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**DIRECT SERVICE**

**Bethesda Project**
Renewed support for social services agency providing shelter, housing, and compassionate supportive services for adults experiencing homelessness in Philadelphia.
$225,000 OVER THREE YEARS
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**Broad Street Ministry**
Renewed general operating support for day program serving chronically homeless, seriously mentally ill individuals with a myriad of trauma-informed social services in Philadelphia.
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**Brooklyn Community Housing and Services, Inc.**
Continuing vAF funding for a senior family clinician to treat the mental health and emotional needs of homeless mothers and their children in a Brooklyn family shelter.
$225,000 OVER THREE YEARS
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**CH Pennsylvania Under-21**
Renewed general operating grant for mental health services and emergency supports for a local chapter of a national agency serving homeless youth in Philadelphia.
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**Common Threads Project**
New funding for an arts-based therapy program for immigrant survivors of gender-based violence in New York City.
$150,000 OVER THREE YEARS
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**Every Murder Is Real**
First-time funding for a family counseling center that connects low-income BIPOC families affected by gun violence in Philadelphia to mental health treatment and other therapeutic supports.
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**Inner Strength Education**
Renewed funding for a Philadelphia nonprofit providing mindfulness training to support students and teachers in Philadelphia public high schools where poverty, violence, and trauma are rife.
$225,000 OVER THREE YEARS
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**Little Sisters of the Assumption Family Health Service, Inc.**
Renewed support for culturally appropriate, trauma-informed art therapy programs for immigrant Latino women and children at a longstanding social services agency in East Harlem, New York.
$225,000 OVER THREE YEARS
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**Lutheran Social Services of Metropolitan New York**
First-time funding for a large New York social services agency to add a clinician to provide culturally appropriate mental health services for 700 Latin American asylum-seeking refugees who recently arrived in New York City.
$225,000 OVER THREE YEARS
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**Maternity Care Coalition**
Renewed support for mobile therapy program to deliver home-based support for 125 pregnant and postpartum women in underserved neighborhoods in Philadelphia.
$225,000 OVER THREE YEARS
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**Neighborhood Coalition for Shelter, Inc.**
Renewed support for provider launching innovative housing program with on-site mental health services for 32 homeless college students in New York City.
$150,000 OVER THREE YEARS
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**New Leash on Life USA**
First-time support for a Philadelphia-based innovative prison diversion and reentry organization that uses the power of the human-animal bond to prepare justice-involved individuals for successful reentry into society.
$150,000 OVER THREE YEARS
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**Philadelphia Children’s Alliance**
Children’s advocacy center seeks renewed vAF funding to add a bilingual clinical case manager to its mental health staff to coordinate social service connections for child victims and their families in Philadelphia.
$225,000 OVER THREE YEARS
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**Prevention Point Philadelphia**
Renewed support for harm reduction agency seeking to serve chronically homeless, seriously mentally ill, and dual-diagnosed vulnerable citizens in Kensington, Philadelphia.
$225,000 OVER THREE YEARS
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**Project Hospitality**
Renewed support for Staten Island social services agency to add a clinician to provide mental health treatment and substance use disorder services for 100 Latin American refugees who recently arrived in New York.
$225,000 OVER THREE YEARS
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**Safe Passage Project**
First-time support for legal services agency with social workers on staff serving NYC-based unaccompanied immigrant youth seeking asylum in the United States.
$225,000 OVER THREE YEARS
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**Support Center for Child Advocates**
Volunteer legal services agency representing children in Philadelphia’s child welfare proceedings seeks first-time vAF funding to support a clinical social worker to ensure improved behavioral health outcomes for 100 child victims each year.
$225,000 OVER THREE YEARS
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**Zone 126 (a sponsored project of the Fund for the City of NY, Inc.)**
First-time vAF funding for social services agency to hire a full-time clinician to expand its successful high school drama therapy program to a local middle school in Queens, New York.
$225,000 OVER THREE YEARS
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Education Law Center — PA
Renewed support for Pennsylvania’s Education Law Center to advocate at the state and local level for public schools to make culturally affirming mental health supports available for students.
$300,000 OVER THREE YEARS
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International Documentary Association
First-time funding for the International Documentary Association to complete the Documentary COMMITTED, depicting one town’s attempt to treat justice-involved individuals suffering from serious mental illness.
$300,000 OVER TWO YEARS
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Juvenile Law Center
Continuing advocacy support for Philadelphia-based public interest law firm fighting for the rights of children caught in juvenile justice and child welfare systems.
$300,000 OVER THREE YEARS
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NYC Coalition to End Youth and Family Homelessness
Continuing support of a coalition to end youth and family homelessness in New York City.
$200,000 OVER ONE YEAR
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VOCAL-NY (Voices of Community Activists and Leaders)
New York City grassroots organization is returning to vAF for continuing support of its campaign to make supportive housing safe, stable, and accessible for the most marginalized mentally ill New Yorkers.
$300,000 OVER THREE YEARS
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