

2021 COMMUNITY GRANTEES

Organization Name	Oral Health Focus Area	Project Summary	Area
WelcomeHealth	Treatment	Provide access to no-cost dental extraction services for low-income uninsured individuals who cannot find care anywhere else.	Northwest
Shepherd's Hope Neighborhood Medical Center	Treatment	Provide urgent dental care to the uninsured.	Central
Samaritan Community Center	Treatment	Provide high-qualify, comprehensive and emergency oral health care to low-income, uninsured adults in Northwest Arkansas.	Northwest
DePaul Community Health Centers	Treatment	Replace outdated dental equipment in dental clinic located in Gould, Arkansas.	Southeast
University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences Foundation	Treatment	Provide cost-modified comprehensive oral health care in an educational environment to underserved and vulnerable populations of the local community, state, and region.	Central
UA Little Rock Children International	Treatment	Decrease untreated dental cavities among children screened and increase the number of students with sealants.	Pulaski
Harmony Health Clinic	Treatment	Provide extractions and infection treatment for those in urgent need in Central Arkansas.	Pulaski
Community Dental Clinic (a program of CSCDC)	Treatment	Provide full and partial dentures to 53 patients.	Crawford ; Sebastian

Hope Cancer Resources	Treatment	Ensure access to necessary dental care for cancer patients to prevent a delay in their cancer treatment.	Northwest
University of Arkansas for Medical Sciences Foundation	Treatment	Purchase equipment for periodontal services offered by students with the UAMS Dental Hygiene Department.	Lonoke ; Pulaski
Conway Regional Health Foundation	Treatment	Build oral health awareness in the community and provide free or reduced cost dental care to low-income and underserved children, adolescents, and adults.	Central
Cancer Support Foundation	Treatment	Provide financial assistance for cancer patients to access needed dental treatment.	Crawford; Franklin; Johnson; Logan; Polk; Scott; Sebastian; Yell
Safe Haven Ministries, Inc.	Treatment	Address the critical oral health issues of our clients served in rehab program.	Franklin; Johnson; Logan; Pope; Yell

Lafayette County Dental Clinic, Inc.	Prevention	Improve access to oral health care in an underserved area and any other surrounding areas by focusing on early prevention and oral hygiene education.	Lafayette
Arkansas Medical, Dental & Pharmaceutical Association (AMDPA)	Prevention	Build a diverse, representative oral health and wellness equity coalition to help improve oral and overall health strategies and/or expanding access to healthcare services and opportunities in low-income communities;	Northeast; Southeast

Arkansas Children's Foundation	Education	Initiate a conversation about oral early health care (ages 0-5) with parents through provision of educational resources and training in the families' homes during Arkansas Home Visiting Network visits.	Entire State
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Boys & Girls Clubs OF Arkansas River Valley	Education	Improve the oral health of the children in our community by increasing access, education, and treatment of oral health issues through our initiative.	Pope ; Yell
University of Central Arkansas	Education	Improve the oral health and nutrition status of low-income and minority children attending Head Start in Faulkner and Cleburne Counties via education and experience, using innovative training methods for dietitians and speech pathologists.	Conway, Greenbrier, Quitman, and Heber Springs, Arkansas
University of Arkansas Fort Smith Foundation	Education	Update equipment to expand the ability of the UAFS Dental Hygiene Program to provide oral health prevention, education, and treatment to underserved individuals in the River Valley in an efficient, safe environment for students, faculty and patients.	Northwest
Arkansas Department of Health	Education	Implement Healthy Active Smiles, a statewide program utilizing video education modules, to teach young children about healthy eating and oral health.	Entire State
Arkansas Foodbank	Education	Provide access to healthy food and proper teeth hygiene for students served through Backpack program.	Central ; Southeast
World Services for the Blind (WSB)	Education	Increase the quality of life of the Marshallese in Northwest Arkansas who suffer from visual impairment due to Diabetes through health education and assistive technology training.	Northwest
Arkansas Community Foundation	Education	Build the capacity of AIP, including support for coordination, strategic visioning/action planning, and advance early childhood development co-investment strategies.	Entire State