

An Introduction

This report from your local health foundation shares accomplishments for the year 2019. Publishing this report in *Next Door Neighbors* magazine allows us to reach nearly 44,000 households with details about our efforts to improve the health and well-being of everyone living in Greater Williamsburg.

First and foremost, 2019 was a year of change. We want to thank all the organizations and individuals in our community who worked to expand Medicaid to an additional 4,455 individuals in our area who needed and qualified for this new health coverage. (An additional 1,170 were added since 2019 through July of 2020).

Second, during 2019 we brought a sharper focus and significant financial investment to building the capacity of nonprofit organizations in our community to do the good work that they do.

We were delighted to fund access for 100 local organizations to Catchafire.org, a web platform that provides the skilled volunteers and pre-scoped projects that are critical to nonprofit success. The response was overwhelmingly positive, with nearly \$500,000 in projects and consulting calls completed by 50 organizations. We are pleased to say that the effort has been renewed for another year.

We also invested in the Nonprofit Management Institute, a joint venture between NetworkPeninsula and Thomas Nelson Community College to provide ongoing education and certifications for nonprofit staff and board members. That program continues to strengthen local nonprofit leadership in 2020 and beyond.

Third, as a means of building our own toolbox of funding capabilities, our Board of Trustees approved two new policies connected to *Impact Investing and Advocacy*—policies that give us new options for using our funds in partnership with other funders to invest in transformative projects beyond traditional grantmaking.

As you will see in the pages of this report, in 2019 the Williamsburg Health Foundation made grants of nearly \$5 million. As always, we ask you to be part of our vision—a vision of individuals making healthy choices in a community with health opportunities for all. How? By supporting a local nonprofit organization through time or money; by making healthy choices for yourself, encouraging healthy behavior by example; and by advocating for the health of the community as a whole.

And, now, a few thoughts on 2020 . . .

... About 2020

The COVID-19 virus did not threaten our community until 2020. But we would be remiss if we did not acknowledge the tremendous creativity, flexibility, and effort that so many people, especially frontline caregivers, have shown since this March. Greater Williamsburg organizations collaborated to provide daily necessities and to deliver healthcare.



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Louis F. Rossiter Chair, Board of Trustees

To give partner organizations maximum flexibility to meet their most immediate needs and challenges related to COVID-19, we unrestricted over 2.5 million dollars in existing grants. We have also assisted with collaboration and communication so organizations in the community can avoid duplication of effort and achieve evermore strategic and equitable distribution of resources.

We look forward to sharing a full report on our COVID-19 work of 2020 in next year's Report to the Community. We will also celebrate the resiliency of our community with a video coming to www.williamsburghealthfoundation.org in October. Please stay tuned.

Until then, please wear your mask to protect those around you and yourself; and be well.

- CLS & LFR









What goes into your health?





EXPANSION IN GREATER WILLIAMSBURG 2019 Annual Awards

On October 30, 2019, the Williamsburg Health Foundation hosted over 150 people at our annual awards breakfast to highlight the impact of Medicaid expansion on the community. Our guest speaker was Commissioner S. Duke Storen of the Virginia Department of Social Services which oversees Medicaid enrollment.



S. Duke Storen
Virginia Department of Social
Services Commissioner

The event gave special recognition to local departments of Social Services for their work to enroll residents of Greater Williamsburg in health insurance.

In a video featured at the breakfast, local Medicaid recipients, social workers, and healthcare executives all explained the impact of Medicaid expansion from their perspectives.

Beth Shisler, a Williamsburg-area mom and medical aide who suffered with debilitating migraines, used her newly acquired Medicaid to see physician specialists. "I found out I was allergic to gluten and soy and yeast," she said. With a diagnosis and maintenance medications, Shisler can now control her migraines. "I'm more capable, and so much happier," she said.

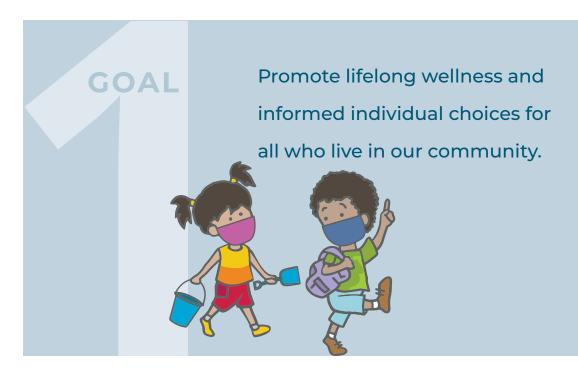
Lynette Diaz, a social worker with James City

County noted "when individuals are able to receive the care that they need, there's less incidence of a ripple effect of other needs. What we see in our work, is that if the physical health and the mental health is being addressed it lays the foundation to be able to address things like employment and housing stability."

