime/violence threaten the neighborhood. To create stability in the neighborhood, 441 Ministries recognizes that greater focus must be given to improving tenants' social determinants of health once housing is provided. Currently, the Property Manager's time is spent communicating with tenants about maintenance or repair needs, collecting rent, coordinating contracted labor and services, and purchasing equipment and supplies. This amount of time is insufficient to listen and respond holistically to the needs communicated by our tenants and to create essential connections with partners and services. By expanding the capacity of the Property Manager, 441 Ministries intends to increase the overall health outcomes for their tenants; creating a closer-knit community where people are supported and feel they belong.	Monroe	\$ 57,500.00	18 Months	July 2023
Abundant Life Faith Center, Inc.	Walking the Walk	<a href="https://www.441ministries.org">https://www.441ministries.org</a>	"Walking the Walk" is an expansion of current programming designed to emphasize this key role by bridging the gap and decreasing disparities that prevent access to and trusting of healthy initiatives. This program will grow the successful work accomplished by AFLC, Inc. with their Blood Pressure Initiative and Health Ministry by collaborating with Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority (AKA, Inc.) to include more partners and participants. This expansion also includes partnering with additional community networks/organizations, such as the Black Physicians Network and the newly formed Food Policy Council, for added educational learning and practice opportunities. By collaborating with AKA, Inc. local members, ALFC, Inc. will provide creative ways to promote good health and exercise, mental health counseling, health education, COVID education, and self-care. ALFC, Inc. will also continue to partner with the Rochester Area Interfaith Climate Action in planning peaceful initiatives to eliminate systemic racism by continuing to support the family of Daniel Prude and others who have lost loved ones due to implicit bias, racism, and discrimination.	Monroe	\$ 24,000.00	2 Years	April 2021
Baden Street Settlement of Rochester Inc.	Violence Intervention Project	<a href="https://www.badenstreet.org">https://www.badenstreet.org</a>	After the successful pilot in the 2022-2023 school year, the Baden Street Settlement of Rochester, Metro Council for Teen Potential's Violence Intervention Project (VIP) seeks funding to continue these efforts for a second year. VIP began at Edison High School, with 40 at-risk young men in grades 9 and 11. These students were identified by suspension and attendance rates, failing grades, and/or students who use drugs or have police contact. Of the 40 enrolled, 25 were successful in completing the curriculum, seeing lowered suspensions and increased grades. The second year of this project will continue with Edison, maintaining the same group of now seniors, and expanding the sophomore cohort to an additional 5 students. MCTP will also expand their intervention to the Monroe County Children's Detention Center with 12 youth this fall.	Monroe	\$ 57,500.00	18 Months	October 2022
BreatheDeep, Inc.	Changing Our Narrative & Peer Ambassadors Programs	<a href="https://www.breathedeepinc.org">https://www.breathedeepinc.org</a>	The Changing Our Narrative and the BreatheDeep Peer Ambassadors Programs are a two-in-one program partnership between BreatheDeep and Young Women's College Preparatory High School (YWCP). These programs are direct responses to research that indicates that women and girls of color remain the most underserved, misdiagnosed, under researched and most psychologically impacted population in the areas of mental health, grief and loss. COVID-19 has significantly increased the rates of mental health issues such as suicidal ideations, depression, and anxiety, leaving many feeling overwhelmed, exhausted, mentally foggy, and emotionally scattered. Historically communities of color have suffered from adverse impacts of systemic racism and oppression, including experiencing marginalization within the medical and counseling fields. Most recently the Rochester community has been identified as having the most violent year of our history and YWCP, like other schools in Rochester, has been impacted by increased altercations since the second day of school. These programs will provide a safe space to address mental health experiences, and social-cultural encounters that have produced barriers such as stigma, silence and suppression. These programs will also implement culturally relevant strategies by women counselors and facilitators of color along with restorative/reflective practices that focus on participants lived experiences while fostering emotional and mental healing.	Monroe	\$ 272,210.00	2 Years	April 2021
Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Rochester DBA: Catholic Charities Steuben/Livingston	Faith In Action	<a href="https://ccsteubenvivngston.org">https://ccsteubenvivngston.org</a>	The Faith in Action program alleviates inequities faced by the aging population in Livingston county. The program focuses on offering transportation services for the elderly and disabled, allowing them to retain independent living. Most of the transportation provided is for medical purposes, but also can include transportation to grocery stores. There is also a team of volunteers that conduct home visits, phone check-ins, and assistance with yard work and house repair. The funding for this project will assist up to 140 elderly and disabled individuals in the county, providing them with over 1,500 services, estimated as follows: 1,000 medical transport assists, 330 shopping assists, 10 light housekeeping assists, 20 yardwork assists, 80 reassurance calls, 5 home repairs, and 160 friendly home visits.	Livingston	\$ 28,183.00	1 Year	July 2022
