



## Care Provision 2021 Grants

As of June 21, 2021, Caring for Denver Foundation approved 22 grants totaling more than \$8.2 million to community-based nonprofit organizations and departments within the City and County of Denver in the Care Provision priority area.

### **Asian Pacific Development Center (Denver) – Health Navigation Expansion**

to increase navigator and case management capacity to provide culturally and linguistically responsive outreach, education, case management for behavioral health services to additional refugee and immigrant communities residing in the City of Denver.

[apdc.org](http://apdc.org)

### **Atlantis Community Foundation – Atlantis Apartments Peer Navigators**

For peer navigators to serve the residents of 144 units in Atlantis Apartments I & II providing mental health and substance misuse treatment.

[atlantiscommunity.org/atlantis-community-foundation](http://atlantiscommunity.org/atlantis-community-foundation)

### **Catholic Charities of Denver – Mental Health & Substance Abuse Services at Samaritan House**

To address the mental health needs and substance abuse issues frequently identified in the people experiencing homelessness at Samaritan House by providing appropriate intervention, assessment and treatment, along with other case management services on-site.

[ccdenvr.org](http://ccdenvr.org)

### **City and County of Denver – Department of Public Health & Environment - Expanded Mobile Integrated Health Care in Under served Areas of Denver aboard Wellness Winnie**

To expand Wellness Winnie, Denver's mobile unit offering integrated behavioral health care and peer support services to people, where they are, with a focus on traveling to underserved areas to increase equitable access to care and empower all people to thrive.

[denvergov.org/Government/Departments/Public-Health-Environment](http://denvergov.org/Government/Departments/Public-Health-Environment)

### **Clínica Tepeyac – Increasing Access to Culturally Informed Mental Health Care in Denver**

To increase access to mental health care among low-income Latino community members in Denver by enhancing provider and staff cultural competence and expanding capacity to provide evidence-based, culturally responsive interventions for adults and children.

[clinatepeyac.org](http://clinatepeyac.org)

### **Colorado Health Network, Inc. – Mental Health Care for People Who Use Drugs**

To provide a safe, social space where people who use drugs can engage in support group sessions and educational programs, as well as receive referrals to behavioral health counseling and other support services.

[coloradohealthnetwork.org](http://coloradohealthnetwork.org)

### **Colorado Mental Wellness Network – Training and Elevating Denver's Peer Support Professional Workforce**

To expand this organization's Peer Support Professional and Peer Support Supervisor training and comprehensive workforce support offerings, helping to meet elevated care provision needs for mental health and/or substance misuse conditions in Denver.

[cmwn.org](http://cmwn.org)

**Elements of Discovery - Therapist of Color Collaborative** – “Shifting the Paradigm of Youth Mental Wellness – in Communities of Color”

To create a sustainable and replicable model of providing culturally inclusive mental health and substance misuse services to underserved youth and their families.

[elementofdiscovery.com](http://elementofdiscovery.com)

**Face It TOGETHER** – Peer Coaching for Addiction for At-Risk Individuals

To increase awareness and provide peer coaching for individuals struggling with addiction. Face It TOGETHER will partner with the Denver VOICE to reach low-income individuals who face inequities within addiction care and other services.

[wefaceittogether.org](http://wefaceittogether.org)

**First Descents** – Improving Provider Mental Health through Adventure and Peer Support

To provide a non-clinical intervention to support healthcare workers recovering from the trauma of COVID-19. These offerings will empower providers to prioritize their physical, emotional and social well-being to improve long-term mental health.

[firstdescents.org](http://firstdescents.org)

**Griffith Centers for Children, Inc** – Increasing Access to Community Based Mental Health for Denver Residents through Wraparound Supportive Services.

To provide increased access to mental health counseling, truancy prevention, and wraparound supportive services to residents of Denver through in-person community-based services or remotely through tele-behavioral health.

[griffithcenters.org](http://griffithcenters.org)

**Joy as Resistance** – Joy To Go

For mobile, comprehensive mental health and wellness services to LGBTQIA2+ youth

[joyasresistance.org](http://joyasresistance.org)

**Karis Community** – Empowerment Program

To enable adults recovering from serious and persistent mental illness to reduce their symptoms, improve relationships, and transition to independent living.

[kariscommunity.org](http://kariscommunity.org)

**Maria Droste Counseling Center** – Building Capacity to Provide Accessible Behavioral Health Care in Denver

To build clinical care capacity by hiring additional key staff and engaging in essential clinician training and wellness activities to more comprehensively meet the needs of individuals living with mental health and/or substance use conditions in Denver.

[mariadroste.org](http://mariadroste.org)

**Mile High Behavioral Healthcare** – Miracles Women’s Services: Post-pandemic system of care

To increase capacity to provide a comprehensive array of treatment and aftercare services to support women who have a substance use disorder and/or co-occurring mental health condition, and their families.

[mhbhc.org](http://mhbhc.org)

**Rocky Mountain Crisis Partners** – Building Inclusive Access To Crisis Care

In preparation for the transition to the new 988 phone number for behavioral health crises, the organization plans to implement targeted strategies to improve access to crisis hotline care for Spanish speakers and justice-involved individuals in Denver.

[rmcrisispartners.org](http://rmcrisispartners.org)

**Servicios de La Raza** - Proyecto Adelante (Project Forward)

For Proyecto Adelante, a mental health, trauma, and substance misuse program which increases trust and provides accessible care, and ensures that Spanish-speaking providers have what they need to provide high quality, culturally informed care and fitting the needs of the Latino community.  
[serviciosdelaraza.org](http://serviciosdelaraza.org)

**Sobriety House** – Treatment Enhancement & Quality Improvement Proposal

To enhance the quality of services within this organization's residential levels of care for substance use disorder treatment by increased staffing to provide intensive case management and improved outreach/care coordination.  
[sobrietyhouse.org](http://sobrietyhouse.org)

**Spark the Change Colorado** – Increasing the capacity of Spark the Change Colorado's Mental Wellness Program to provide access to greater numbers and a greater diversity of low-income individuals

Through increasing capacity and devising supports for the volunteer mental health practitioners, this organization seeks to remove barriers to mental health care by serving greater numbers and a greater diversity of disadvantaged Denverites.  
[sparkthechangecolorado.org](http://sparkthechangecolorado.org)

**Stout Street Foundation** – Long Term Substance Use Disorder Recovery For Denver Residents

To provide long-term residential substance use disorder recovery for residents of Denver at no charge.  
[stoutstreet.org](http://stoutstreet.org)

**TOSA:Denver** – The Other Side Academy: Denver's Recovery Community

To provide refuge for individuals with a history of chronic substance abuse, 95% of whom experience homelessness and repeat incarceration. Men and women change their lives free of charge in this unique two-year, residential, work-oriented, peer recovery community.  
[tosadenver.com](http://tosadenver.com)

**Voluntad (formerly Street's Hope)** – Peer Support to enhance mental health and substance misuse outcomes for survivors of Human Trafficking

To grow this organization's Peer Support Program to improve mental health and substance misuse outcomes of human trafficking survivors resulting in sustained recovery and improved health.  
[voluntad.org](http://voluntad.org)