

## Advancing Wellness Grantmaking Equity in Access

### Universal Coverage and Access to Care

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#### 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.

#### Grantee Organizations We've Funded

Take a look at these grantee organizations to get a better sense of what we fund.

#### [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.

### **For More Information**

To learn more and apply for a grant, [visit here](#).