Center for Teen Empowerment	Multi-Neighborhood Youth Organizing Antidote to Community-Level Violence	<a href="https://www.teenempowerment.org">https://www.teenempowerment.org</a>	Through neighborhood-based youth organizing, Teen Empowerment (TE) puts youth at the center of catalyzing change to unravel and heal the root causes of violence among youth. TE seeks to replicate and deepen impact achieved in the Southwest neighborhood through expansion to two additional, historically redlined neighborhood-based sites.	Monroe	\$ 560,000.00	4.5 Years	October 2021

City Roots Community Land Trust	Strengthening City Roots Resident Community	<a href="https://www.cityrootsclt.org/">https://www.cityrootsclt.org/</a>	In the last year, City Roots has significantly expanded its portfolio of permanently affordable housing. Their community of housing is home to nearly 100 low or extremely low-income tenants, homeowners, and unhoused people who are dealing with a wide variety of life and health challenges. City Roots CLT believes deeply in the connection between housing and health, but they also understand that affordable housing is only one part of building healthy, thriving lives and communities. This grant will ensure that their resident members have access to all the support and services they need to thrive. This project will use a human-centered design process to understand the various health related needs resident members design a network of supportive services based on these needs, and build relationships with and within their resident member community.	Monroe	\$ 27,000.00	2 Years	April 2022
Community Resource Collaborative	Rapid Relocation		The Rapid Relocation program ensures the safety and well-being of individuals escaping violence in Rochester and Monroe County, addressing food and housing insecurity, access to healthcare, and social inequities. Serving as a last resource for financial support and at times, utilized as a navigation and advocacy resource, CRC responds directly to the needs voiced by participants and progresses in a client-centered, trauma-informed manner. They support survivors that aren't eligible for other organizations such as Willow, 585SNUG, or Rise Up Rochester due to parameters set by these agencies. CRC seeks funding to support 10 individuals in Monroe County through the Rapid Relocation program over the course of 12-months.	Monroe	\$ 57,500.00	1 Year	July 2023
Compeer Rochester, Inc.	Direct Service Staff Support	<a href="https://compeerrochester.org">https://compeerrochester.org</a>	Compeer is an organization committed to recruiting and placing staff who reflect the demographics of the individuals they serve, valuing lived experience in the areas of mental health, substance use, and oppression as much, if not more than, education. They see staff development as an integral component of maintaining a healthy and vibrant workforce. This is especially important in the social services industry wherein direct service personnel must maintain their own personal stability required to provide clients with appropriate guidance and support. Compeer staff often choose their profession because they want to help people, yet seeing trauma and suffering on a regular basis can have a deep impact on our own emotional health. They look to address what is sometimes called "compassion fatigue" that can lead to burnout and/or high staff turnover and increase the diversity of their leadership. The funding will support a staff retreat, personal development mini-sessions, and organizational health and legacy coaching – to begin the process of supporting staff mental health and the development of pipelines, for BIPOC professionals to move into leadership positions and roles within the organization.	Monroe	\$ 23,000.00	1 Year	October 2022
Cultures Learning Together, Inc	Building Equity and Inclusivity through Language Tutoring	<a href="https://www.cultureslearningtogether.org">https://www.cultureslearningtogether.org</a>	Cultures Learning TOGETHER strives to identify and meet the social, emotional, linguistic, and physical needs of migrants in Livingston County. By building confidence and trust in their team of family participants, tutors, and administrators, families are able to voice their needs, learn English language skills to help fully immerse themselves in their community, and increase their access to health, labor, and educational opportunities.	Livingston; Monroe	\$ 99,961.00	5 Years	October 2021
Delphi Drug and Alcohol Council Inc DBA Delphi Rise	Building Equity from Within	<a href="https://www.delphirise.org">https://www.delphirise.org</a>	DelphiRise has new leadership, and with the support of the Health Foundation, seeks to create equity and psychological safety for their staff—many of whom are staff of color on the front lines. It is their intention to address entrenched institutional beliefs, and the present power imbalance, by engaging with an experienced Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion consultant to create a landscape on which to heal and grow, revamp practices and policies, and develop future leadership to best serve the community. In partnership with a consultant, they will undergo a comprehensive approach to: (1) supporting mental health needs of staff, (2) intentionally supporting leadership development opportunities for staff of color, (3) ensuring that staff have the skills, awareness, and psychological safety needed to best serve clients with culturally-affirming care, and (4) reviewing and updating of policies and practices from an equitable/inclusive lens.	Monroe; Wayne	\$ 31,050.00	1 Year	October 2022
