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**Colorado Springs Health Foundation approves \$3.4 MM in grants
to improve health in El Paso and Teller Counties**

COLORADO SPRINGS, CO -- The Colorado Springs Health Foundation Board of Trustees recently approved \$3.4 million in grants to 33 organizations serving El Paso and/or Teller Counties. Several of these grants are multiyear in nature. These grants address one or more of the Foundation's funding focus areas:

- Access to care for those in greatest need
- Healthcare workforce shortage
- Suicide prevention
- Healthy environments

These funding focus areas were developed and refined based on the Foundation's mission, local needs, stakeholder input and insights, and the evidence behind what influences community health.

"As we enter our fourth year of grantmaking, we continue to assess the Pikes Peak region's health needs and align our investments accordingly in order to have the greatest impact on community health. We value the work of the many organizations and individuals that work tirelessly to ensure that all El Paso and Teller County residents achieve their full health potential," said Debbie Chandler, board chair.

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About Colorado Springs Health Foundation

The Colorado Springs Health Foundation was established in 2012 through the City of Colorado Springs's lease of Memorial Health System to UHealth. The Foundation's mission is to provide grants that target immediate healthcare needs and encourage healthy living. More than \$16 million in grants have been awarded since inception, and grantmaking started in 2016.

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2019 Main Funding Opportunity
Board Decisions, April 17, 2019

Organization Name	Project Name	Total Amount Awarded (all years)	Total Amt Yr 1 (2019)	Total Amt Yr 2 (2020)	Total Amt Yr 3 (2021)
Atlas Preparatory School	Atlas Elementary - Capital Request	\$ 135,000	\$ 45,000	\$ 90,000	
Ballet Folklorico de Barajas	General Operating	\$ 1,600	\$ 1,600		
Calhan School District RJ-1	Healthy Environments Initiative	\$ 74,553	\$ 59,553	\$ 15,000	
Catholic Charities of Central Colorado	Partnering to Improve Client Health	\$ 16,000	\$ 16,000		
Cheyenne Village	Four Wheelchair vans for Neighborhood Expansion	\$ 50,000	\$ 50,000		
Colorado Springs Food Rescue	Hillside Hub Neighborhood Food Center Development	\$ 300,000	\$ 200,000	\$ 100,000	
Concrete Couch	Concrete Coyote Programming and Activation	\$ 75,000	\$ 75,000		
Craig Hospital Foundation	Operation TBI (Traumatic Brain Injury) Freedom (2019 CSHF Main Funding Opportunity)	\$ 25,000	\$ 25,000		
Eastern Plains Community Pantry	General Operating	\$ 10,000	\$ 10,000		
EverythingForSight.org (ForSight)	General Operating	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000		
Girls on the Run	Girls on the Run of the Rockies, Colorado Springs/Teller County Programs	\$ 15,000	\$ 15,000		
Hope & Home	Clinical Mental Health Services for Children Exiting Congregate Care	\$ 225,000	\$ 75,000	\$ 75,000	\$ 75,000
Innovations in Aging Collaborative	General Operating	\$ 15,000	\$ 15,000		
Inside Out Youth Services	LGBTQ Suicide Prevention Specialist and Clinician	\$ 60,000	\$ 30,000	\$ 30,000	
Lutheran Social Services of Colorado dba Lutheran Family Services Rocky Mountains	Refugee Health Navigation Program	\$ 30,000	\$ 30,000		
Memorial Hospital Foundation	UCHealth Memorial Hospital Zero Suicide Program	\$ 152,470	\$ 76,235	\$ 76,235	
Mercy's Gate	Penrose-St. Francis Neighborhood Nurse Program at Mercy's Gate	\$ 15,000	\$ 15,000		

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Ormao Dance Company	Dance for Parkinson's	\$ 3,000	\$ 3,000		
Peak Vista Community Health Centers	Creating Access to Care in Southeast Colorado Springs' Health Care Desert	\$ 400,000	\$ 400,000		
Phoenix Multisport	Colorado Springs Chapter	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000		
Pikes Peak Community College Foundation	PPCC Healthcare Education Center Interdisciplinary Simulation Initiative	\$ 900,000	\$ 300,000	\$ 300,000	\$ 300,000
Police Foundation of Colorado Springs	Medical Trauma Kits for Colorado Springs Police Officers	\$ 10,000	\$ 10,000		
Second Wind Fund	Access to life-saving therapy for youth at risk of suicide in El Paso and Teller Counties.	\$ 10,000	\$ 10,000		
Springs Recovery Connection	General Operating	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000		
Springs Rescue Mission	Samaritan's Kitchen – Nutritious Meals for People Experiencing Homelessness	\$ 50,000	\$ 50,000		
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The Trust for Public Land	Colorado Springs Parks for People: Panorama Park	\$ 600,000	\$ 300,000	\$ 300,000	
Trails and Open Space Coalition	Power to the Pedals ~ Getting the Southeast Colorado Springs (SECOS) Community Riding	\$ 16,000	\$ 16,000		
United States Association of Blind Athletes	Goalball Integration Project	\$ 5,000	\$ 5,000		
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Urban Peak Colorado Springs	Comprehensive Healthcare Support Services to Homeless Youth	\$ 20,000	\$ 20,000		
Ute Pass Regional Health Service District	Mental Health Assessment Program (MAP) Expansion Project	\$ 137,742	\$ 137,742		
Westside CARES	Health Support Services for Neighbors in Need	\$ 8,500	\$ 8,500		
TOTAL		\$ 3,429,865	\$ 2,068,630	\$ 986,235	\$ 375,000