Universal Coverage and Access to Care

What we fund

- Public policy efforts to expand health coverage to more of the uninsured, including the undocumented, through Medi-Cal and Covered California.
- Public policy efforts to expand coverage of oral health care services for low-income adults and seniors.
- Culturally and linguistically appropriate health coverage (Medi-Cal and Covered California) outreach, education, retention and utilization activities.
- Research grants to help build the case for universal coverage, including expanding Medi-Cal coverage and dental services for low-income adults and seniors.
- Communications activities that highlight the need for expanding health and oral health coverage.
- Core support for clinics providing oral health care services and serving as a dental home for low-income adults and seniors.
- Core support for small community health clinics providing a broad range of primary health care services to low income individuals.
- Efforts that strengthen and sustain statewide and regional clinic consortia or membership organizations, or other organizations providing support for community health clinics.

What We Do Not Fund

- General health education.
- Disease-specific efforts, like diabetes, heart disease, or cancer treatment and prevention efforts.
- Nonprofits providing direct safety net services that are not community health clinics providing a broad range of primary health care services.
  - Examples of the types of safety net organizations we do not fund include: family resource centers and shelters for domestic violence survivors or homeless persons.
- Clinics or other organizations focused primarily on behavioral health, substance abuse, vision care, or specialty care, rather than comprehensive primary care services.
- Dental programs that focus **solely or predominantly on children/pediatric** dentistry. **NOTE:** Such programs may be competitive IF they are seeking to expand their capacity to serve low-income adults and seniors.
- Capital campaigns.
- Stand-alone conferences and individual research projects that are not linked to our strategies.

- Individual degrees and fellowships.

Examples of grants:

Health Access Foundation
Sacramento
$600,000/3 years
For core operating support for the new Care4All California campaign and coalition to create a high quality, affordable and equitable universal health care system in California.

UFW Foundation
Los Angeles
$295,000/3 years
For core operating support for health coverage and public benefits outreach and enrollment for farmworkers, and leadership development and public policy efforts to improve access to care for California's farmworkers.

Dientes Community Dental Care
Santa Cruz
$200,000/3 years
For core operating support to sustain comprehensive oral health services for uninsured and publicly insured low-income adults and seniors throughout Santa Cruz County.

Tri-State Community Healthcare Center
Needles
$200,000/3 years
For core operating support to continue to provide primary medical services to underserved residents of rural San Bernardino County.

System transformation

What we fund

- Innovative new models of health delivery system transformation including:
  - improving the provision of services through Medi-Cal;
  - helping health care safety net organizations transition to value-based care and alternative payment methodologies;
  - supporting approaches for providing holistic and healing centered care and addressing the social determinants of health.
- Project support for larger community health centers and clinics to address health-related social needs of patients.
- Efforts to better connect individuals to needed health and social services as well as other public benefit programs.

- Public policy or communication efforts to Increase investments in public health infrastructure and prevention activities.

What we do not fund:

- General health or prevention education.
- Disease-specific efforts, like diabetes, heart disease, or cancer prevention or treatment efforts.
- Stand-alone conferences and individual research projects that are not linked to our strategies.
- Individual degrees and fellowships.

Examples of grants:

Community Partners
Los Angeles
$500,000/3 years
For project support for the California Accountable Communities for Health Initiative, which aims to build a more expansive, connected, prevention-oriented health system in a number of communities throughout the state.

Priority Populations

Please note **we currently are not accepting unsolicited letters of interest** for the priority populations goal of this portfolio.

What we fund:

- Policy, advocacy and direct service efforts to defend immigrant rights.
- Policy, advocacy, communication and direct service efforts to protect access to sexual and reproductive health care services, especially for women of color.
- Communication efforts to create positive narratives about the role of immigrants in society.

Examples of grants:

National Immigration Law Center
Los Angeles
$850,000/3 years
For core operating support to promote the rights, opportunities and health of low-income immigrant and refugee families in California and across the nation.

California Immigrant Policy Center

Los Angeles
$250,000/1 year
For project support to continue to bring to scale the findings of a Deep Research Project on immigration messaging in Orange and Fresno counties to inform the creation of positive narratives about the role of immigrants in creating healthy communities.

Essential Access Health
Los Angeles
$250,000/3 years
For core operating support to engage in advocacy statewide and nationally to address the threats to the reproductive health safety net.

California Latinas for Reproductive Justice
Los Angeles
$250,000/3 years
For core operating support to engage in statewide and national advocacy to strengthen the reproductive health safety net and increase access to reproductive health services.