Disability EmpowHer Network, Inc.	EmpowHer Roc	<a href="https://www.disabilityempowhernetwork.org">https://www.disabilityempowhernetwork.org</a>	The EmpowHer Roc program empowers participants by creating an inclusive and supportive community for disabled women. Through the program, these women can connect with peers and mentors while exploring and developing their personal goals and leadership style. The program encourages participants to take active leadership roles in their communities, feel more confident in themselves, and connect them with like-minded individuals. They are also exposed to successful disabled women so that they can get a better sense of how they can navigate their life and the world around them. Funding from the Health Foundation will support Disability EmpowHer Network employees assisting with the program and travel costs to eliminate participation barriers. Additionally, funding will assist with procurement of food and program activities.	Monroe; Wayne	\$ 52,038.00	1 Year	July 2023
East House Corporation	Client Engagement & Empowerment	<a href="https://www.easthouse.org">https://www.easthouse.org</a>	East House is a Rochester based nonprofit which provides mental health and substance use supports. East House seeks to embark on a multi-year process to address the barriers to residential care and underutilization of behavioral health care services among Black, Indigenous, and People of Color (BIPOC) within their organization. Through an equity, diversity and inclusion guided assessment coupled with the development strategic plan East House will work to move forward co-created, person-centered approaches designed to ensure that appropriate attention is paid to delivering programming and services that are responsive and well positioned to support people of color.	Monroe	\$ 85,386.00	3 Years	April 2020
Endless Highway Inc.	I.D.E.A Expansion in Sports, Recreation, and the Arts	<a href="https://endless-highway.org">https://endless-highway.org</a>	Endless Highway, Inc. serves children and young adults with physical disabilities by providing financial support, adaptive equipment, and inclusive opportunities in the areas of sports, recreation, and the arts. They are requesting funds to support the full-time Operations/Communication Director salary, which would allow for organizational resources to be dedicated to inclusion, diversity, equity, and accessibility (I.D.E.A.) services for communities facing these intersecting areas of oppression.	Monroe	\$ 203,082.00	3 Years	October 2021

Family Promise of Greater Rochester	Prevention & Diversion Program	<a href="https://www.fpgroc.org">https://www.fpgroc.org</a>	The Prevention & Diversion Program of the Family Promise of Greater Rochester addresses local disproportionate housing insecurity by providing (1) rental assistance to prevent evictions and (2) security deposits to regain housing. The program allows FPGROC to address the full scope of homelessness by providing resources for prevention, in addition to the organization's core work within the shelter and stabilization programs. Funding from the Health Foundation will be utilized for emergency rental assistance for those facing an eviction or in need of a security deposit to regain stable housing.	Monroe	\$ 50,296.00	1 Year	July 2023
Family Promise of Ontario County Inc.	Bridges of Hope	<a href="https://www.familypromiseontariocounty.org">https://www.familypromiseontariocounty.org</a>	Family Promise of Ontario County addresses prevention, shelter, and stabilization to help families with children avoid or escape homelessness. This funding will provide access to secure COVID safe housing for children/families, intensive case management supports for linkage to other clinical/supportive needs and increase access to these services for Latino/x communities through the addition of a bilingual case manager.	Ontario	\$ 236,633.00	3 Years	April 2021
Food Justice of Geneva, Inc.	Food Justice Food Gleaning Program		The intended purpose of Food Justice is to reduce food insecurity in Ontario County among low-income adults and children through community-based food gleaning and distribution. Food Justice secures donations of fresh produce that would otherwise be disposed of. The food is harvested, cleaned, and stored, then distributed to 30 pick-up points in Ontario County and given free-of-charge to those in need. There is no eligibility process, food is given to all who express a need. Over 40,000lbs of food are distributed to 8,000 residents annually. Through this investment from the Health Foundation, Food Justice of Geneva anticipates an increase in the volume of food gleaned and distributed to 66,000 pounds annually, serving double the residents in need. Volunteer capacity and farm producer participation will also expand, with paid staff support used to recruit 50 volunteers and increase participating farmers by 50%.	Ontario	\$ 11,500.00	6 Months	July 2023
His Branches, Inc	Expanding Access to Care for Rochester's Underserved	<a href="https://www.hisbranches.org">https://www.hisbranches.org</a>	His Branches in partnership with Ibero-American Action League has established a new health center within the Ibero Community Resource Center. This partnership will provide a "one-stop-shop" integrating clinical and behavioral health care, case management, and other programs and services. Case Managers work closely with patients and help them address social determinants of health, connecting them with resources to address and remove barriers to healthcare. As crucial intermediaries between patients and healthcare providers, they establish trusting relationships and play an important role in developing individualized care plans. With recent changes to the NY 340B program, which many health centers used as a source of funding support for these positions, the Health Foundation's investment will act as bridge funding for one FTE Case Manager as the new Health Center establishes an alternate funding source/plan for the sustainability of the position.	Monroe	\$ 57,500.00	1 Year	July 2023
