

Lane Community Health Council Community Initiative Grant Recipient Announcement

Lane Community Health Council is pleased to announce the recipients of our second annual Community Initiative Grants (CIG)! Through this program, Lane Community Health Council in partnership with PacificSource Community Solutions has invested in upstream solutions that address community youth behavioral health needs.

We are excited to support these organizations as they continue to provide critical services to support community health needs!

Rhonda Busek Executive Director Lane Community Health Council

Organization	Project	Project Summary
Community Outreach	Behavioral Health Access	Support and expand C.O.R.E.'s Life
for Radical	for Underserved Young	Skills Support Program at their youth
Empowerment	People	center for at-risk young people ages 29
(C.O.R.E.)		and under. Includes addressing harm
		reduction needs and programming led
		by people with lived experience.
Network Charter	Building a Policy of Equity	Working with a local equity
School	and Inclusivity	consultant, review and update all
		school policies and procedures to
		make school culture more inclusive,
		including offering workshops for
		students and families.
Grand Rising Unlimited	Grand Rising Unlimited	After-school and summer programs
	Healing in Lane County	for youth empowerment and healthy
		habits for middle schoolers.
H.O.N.E.Y., Inc.	Journey to Holistic Wellness	Mindfulness activities to improve
	and Healing	mental health in local elementary,
		middle, and high schools, including
		creation of a wellness ambassador
		program to create self-care, wellness,
		and anti-bullying leaders at all grade
		levels in schools.

2023 CIG Recipients & Projects

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Ophelia's Place	Inclusive Behavioral Health	Increased access to behavioral health
	Program to Empower Youth	services, including support and
		empowerment groups for girls ages
		10-18.
NAACP	The Deepest Well—	Book and journal club for local youth
Eugene/Springfield	Changing the Inequitable	focused around culturally competent
	Mental Health and Social	healthcare and mental healthcare.
	Services Landscape	
White Bird Clinic	Expanding Access to Youth	Expand outreach in rural Lane County
	Behavioral Health Services	Schools, including summer clinics, for
	in Lane County	teens via White Bird's Helping Out
		Teens in Schools (HOOTS) program.