Mary Slade, RN, a home-visiting nurse with the City of Williamsburg, pointed out that if parents have access to healthcare, they "feel better, they have greater energy to take care of their children. The children are sick less, the children go to school more, and they get to participate in outside activities. It just creates a more vibrant community for everyone."

To watch the video shared at the annual awards, visit youtube.com/user/ WburgCommunityHealth







Grants to Support the Health of Children and Families

Center for Child and Family Services, Inc. kidsandfamilies.com	Violence Prevention and Intervention Program	\$35,000	
Child Development Resources cdr.org	Breastfeeding: Building Confidence and Competence Infant & Parent Program Parents As Teachers (PAT)	\$ 6,000 \$100,000 \$ 84,000	
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City of Williamsburg	Child Health Initiative	\$260,000	
James City County	Child Health Initiative	\$275,000	



Grants for Access to Healthy Food

Community Housing Partners communitypartnersva.com	Mobile Food Pantry	\$	5,000
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Peninsula Agency on Aging	Nutritious Noontime Meals	\$	65,000
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Virginia Peninsula Foodbank	Mobile Food Pantry: Fresh Produce Program	\$	25,000
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Williamsburg House of Mercy, Inc. williamsburghouseofmercy.org	Mobile Food Pantry	\$	12,000

Assessing How We Work: Grantee Perception Report

Early in 2020, WHF engaged the Center for Effective Philanthropy, a national organization helping funders to assess and improve effectiveness and impact, to complete a grantee perception report. Our goal was to better understand our work from the grantees' point of view so we can more effectively support grantee partners. A confidential online survey resulted in candid feedback.

The report revealed potential areas for growth. We learned our lines of communication need to be enhanced to increase trust, mutual respect, and understanding. Going forward, we will communicate more consistently and meet more frequently with all grantees.

Grants for Wellness Promotion



The Arc of Greater Williamsburg thearcgw.org	Fitness Program	\$ 30,000
Bacon Street Youth and Family Services baconstreet.org	The Bridges Project	\$ 36,000
One Child Center for Autism onechildcenterforautism.org	Kids' Night	\$11,500
Williamsburg Soccer Foundation williamsburgsoccer.com	Virginia Legacy Community Partnership Program	\$ 20,000
Williamsburg-James City County Public School Division wjccschools.org/academics/ship	School Health Initiative Program (SHIP)	\$670,000

Grants for Information and Referral



Colonial Behavioral Health	WMBGCARES.ORG Greater Williamsburg		
colonialbh.org	Network of Care (NOC)	\$	37,000
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Peninsula Agency on Aging	Greater Williamsburg Aging		
paainc.org	and Disability Resource Center	\$	70,000

\$85,000



Chronic Care Collaborative



### **Grants for Advanced Primary Care**

**Angels of Mercy Medical Mission** 

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Gloucester Mathews Care Clinic gmcareclinic.com	Chronic Care Collaborative	\$200,000
Lackey Clinic lackeyclinic.org	Chronic Care Collaborative	\$400,000
Olde Towne Medical & Dental Center oldetownemedicalcenter.org	Chronic Care Collaborative Improving Diabetic Self-Management through Health Coaching Support for Clinic Operations	\$250,000 \$ 20,000 \$450,000
Grants for Behavioral Heal	thcare	
Center for Child & Family Services, Inc. kidsandfamilies.com	Neurofeedback Counseling Program Multicultural Counseling and Outreach Program	\$ 13,000 \$ 40,000
Colonial Behavioral Health colonialbh.org	Chronic Care Collaborative Greater Williamsburg Child Assessment Center Intensive Outpatient Program (IOP)	\$175,000 \$271,000 \$ 50,000
Elk Hill Farm, Inc. elkhill.org	Elk Hill's York County School-Based Mental Health Program	\$ 15,000
Postpartum Support Virginia, Inc. postpartumva.org	Greater Williamsburg Maternal Mental Health Coalition	\$8,000
William & Mary School of Education , New Horizons Family Counseling Center education.wm.edu/centers/newhorizons	Youth and Family Counseling Program	\$95,000

## Assessing How We Work: Grantee Perception Report

The report suggested that WHF possesses a deep understanding of Greater Williamsburg, and that our funding priorities reflect the needs of area residents. Perhaps our greatest strength is the proportion of grantees that report benefiting from non-monetary assistance such as facilitated collaboration, research, professional development, and more. We thank the organizations that made completion of this survey a priority.