Homesteads for Hope Inc.	Creating an Inclusive Community - Forever Homesteads	<a href="https://www.homesteadsforhope.org">https://www.homesteadsforhope.org</a>	Homesteads for Hope has a phased approach in the development of their inclusive community. The first phase focuses on building out 25 acres for farming, programs, and vocational training. This also includes the Forever Homestead Project, a 6,500 sq ft community center that includes ADA accessible teaching kitchen, classrooms, gathering space and a 5-bedroom residency, which will be completed October 1, 2023. Prior to the completion of the center, the limited programming available during winter months took place off campus, creating a multitude of barriers, including transportation. Completing the community center means year-round programming all in one location. Our funding will grant Homesteads additional time and resources to continue fundraising for phase two, 30 acres dedicated to inclusive housing for both individuals and families, while securing the staff needed to expand options for winter programming.	Monroe; Ontario; Orleans; Wayne	\$ 57,500.00	1 Year	October 2022
House of Mercy	Eliminating Barriers to Transportation	<a href="https://houseofmercyrochester.org">https://houseofmercyrochester.org</a>	Limited transportation presents challenges for those without permanent housing and those living in poverty in achieving stable housing, increased stability, and improved health. To address this community challenge and being the largest low-barrier homeless shelter in Rochester, House of Mercy proposes to expand and maintain their transportation services for guests to use for attending appointments, job interviews, activities in the community, etc. as both transportation needs and associated costs increase. House of Mercy seeks funding from the Health Foundation to provide supplemental support of their transportation budget in the upcoming fiscal year to meet those increasing needs.	Monroe	\$ 23,000.00	1 Year	July 2022
Huther Doyle Memorial Institute, Inc.	Huther Doyle & Westside Academy Recovery and Wellness Program	<a href="https://www.hutherdoyle.com">https://www.hutherdoyle.com</a>	The Recovery and Wellness Program at Westside Academy is a special solution where students in grades 7-12 seeking or continuing treatment for substance use disorder can find the support to reach their full potential regardless of insurance or financial limitations. The program combines the rigorous academic classes needed to earn a New York State high school Regents diploma, in collaboration with Huther Doyle, who supplies on-site substance use disorder counseling services, individual counseling, group counseling, personalized treatment and goal setting. Students are referred to the Westside Academy Recovery and Wellness Program from the Rochester and Monroe County School Districts.	Monroe	\$ 57,500.00	1 Year	July 2022
Ibero-American Action League, Inc.	The Latino Health Equity Project	<a href="https://www.iaal.org">https://www.iaal.org</a>	The basic lack of linguist and culturally appropriate health communication or services has been an unaddressed equity issue for far too long. To address this deficiency, Ibero is seeking funding to continue and expand their efforts to provide interpretation services, cultural education for providers, and spread cultural and linguistic best practices for organizations to implement.	Genesee; Livingston; Monroe; Ontario; Orleans; Seneca; Wayne; Wyoming; Yates	\$ 444,690.00	3 Years	October 2021

Judicial Process Commission, Inc.	Program Support for JPC	<a href="https://www.rocjpc.org">https://www.rocjpc.org</a>	The Judicial Process Commission established the New Journey program in 2010, focusing on pre-release or released within the last six months, and post-release mothers exiting the criminal justice system. They receive support services leading to self sufficiency such as creation of a re-entry plan, and obtaining government documents like birth certificate, non-driver's identification, and Social Security cards. The New Journey program helps with the reunification of children and family members as well as securing government-funded and private housing for mothers and their children. There are referrals to substance abuse/mental health treatment services that also address depression/trauma and assistance in obtaining permanent housing and childcare. In addition to the supports mentioned above, New Journey also provides comprehensive support services including trauma informed care, case management with an on-site social worker, access to emergency/motels/permanent housing, legal services (new) and data collection for program evaluation.	Monroe	\$ 57,500.00	1 Year	October 2022
Keeping Our Promise, Inc.	Afghan Health Care Initiative	<a href="https://www.keepingourpromise.org">https://www.keepingourpromise.org</a>	This project will create a culturally sensitive means to empower SIVs to better understand U.S. healthcare concepts and to independently access the Monroe County health system. This will occur through increased staffing to translate healthcare information, available resources, and health literacy topics into Pashto and Dari. Regular contact between Keeping our Promise Staff and active program participants and volunteers. There will also be quarterly events held in person or by zoom to discuss major health care. Health care professionals will be invited to attend.	Monroe	\$ 57,500.00	18 Months	July 2023
