

## NORTHWEST CHILDREN'S FUND GRANT RECIPIENTS **Fall 2003 - Spring 2004**

### HEALING ABUSED CHILDREN

*By providing treatment and counseling for these very fragile children.*

Agency	Program Description	Grant Amount
Camp Opportunity	Therapeutic five-day camp for abused and neglected children in Southwest Washington	\$3,000
Childhaven	Therapeutic child development services	\$10,000
Children's Home Society	Eight-week therapeutic groups for child victims of sexual abuse	\$7,500
Consejo Counseling and Referral Services and their children	Transitional housing and services for low-income Latino victims of domestic violence	\$10,000
DAWN (Domestic Abuse Women's Network)	Domestic violence shelter for parents and children; offers in-shelter family therapy and play therapy for kids	\$17,500
Deaconess Children's Services child abuse and neglect	Parent education, case management and home visiting for at-risk parents to prevent	\$10,000
Eastside Domestic Violence Program	Play therapy, one-on-one counseling, and parenting classes	\$10,000
First Place transition, crisis or homelessness	Kindergarten through 7th-grade education for children who are vulnerable due to	\$5,000
First Place for Children	Therapeutic childcare for children under age five in Pierce County	\$20,000
Girl Scouts - Totem Council support by trained child behavior specialists	Comprehensive program for foster care girls providing social learning and emotional	\$20,000
Kinderling Center	Pilot project to provide assessment for disabled infants and young children in foster care	\$10,000
Kitsap Community Resources	Support for Kitsap County families identified by CPS as at-risk for child abuse and neglect	\$10,000
Lutheran Community Services	Permanency planning for children in foster care	\$10,000
Medina Children's Services families	Adoption services for at-risk and special-needs youth, training and support for adoptive	\$10,000
Northwest Family Life	Play therapy for children and teens affected by domestic abuse	\$10,000
Olive Crest of foster families	Therapeutic foster care for abused children and recruitment, screening, and training	\$12,500
Pediatric Interim Care Center	Care and treatment for drug-addicted newborns as they go through withdrawal	\$10,000
Perinatal Treatment Services children during drug treatment	Program supporting low-income, chemically-dependent young mothers and their	\$10,000
TeamChild that the government is legally required to provide	Legal services for foster children to help them get services, mainly education related,	\$25,000
UW Child Advocacy Clinic	Facilitation of legal advocacy for foster care youth	\$10,000
WACAP  (World Association for Children and Parents)	Program finding permanent homes for children in the adoption system	\$15,000
		<b>\$235,500</b>

### DEVELOPING YOUTH

*By providing opportunities for youth to fulfill their potential. By instilling positive values, building relationships and helping youth learn to make good decisions.*

Big Brothers/Big Sisters	Weekly one-on-one mentoring in elementary schools throughout Northwest Washington	\$7,000
Boys and Girls Club of Bellevue public housing	After-school and summer tutoring, mentoring, and life skills education to children living in	\$5,000
Center for Career Alternatives attendance, and attitude enabling them to return to school	Program assisting expelled or suspended middle-school students to improve academics,	\$10,000
The Children's Museum New Holly public housing development	After-school curriculum-structured, multi-cultural arts program for kids living in	\$7,000
City Year	Support to middle schoolers with a history of suspensions	\$7,500
Communities in Schools	Tutoring and enrichment for low-income and military-dependent community schools	\$5,000
Community for Youth	Mentoring program for at-risk students at Seattle's three highest risk public high schools	\$10,000
Empowering Youth & Families	Literacy and enrichment programs after school and during the summer	\$10,000
Everyone Has A Song	Learning center for youth not succeeding in traditional schools	\$7,500
Federal Way Youth & Family Services housing communities	After-school mentoring, tutoring, and enrichment for residents of three low-income	\$5,000
Mockingbird Society or aging out of foster care	Paid employment and training in the field of journalism to youth who are homeless	\$25,000