## Grants for Medication Access



Rx Partnership	Access to Medication Program (AMP)	\$ 25,000
rxpartnership.org	Chronic Care Collaborative	\$ 35,000
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Virginia Health Care Foundation	Greater Williamsburg Medication	
vhcf.org	Access Program (GWMAP)	\$378,000

Grants for Access to Healthcare Services



The Doorways thedoorways.org	Basic Operating Support	\$ 15,000
Foundation For Rehabilitation Equipme & Endowment (FREE) free-foundation.org	nt F.R.E.E. of Williamsburg	\$ 26,000
Greater Williamsburg Heartsafe Alliance heartsafewmbg.com	Greater Williamsburg Heartsafe Alliance	\$ 30,000
Literacy for Life at the Rita Welsh Adult Learning Center literacyforlife.org	Health Education and Literacy Program (HEAL)	\$ 55,000
Peninsula Agency on Aging (PAA) paainc.org	RIDES Program	\$120,000
Williamsburg Area Faith in Action wfia.org	Medical Transportation	\$ 50,000





NetworkPeninsula	Nonprofit Management Institute	\$ 30,000
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One Child Center for Autism	Capacity Building	\$ 20,000
onechildcenterforautism.org		
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Williamsburg Area Faith in Action	Support for a Development Director	\$ 28,000
wfia.org		



Small grants, research and evaluation, and annual awards

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TOTAL AMOUNT OF GRANTS AWARDED FOR 2019

\$4,966,897

\$341,397

Access Williamsburg: One Call for Older Adults



A partnership between the Peninsula Agency on Aging (PAA) and the Williamsburg Area Transit Authority (WATA), Access Williamsburg empowers adults over 60 and individuals with disabilities to access fully coordinated transportation scheduling. Instead of calling around, individuals make one call to 757-920-5800. We are proud to have helped with Access Williamsburg—an important step toward utilizing community resources efficiently, reducing duplication of services, and supporting aging in place.

WHF Financial Summary

The Foundation's primary investment objective is to provide financial support to fulfill its mission in perpetuity. To achieve this, a return on investment of its assets must keep up with inflation, cover the cost of operations, and provide funds for distribution as grants. 2019 program-related expenses increased by \$400,000 over the prior year, including \$4.97 million in grants to local nonprofits.

Summary Statements of Financial Position (in thousands)



As of December 31

Sola Moniz *Chief Financial Officer*

Summary Statements of Financial Fosition (in thousands)		A3 01 December 31
	2019	2018
TOTAL ASSETS	\$128,500	\$116,600
Liabilities: Grants and Other Accounts Payable	700	600
Unrestricted Net Assets	127,800	116,000
LIABILITIES AND NET ASSETS	\$128,500	\$116,600
Summary Statements of Activities (in thousands) UNRESTRICTED REVENUE AND GAINS (LOSSES)		Ended December 31
Investment Income and Gains (Losses), Net of Fees	\$18,300	\$(3,100)
EXPENSES		
Community Grants	5,000	4,800
Program, General and Administrative Expenses	1,412	1,400
Federal Excise and State Tax (Benefit) Expense	88	(100)
	6,500	6,100
CHANGE IN NET ASSETS	11,800	(9,200)
NET ASSETS, BEGINNING OF YEAR	116,000	125,200
NET ASSETS, END OF YEAR	\$127,800	\$116,000

Assessing our Impact

Here are some quick facts and figures on outputs from grants made in the calendar year 2018. We use facts like these as just one part of our ongoing work to understand and assess our impact on the community. Not all our work can be quantified, but we believe this information helps illustrate one aspect of our community impact. *Note: While this publication is our Community Report for 2019, these facts are from 2018 because of time lag for data gathering and aggregating.*



BEHAVIORAL HEALTHCARE SERVICES



900 + people served



14,395 (1,716) hours

500 + people served



19,528 hours of assessment or therapy





6,800 + people served



2,500⁺ people served



41,94130-day filled prescriptions

Vision

Individuals making healthy choices in a community with health opportunities for all.

Mission

Inspire collaboration, mobilize resources, and encourage innovation to enhance the health and well-being of people living in Greater Williamsburg.

Values

We are...bold innovators, responsible decision makers, evidence-based actors, collaborative partners.



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