Mary's Place Outreach	Case Management Program	<a href="https://www.marysplaceoutreach.org">https://www.marysplaceoutreach.org</a>	Mary's Place Refugee Outreach serves Rochester's resettled refugees living in the city's northwest neighborhoods. Refugee families arrive in the United States with significant health and economic challenges and encounter formidable barriers to getting the supports and opportunities they need to meet basic needs for a healthy, stable life. These barriers include unfamiliar language and culture, numerous complicated service systems and programs, and few culturally appropriate services. Mary's Place Case Management program provides refugee families with easy-to-access, hands-on, free help to secure the supports they need. Refugee need and demand for our case management assistance has risen significantly over the last five years. We served 129 families in 2017 and 246 families this year (to date). The number of sessions provided also rose from 254 in 2017 to 1,606 so far this year. We are requesting Health Foundation funding for a full-time case manager who will provide supervision for case managers to assure quality for program clients and also expand our case management capacity.	Monroe	\$ 184,060.00	3 Years	April 2022
NYS Federation of Growers' & Processors' Association Inc.	Mental Health Analysis & Planning	<a href="https://www.abcdny.org">https://www.abcdny.org</a>	Through this grant, the Federation plans to hire a bilingual Latinx consultant with research and mental health experience for a 12-month period to work directly with seven of their centers in the Greater Rochester Region. This will include working with children, parents, staff, and community partners to identify, gather data, and analyze mental health needs. This analysis will enable the Federation to understand the mental health and wellness challenges of their community and develop strategies to mitigate their impact more fully. The consultant will conduct an in-depth analysis into these individual and family needs as well as the availability and accessibility of relevant community services. They will also collect and analyze qualitative and quantitative data to identify gaps in services and barriers to accessibility.	Ontario; Seneca; Wayne; Yates	\$ 103,633.00	18 Months	October 2022
Partners in Community Development	Parents Elevating their Voice (PEEEEEK)	<a href="https://partnersincommunitydevelopment.com">https://partnersincommunitydevelopment.com</a>	Parents Elevating their voice to Educate and Empower Each other to Eliminate disparities and inequities in services related to the Emotional Health of our Kids (PEEEEEK) is focused on serving Black, Indigenous, and People of Color (BIPOC) parents/caregivers of children with mental health conditions. The project seeks to engage BIPOC parents/caregivers in areas of leadership development, advocacy, education, and peer support to increase access to supports, improve community/provider awareness on the needs of communities of color and to counter mental health stigma and lack of services.	Monroe	\$ 499,632.00	5 Years	April 2021
Perinatal Network of Monroe County, Inc DBA Healthy Baby Network	Black Breastfeeding Initiative	<a href="https://www.healthy-baby.net">https://www.healthy-baby.net</a>	The Healthy Baby Network, YWCA of Rochester and Monroe County, and Health Connect One are proposing a coalition to support and encourage Black breast/chest feeding birthing people in the Greater Rochester community. The funding will support the creation of a targeted responsive to this key area of Maternal and Child Health for Black women and women of color. HBN will serve as lead on a breast/chest feeding Peer Counselor replication site, which will employ Breast/Chest Feeding Peer Counselors and the coordination of a coalition. Health Connect One will provide training and technical assistance for the replication, and the YWCA to serve as partner, a co-location site, and referral source.	Monroe	\$ 555,000.00	3 Years	October 2023
Planned Parenthood of Central and Western New York	In Control for Peace and Health	<a href="https://www.plannedparenthood.org/planned-parenthood-central-western-new-york">https://www.plannedparenthood.org/planned-parenthood-central-western-new-york</a>	In Control for Peace and Health (ICPH) helps priority youth access reproductive health services that are free or on a sliding scale, access mental health services, and gain work and entrepreneurial skills while receiving stipends or scholarships. In Control, a youth program of PPCWNY, has been delivering positive youth development and reproductive health education to the priority youth population since 1996 and was initially funded by NYS Department of Health (DOH) under their Community-Based Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention (CBAPP) Program and now under the Comprehensive Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention (CAPP) Program.	Monroe	\$ 57,500.00	18 Months	July 2023
Project Stork, Inc.	Happy Moms, Healthy Babies	<a href="https://www.projectstorkinc.org">https://www.projectstorkinc.org</a>	Project Stork provides direct support to women experiencing Perinatal Mood and Anxiety Disorders (PMADs), advocacy on issues related to maternal mental health, and basic needs to low-income mothers/caretakers in Genesee and Orleans counties. Through peer support and referrals to mental health and other clinical services, this project's aim is to improve access and availability for low-income women and children to stave off the potential negative impacts of unaddressed maternal mental health and unmet basic needs.	Genesee; Orleans	\$ 63,884.00	3 Years	April 2020

