

NORTHWEST CHILDREN'S FUND GRANT RECIPIENTS: Fall 2008 - Spring 2009

HEALING ABUSED CHILDREN

By providing treatment and counseling for children suffering from abuse and neglect.

AGENCY	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION	GRANT(\$)
Amara	Parenting and adoption services to create safety and permanence for at-risk and special-needs children.	19,000
Childhaven	Therapeutic and emergency childcare providing respite for families in need.	10,000
Domestic Abuse Women's Network	Services for women and children who have experienced domestic violence.	30,000
Domestic Violence Services of Snohomish County	Integrated support for victims of domestic abuse and their children in Snohomish County.	8,350
Jumping Mouse Children's Center	Long-term, intensive play therapy and social advocacy for neglected and abused children.	30,000
Lutheran Community Services Northwest	Permanency planning and case management for foster children and their families.	10,000
The Mockingbird Society	Foster care system development through youth leadership programs and extended-family model for foster care.	17,500
Northwest Youth Services	Long-term housing and services provided by licensed foster parents for homeless youth ages 15-17.	15,000
Pediatric Interim Care Center	Intensive, specialized care for drug-exposed newborn infants.	12,000
Ryther Child Center	Residential, outpatient and prevention program for severely abused and/or neglected children.	18,000
SafePlace	Integrated, wrap-around services for victims of domestic violence.	11,850
Sound Mental Health	Specialized counseling services to help children and their supportive parents recover from domestic violence.	15,000
UWMedicine-Harborview Foster Care	Primary pediatric care for children in foster care.	10,000
YWCA of Seattle, King and Snohomish Counties	Education for children who have suffered from abuse and neglect, and their non-abusive caregivers .	14,000

HELPING AT-RISK YOUTH

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

AGENCY	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION	GRANT(\$)
Atlantic Street Center	Youth Development Program: educational program which strives to help at-risk youth thrive academically, socially and emotionally.	10,000
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Island County	Mentoring services for low-income, high-risk teen & pre-teen girls living in Island County.	10,000
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Southwest Washington	One-on-one professionally supported mentoring for at-risk youth in southwest Washington.	10,000
Boys & Girls Clubs of Southwest Washington	Therapeutic counseling for families and children with behavioral problems.	7,500
Boys & Girls Clubs of Whatcom County	Programs and services for youth living on Lummi Island.	14,000
Communities in Schools of Lakewood	Preparing at-risk teens for life through network of parents, volunteers, business and community organizations.	7,500
Communities in Schools of Orting	School-based mentoring, enrichment, and outreach program for youth at risk of school failure in Orting.	13,500
FareStart	Comprehensive job training for homeless and at-risk youth.	8,000
Friends of the Children	Long-term, early-intervention mentoring program for at-risk children in greater Seattle.	7,500
Friends of Youth	Integrated treatment and therapeutic services for youth and young adults transitioning from homelessness.	7,000
HomeStep	Intensive case management and transitional housing for homeless youth.	17,000
New Horizons Ministries	Continuum of programs and services for Seattle's homeless youth.	15,000
Peace For the Streets by Kids from the Streets	Support and services for homeless youth and young adults in Seattle.	15,000
Powerful Schools	One-on-one enrichment programs for high-needs public elementary schools in southeast	5,000
Seattle Education Access	Fighting poverty and homelessness by helping marginalized youth make strong transitions	8,000
Sound Youth Counseling	Individual and group therapy for youth ages engaged in high-risk behavior, experiencing	7,000
TeamChild	Legal representation and advocacy for youth at risk for involvement in the juvenile justice	15,000

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Treehouse	In-school and after-school one-on-one tutoring for foster children.	5,000
University District Youth Center - CCS	Continuum of critical services for homeless, at-risk, runaway, and/or street-involved youth.	10,000
University Street Ministry	Street outreach for out-of-home youth in the University District in Seattle.	8,000
Youth in Focus	Mentoring program empowering at-risk urban teens through photography.	5,000
Youth Tutoring Program - CCS	After-school tutoring program for kids living in five Seattle low-income public housing communities.	14,300

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

AGENCY	PROGRAM DESCRIPTION	GRANT(\$)
Catalyst for Kids	Program supporting birth-parent advocacy and involvement in Washington's child welfare system.	7,500
Child Care Action Council	Emergency child care for young children of families experiencing personal crisis.	8,000
Child Care Resources	Comprehensive child care services for homeless children and support for their families.	7,500
Children's Home Society	Parenting and anger management classes for parents referred by the court-system.	6,000
Cocoon House	Consultation, parenting classes and seminars for parents and guardians of street-involved teens in Snohomish County.	12,500
Exodus Housing	Therapeutic recovery education and home visitations for families impacted by domestic violence.	10,500
Healthy Start	Critical parenting education, mentoring and support for high-risk families.	20,000
Helping Hand House	Emergency and transitional housing and case management services for homeless families in Pierce County.	12,500
Housing Hope	Comprehensive services and case management for homeless teens and young parents with babies working towards housing stability.	15,000
Interfaith Association of Northwest Washington	Transitional housing, support and case management services for homeless families in crisis.	20,000
King County Sexual Assault Resource Center	Therapeutic and family services for Spanish-speaking victims of sexual abuse.	5,000
Kirkland Interfaith Transitions in Housing	Support and case management for homeless families in crisis.	5,000
Kitsap Community Resources	Programming for families facing potential separation due to child abuse and neglect.	15,000
Mary Bridge Children's Hospital & Health Center	Intensive, therapeutic home-visiting and group interventions to increase protective factors in families raising medically fragile infants under socially vulnerable conditions.	12,500
Mother Baby Center	Pre-natal and post-delivery social services for extremely low-income families in Whatcom County.	10,000
Navos	Intensive services to help children and parents/caregivers develop secure attachments, and intervention for children with emotional and mental health issues.	7,500
New Futures	Literacy-based summer program for disadvantaged elementary-aged students.	12,500
Our Sisters' House	Program for at-risk teens who have initiated violence at home or school in Tacoma-Pierce County, and their families.	8,000
Parent Trust for Washington Children	Support and education services for at-risk families through every stage of a child's life.	10,000
Phoenix Housing Network - CCS	Therapy for youth of homeless families with emotional and mental health needs.	8,000
Rochester Organization of Families	A wide range of community services for struggling families living in the Rochester area.	20,000
Solid Ground	Funding for Broadview Emergency Shelter, a safe haven for women with children escaping domestic violence.	7,500
Toddler Learning Center	Home visits for children under two with developmental delays.	7,000
Vashon Youth & Family Services	Services for Vashon Island families with children, and the professionals that work with them.	7,500
Vision House	Transitional housing and integrated support services for homeless mothers and their families.	10,000
Wonderland Developmental Center	Mental health assessment, counseling, and referral services form homeless families in North King and South Snohomish counties.	7,500
YWCA Pierce County	Legal assistance for family members who are victims of domestic violence.	12,500

TOTAL GRANTS AWARDED
\$725,000