**DEVELOPING YOUTH (Continued)**

Agency	Program Description	Grant Amount
The Northwest Leadership Foundation at-risk populations in the Hilltop neighborhood of Tacoma	Network of neighborhood centers providing academic tutoring and college prep for	\$10,000
Pike Market Child Care & Preschool	Childcare and family support for low-income families in Seattle	\$10,000
Rainier Scholars	Tutoring and academic enrichment for gifted children of color	\$5,000
Ruth Dykeman Children's Center treatment programs or incarceration	Independent living program for abused or neglected teens transitioning from \$7,750	
SafeFutures Youth Center	After-school education program serving at-risk populations in the High Point neighborhood	\$15,000
Seattle Scores to give at-risk kids positive avenues for growth	After-school program providing soccer, creative writing, and community service projects	\$10,000
Skyway Tutoring	Tutoring and enrichment in a safe environment in the Skyway neighborhood	\$7,500
Treehouse achievement	An on-going tutoring program to help struggling, foster children increase their academic \$30,000	
Friends & Servants/ YMCA of Tacoma/Pierce County	Mentoring for court-referred youth through the fulfillment of their court/community service obligations	\$3,000
Youth Tutoring/CCS one-on-one tutoring sessions	After-school tutoring centers providing students of public housing with twice-weekly, \$20,000	
		<b>\$197,250</b>

**STRENGTHENING FAMILIES**

*By ensuring that children have safe, healthy, stable homes in which to grow up. By giving families a chance to break the cycle of poverty and achieve independence.*

Associated Ministries referrals to help families transition from welfare to independence	Program providing mentoring, financial counseling, weekly in-home visits, and resource	\$10,000
CASA Latina lives of their children	Women's group for low-income Latina women trying to improve their lives and the \$10,000	
Child Abuse Prevention Foundation homes on Whidbey Island	Program providing respite to caregivers of children with developmental problems in \$15,000	
Child Care Resources	Agency finds child care providers for families that are homeless, poor, and lack stability	\$7,500
Cocoon House youth leaving the criminal justice system	Homeless prevention program for families of teens experiencing conflict at home and for \$15,000	
Denise Louie Education Center	Low-income daycare for 3-5 year olds for whom English is a second language	\$15,000
Faith Homes	Housing and services for low-income, pregnant teens and new mothers	\$5,000
First Avenue Service Center resources, and case management	Day shelter in downtown Seattle that offers families a comprehensive array of services, \$10,000	
Helping Hand House homeless prevention program, serving the Puyallup area	Comprehensive emergency and transitional housing for homeless families, including	\$20,000
Hilltop Health Ministries to attend by the juvenile justice system or school counselors	Counseling, anger management, and mentoring for at-risk youth and families mandated	\$6,000
Housing Hope in Snohomish County and Camano Island	New learning center for before and after-school programs for very low income families \$7,500	
Interfaith Association of Snohomish County	Emergency housing and wrap-around services, including parenting classes for families in crisis	\$9,000
Kids' Place Early Learning Center	Implementation of the Second Step violence prevention curriculum	\$10,000
Sacred Heart Shelter stay in school	Program provides children's advocate for Sacred Heart Shelter to oversee and help children \$5,000	
Vision House	Transitional housing and comprehensive services for homeless mothers and children	\$5,000
WA Association of Family-Based Treatment Services	Education institutes for therapeutic foster parents and social workers	\$10,000
		<b>\$160,000</b>

**OTHER**

Philanthropy Northwest	To help create stronger Northwest communities through effective philanthropy	\$1,770
Children's Alliance changes in public policies, priorities, and programs	Advocacy and education to improve the well being of children by effecting positive	\$1,000
Opportunity Fund for parents and families	Pooled grant for early learning, after school, and youth development, as well as support \$10,000	
<b>TOTAL GRANTS AWARDED</b>		<b>\$635,520</b>