ProsperRochester, Inc.	Innerspace Cyber Learning Center	<a href="https://www.prosperroc.com">https://www.prosperroc.com</a>	Using their evidence-based social and emotional learning (SEL) curriculum as a framework, ProsperRochester aims to develop a youth-centered and culturally-tailored online platform designed to improve the emotional resilience of youth and children. By converting their existing materials into arts-based, "edutainment-style" content, they will build a sustainable online community of emotionally resilient "influencers." This will be accomplished in three phases and our investment will support those phases, creating, and promoting their online platform targeting three priority areas established by youth.	Monroe	\$ 57,500.00	1 Year	July 2023
Renaissance Academy Charter School of the Arts	Power of Social Emotional Support in School	<a href="https://www.renacad.org">https://www.renacad.org</a>	Renaissance Academy's (RA) Power of Social Emotional Support in School project will support the successful delivery of mental health supports that help children achieve wellness despite trauma and systemic barriers. Health equity will be directly improved with the addition of direct mental health support on campus. RA recognizes elementary students in the community have a need for consistent social/emotional and mental health services, particularly when they have experienced various trauma. The expertise and attention of a full-time Licensed Clinical Social Worker (LCSW) and full-time Social Emotional Support Specialist (SES) will enhance mental health supports, address trauma and risk and improve the mental health and wellness of the student population in the Rochester community.	Monroe	\$ 57,500.00	1 Year	July 2023
Rochester refugee Resettlement Services, Inc.	Improving Refugee Behavioral Health	<a href="https://www.rochesterrefugee.org">https://www.rochesterrefugee.org</a>	Rochester Refugee Resettlement Services (RRRS) has been housing and servicing the needs of refugees and asylum seekers for more than 10 years. In this process, as well as meeting with refugee "walk-ins," we have become increasingly aware of trauma and emotional stress that many people are suffering from. This is not at all surprising, knowing that many have suffered horrors that forced them to abandon their homeland to stay alive. Add to this the stress of adjusting to a new culture in a new strange land and it is clear that many struggle to adjust. For us to achieve our goal of helping families toward successful adjustment, this issue needs to be addressed.	Monroe	\$ 390,935.00	3 Years	April 2021
Rochester Regional Coalition Against Human Trafficking	Website Development Support	<a href="https://www.rrcaht.org">https://www.rrcaht.org</a>	As a volunteer-based nonprofit, Rochester Regional Coalition Against Human Trafficking (RRCaHT) is one of the most trusted and widely known human trafficking resources in our community. Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and other unforeseen events, the volunteer-maintained website is 2 years outdated and is user-hostile, both on the back end and those interfacing with the website as a source for information. RRCaHT seeks funding to support the redesign and launching of an up-to-date, user-friendly site with additional support from the web developers for updates and training to leadership, board, and a number of their volunteers.	Genesee; Livingston; Monroe; Ontario; Orleans; Seneca; Wayne; Wyoming; Yates	\$ 17,250.00	1 Year	October 2022
Rochester Spinal Association	Gun Violence Survivor Spinal Cord Injury Support Group	<a href="https://www.rochesterspinalassociation.org">https://www.rochesterspinalassociation.org</a>	There are unmet needs for people living with SCI/D because of gun violence and for communities of color, and it is not unique to RSA's local region. This project will provide the support to build the capacity of the individuals participating in this current support group and expand the reach and connection to include regional, state and national outreach for those living with SCI/D as a result of gun violence. Local gun violence survivors will be hired as peer outreach workers and peer group leaders, using their knowledge and lived experience to identify others in need of community who would benefit from these supports and/or who have something to offer other individuals in the support group. Funds will also supplement support in the contracting of a LMSW to provide case management-style services for individuals in our region that are paralyzed due to gun violence.	Genesee; Livingston; Monroe; Ontario; Wayne	\$ 65,000.00	2 Years	October 2021
Society for the Protection & Care of Children	Transformation: Addressing Inequities and Improving Health Outcomes	<a href="https://www.spcc-roch.org">https://www.spcc-roch.org</a>	SPCC acknowledges that for far too long professionals have worked to design and deliver services without meaningfully incorporating input from the families being served and are often led by staff that do not have lived experiences similar to their families. SPCC requests dollars to ensure diversity, equity, and inclusion learnings are operationalized and integrated into their culture and all facets of their work through the hiring of an HR Director and DEI Officer.	Monroe; Ontario; Seneca; Wayne; Yates	\$ 567,238.00	3 Years	October 2021
Sodus Central School District	Wayne County Community Schools: Health Integration Project	<a href="https://www.waynecountycommunityschools.org">https://www.waynecountycommunityschools.org</a>	This project seeks to employ a School Health Integration Specialist to enhance a multi-tiered support system within the Wayne County Community Schools Consortium. The Integration Specialist will weave health activities into universal settings and align resources district and community-wide. By integrating school clinical health care, nutrition supports, physical activity, and out-of-school-time, this project will increase the range of services offered for rural youth and families.	Wayne	\$ 503,000.00	4 Years	October 2020
South Seneca Community Services Center	Food for All 2023 - 2025	<a href="https://www.lodifood4all.com">https://www.lodifood4all.com</a>	The Lodi Food 4 All Pantry seeks to reduce food insecurity in South Seneca County by filling gaps in food access. Through this partnership with the Health Foundation, volunteers will be provided reimbursement for mileage. As many of the current volunteers are aging, these funds will also support purchasing equipment to make loading and unloading less strenuous and more efficient as well as provide time for additional outreach to both volunteers and users of the Pantry and for succession planning. South Seneca Community Services Center will act as the Food Pantry's fiscal sponsor for the duration of this grant.	Seneca	\$ 24,586.00	18 Months	July 2022
Spiritus Christi Prison Outreach	New Beginnings Program	<a href="https://www.spirituschristiprisonoutreach.org">https://www.spirituschristiprisonoutreach.org</a>	Spiritus Christi Prison Outreach is an outreach ministry offering residential wraparound support in the forms of outreach, emergency housing, transitional housing, and permanent supportive housing to individuals re-entering the community from institutions like jail, prison, and treatment centers. The New Beginnings Program addresses preparation for and maintenance of permanent supportive housing in the community. Grant dollars would support increased capacity of transitional housing.	Monroe	\$ 146,408.00	5 Years	October 2021
St. Peter's Kitchen	Sustainability of the Westside Farmers Market	<a href="https://stpeterskitchen.org">https://stpeterskitchen.org</a>	Running entirely by volunteers over the past 15 years, the Westside Farmers Market seeks to bring in a part-time paid market manager to maintain the market and continue its operation as an important source of fresh food in the food desert it's located. The manager will focus on increasing visibility and access, specifically targeting SNAP users, and also bring a SNAP navigator to the market to ensure options and benefits.	Monroe	\$ 17,250.00	1 Year	July 2022

The Father Laurence-Larry-Tracy Advocacy Center	Outreach Zone Program	<a href="https://www.sfxcrochester.org/sfxc/index.cfm/history/father-tracy-health-and-wellness-center">https://www.sfxcrochester.org/sfxc/index.cfm/history/father-tracy-health-and-wellness-center</a>	The Father Laurence Tracy Advocacy Center (FTAC) is a grassroots organization providing a wide range of advocacy, referral, and direct services focusing largely on Latino/x and Black communities in the neighborhood of La Avenida on North Clinton Avenue. To address some of the health disparities this community faces, FTAC aims to expand their technology and outreach capacities to target health improvement. Viewed as a trusted liaison in the community, FTAC will connect residents to community resources around primary care, mental health, basic needs, housing, telehealth services, substance use treatment, and access to internet.	Monroe	\$ 500,274.00	5 Years	April 2021
Trillium Health, Inc.	Reducing Over-Doses and Increasing Linkage to Care for People Who Use Drugs	<a href="https://www.trilliumhealth.org">https://www.trilliumhealth.org</a>	There is a desperate need for an integrated healthcare model that addresses the needs of people who use and inject drugs (PWUD/PWID), including primary/preventative care, behavioral health services (BHS), and social determinants of health (SDOH), in Rochester and surrounding Monroe County. To address the uptick in overdose deaths in Rochester and Monroe County – along with the inequities in healthcare access – Trillium Health (TH) is proposing the Reducing Over-Doses and Increasing Linkage to Care for People Who Use and Inject Drugs Project. The Project will include utilization of TH's Mobile Access Clinic (MAC) and an onsite BHS clinician at TH's satellite and Harm Reduction location, which is located at 39 Delevan St., 14605. Delevan is the only Harm Reduction and syringe exchange service in the Finger Lakes Region, uniquely positioned to reach PWUD and other hard-to-reach populations.	Monroe	\$ 232,900.00	2 Years	April 2022
United Way of Orleans County	Orleans & Genesee Counties Grantwriter & Fund Development Expertise	<a href="https://www.orleansunitedway.org">https://www.orleansunitedway.org</a>	The United Way of Orleans and United Way of Genesee Counties are partnering to strengthen their ability to respond to the additional hardships that the pandemic has created for them and for their community partners. This collaboration seeks the resources and expertise to support community collaborations, collaborative grant seeking and development of community wide fund-raising events within the United Way and local community-based organizations to increase resources within the region.	Genesee; Orleans	\$ 449,291.00	4.5 Years	April 2021
URMC Department of Psychiatry	Reaching Our Community: ROC with WISH		This project seeks to deliver and refine a model of integrated clinical and preventive care as well as social service navigation to improve outcomes for high-need underserved Medicaid and Medicare populations with an emphasis on women involved in the justice system, battling substance use, or impacted by trauma. Through partnership with Exercise Express, the only Black-owned, Medicaid funded Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) provider, Reaching Our Community with WISH will provide co-located health promotion and prevention programming.	Monroe	\$ 391,016.00	3.5 Years	October 2020
Vertus Charter School	Reducing Health Disparities for Young Men at Vertus	<a href="https://www.vertusschool.org">https://www.vertusschool.org</a>	Contracting with Rochester Regional Health, the Reducing Health Disparities for Young Men at Vertus program will provide two therapists from the Genesee Mental Health Center to conduct counseling sessions during school hours. Each therapist will be available to students five days per week during regular school hours, either by appointment or walk-in. The design of this program seeks to increase usage of mental health services by reducing stigma and other barriers faced by their students, approaching student health interventions holistically. Having an on-site program in a space that feels safe to students, in combination with support from trusted staff who are familiar with their personal story, is valuable to student's progress and will help bridge the gap between stigma and timely treatment.	Monroe	\$ 180,690.00	3 Years	April 2022
Victim Resource Center	Invisible to Invincible Expansion	<a href="https://www.vrcfl.org">https://www.vrcfl.org</a>	The Victim Resource Center of the Finger Lakes seeks to hire a therapist to provide one on one therapy and expand their current services to include mental health counseling for survivors of domestic, intimate partner or dating or sexual violence providing clients with timely access to trauma-informed mental health counseling.	Ontario; Seneca; Wayne; Yates	\$ 525,676.00	5 Years	October 2021
Villa of Hope	Peer Certified Professional Workforce Development Program	<a href="https://www.villaofhope.org">https://www.villaofhope.org</a>	Villa of Hope is requesting funding to support a comprehensive Peer Certified Professional Workforce Development Program. The project incorporates key components of – screening, linkage, and stabilization of social determinants of health needs, general workforce development training which provides career exposure opportunities, internships/apprenticeships, and job search and placement supports.	Monroe; Ontario; Orleans; Wayne	\$ 608,559.00	3 Years	October 2021
Volunteer Legal Services Project of Monroe County, Inc.	Immigrants Rights Program	<a href="https://www.vlsprochester.org">https://www.vlsprochester.org</a>	Volunteer Legal Services Project of Monroe County, Inc., is proposing a project that would provide support for the Immigrants' Rights program, continuing to provide legal representation, advice and counsel, and Know Your Rights education on applying for citizenship and legal permanent residence to low-income immigrants. The program also assists undocumented migrant families and agricultural workers with emergency preparedness planning and services. Services and other agency referrals are offered where these populations work and live. D40	Genesee; Livingston; Monroe; Ontario; Orleans; Wayne	\$ 225,415.00	3.5 Years	October 2020
Willow Domestic Violence Center of Greater Rochester	Expanding and Integrating Survivor Transition Program for Domestic & Intimate Partner Violence Survivors	<a href="https://www.abwrochester.org">https://www.abwrochester.org</a>	As with many unaddressed social needs, COVID-19 made the lack of safety within many homes even more apparent. The stay-at-home orders increased social isolation, which resulted in a reported 30% increase in domestic violence across New York State. Willow/RESOLVE reported a 40% increase in demand for services in 2020. The funding will support increasing the number of Master's level trauma trained therapist on staff to expand the availability of their Survivor Transition Program.	Monroe	\$ 243,294.00	3 Years	October 2021
Women's Foundation of Genesee Valley, Inc.	Immersive Grant Writing for Women of Color - 2nd Cohort	<a href="https://womensfoundation.org">https://womensfoundation.org</a>	As summarized by the Chronicle of Philanthropy, "nonprofits led by people of color win less grant money with more strings attached." WFGV intends to give organizations with BIPOC women leaders the tools needed to obtain more funding through grant and fundraising applications. WFGV will provide DEI-informed grant funding training to 10 Rochester-area nonprofits represented by BIPOC women, with a focus on rural communities. Up to 20 total staff members will be invited to participate in the course. The immersive program will include an immersive grant writing course, individual and group coaching sessions, mentoring with BIPOC women fundraisers, and course deliverables and benefits through participant completion of a draft grant proposal.	Genesee; Livingston; Monroe; Ontario; Orleans; Wayne; Yates	\$ 57,500.00	6 Months	July 2023

Worker Justice Center of New York	Integrative Survivor Services for Women working in Low-Wage Industries in Rural Counties	<a href="https://www.wicny.org">https://www.wicny.org</a>	The Worker Justice Center of New York proposes developing a community-focused and led support group for immigrant and migrant women. The group will focus on women who have experienced or have the potential to experience domestic, intimate partner or sexual violence or human trafficking. Through support groups and circles, participants will be provided opportunities for safety, cultural understanding, healing, and key information on various supportive services and topics focused social determinants of health.	Genesee; Livingston; Monroe; Ontario; Orleans; Seneca; Wayne; Wyoming; Yates	\$ 264,000.00	3 Years	October 2021
Yoga 4 A Good Hood Inc.	Ourselves Through Oms	<a href="https://www.yoga4agoodhood.org">https://www.yoga4agoodhood.org</a>	Founded in 2013, Y4AGH's mission is to create a space of healing for people of color and individuals with low socioeconomic status through yoga, education, and empowerment. As a BIPOC-led organization, Y4AGH aims to train and nurture a network of yoga teachers of color, create a brave space for conversations among a diverse population, teach yoga in ways that center the wisdom and creativity of BIPOC, and offer affordable and accessible yoga classes, events, and educational materials.	Monroe	\$ 300,000.00	3 Years	January 2020