

NW CHILDREN'S FUND

2017 Grant Recipients

Agency / Program Description	Grant (\$)	Agency / Program Description	Grant (\$)
Healing Abused Children		Helping At-Risk Youth	
Amara: Foster-Adoption Program / Parenting and adoption services to create safety and permanence for at-risk and special-needs children.	12,500	Auburn Youth Resources / Multi-service support for at-risk, homeless, abused and neglected youth throughout South King County.	13,500
Brigid Collins Family Support Center / Evidence-based services including therapy, case management and parenting education for at-risk families with children birth to 12 years old.	30,000	Big Brothers Big Sisters of Island County / Mentoring for low-income, high-risk and pre-teen girls in Island County.	4,400
Childhaven / Developmentally-focused trauma care and treatment services to support the healing of abused and neglected children ages 0-5.	12,500	Big Brothers Big Sisters of Southwest Washington / Mentoring for children who are at risk of dropping out, violence, substance abuse and other juvenile problem behaviors.	12,000
Children's Therapy Center: CHERISH Program / Home visitation, counseling and referral services for foster caregivers to build secure caregiver/child attachments and parenting skills.	11,000	Bike Works: Bicycle Mechanic Job-Skills Training / Teaches the fundamentals of bike repair and essential employment skills to unemployed at-risk youth ages 15-18.	5,000
Dawson Place Child Advocacy Center / Coordinated medical, mental health, advocacy, protection and law-enforcement services for abused children in Snohomish County.	15,000	Catholic Community Services: Youth Tutoring Program / After-school tutoring and enrichment program for kids living in Seattle low-income communities.	9,000
Family Law CASA / Advocates for at-risk children in high-risk custody cases.	14,000	City Year Seattle/King County: Whole School, Whole Child Program / Provides individualized support to at-risk elementary school students.	6,900
Friends of Youth: Youth Haven / Crisis shelter, therapeutic case management and trauma-informed services for foster children and homeless/runaway youth.	15,000	Communities In Schools of Renton / Mentoring and wraparound academic and support services for at-risk students.	14,000
HopeSparks / Specialized counseling for children who have been abused or traumatized, family support and parent education.	14,000	Community for Youth / Support for the social, emotional and academic development of vulnerable high-risk youth through mentoring, learning experiences and community.	10,000
Jumping Mouse Children's Center / Long-term expressive mental health therapy and social advocacy for abused and neglected children.	18,000	FareStart: Youth Barista & Youth Culinary Programs / Comprehensive job training for homeless and at-risk youth.	5,000
Kindering Center: CHERISH Program / Home visitation, counseling and referral services for foster caregivers to build secure caregiver/child attachments and parenting skills.	18,000	Friends of the Children / Long-term professional mentoring to guide children facing tough challenges to reach their potential and achieve their goals.	13,500
King County Sexual Assault Resource Center: Therapy & Family Support Services / Array of therapeutic interventions to support healing in child and youth victims of sexual abuse and their families.	12,000	Jefferson Teen Center / After-school services and a daily, healthy nutrition program for youth living in the rural north-eastern corner of the Olympic Peninsula.	6,000
Lutheran Community Services Northwest: Permanency Planning Foster-Adopt Program / Provides abused and neglected children with safe, secure and permanent homes.	12,000	New Horizons Ministries: Mental Health Services for Homeless Youth / On-site mental health services to help homeless youth overcome the effects of abuse.	5,100
Mockingbird Society / Foster care system development through youth leadership, legislative advocacy and extended family model for foster care.	15,000	Northwest Youth Services: Positive Adolescent Development Program / Emergency housing and case management for homeless youth ages 13-17.	16,000
Northwest Immigrant Rights Project: Immigrant Child Advocacy Project / Legal services and advocacy for abused, abandoned and undocumented immigrant children.	12,000	Readiness to Learn Foundation / Programs to stabilize the school experience for students during difficult periods and connect their families to basic needs resources.	7,500
Olive Crest: Foster Care Program / Recruitment, training, certification and ongoing support of foster families for children traumatized by abuse and/or neglect.	7,500	ROOTS / Emergency shelter, case management and access to a continuum of support services for homeless young adults in Seattle's University District.	6,900
Pediatric Interim Care Center / Immediate, short-term, medically supervised care for drug-exposed and fragile infants.	12,000	SafeFutures Youth Center / Comprehensive family services to help low-income and refugee/immigrant youth build healthy futures and break down barriers that hinder success.	13,500
Ryther: Attachment, Regulation and Competency (ARC) Model / Implementation of trauma-informed framework for intervention with youth and families who have experienced multiple and/or prolonged traumatic stress.	30,000	Seattle Education Access / Higher education advocacy and opportunities for young people struggling to overcome poverty and adversity.	11,100
Secret Harbor / Therapeutic foster care, in-home support and residential treatment services for young people who have experienced significant trauma due to abuse and neglect.	12,000	TeamChild / Advocacy and specialized legal services connecting high-needs youth in crisis with support programs and services.	11,000
Treehouse: Graduation Success Program / Comprehensive support for the educational needs of youth in foster care.	12,000	Teen Feed: Street Talk Outreach Program (STOP) / Low-barrier/trauma-focused crisis intervention, service referrals and life-skills mentorship for homeless, high-risk youth.	11,000
Youth Advocacy Center of Lewis County: Family Advocacy Support / A multidisciplinary, child-focused approach to reducing the trauma of physical and sexual abuse on child victims.	10,000	YouthCare / Shelter, case management, service referrals and crisis resolution for homeless adolescents.	13,000

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Strengthening Fragile Families			
Abused Deaf Women's Advocacy Services / Supportive housing, counseling, parenting and children's programs for Deaf and DeafBlind victims of sexual/domestic violence.	13,000	Rochester Organization of Families / Resources and services for children, youth and families to achieve a healthy, positive and drug-free community.	16,000
Boyer Children's Clinic: CHERISH Program / In-home therapeutic intervention to support foster parents in building nurturing relationships with young foster children with special healthcare needs.	8,000	SafePlace: Child & Youth Program / Basic needs and comprehensive, age-appropriate support services for children and teens in families who have experienced domestic violence.	14,000
Center for Human Services: Infant & Early Childhood Program / On-site therapy and other therapeutic support for homeless pregnant women and families with young children.	14,400	Solid Ground: Children's Program at Broadview / Programs and support for children who have experienced homelessness and domestic violence.	15,500
Child Care Resources: Homeless Child Care Program / Help and guidance for homeless families in finding child care providers and accessing support services.	14,000	Thrive Washington: Home Visiting Implementation Hub / Resources for home-visitation programs to interrupt negative patterns and strengthen the parent-child bond in at-risk families.	5,000
Domestic Abuse Women's Network / Comprehensive, empowerment-based programs and services to help survivors and their children attain and maintain violence-free lives.	15,000	Toddler Learning Center / Education services and therapy in the home for young children and families with intensive medical, mental or social risk factors.	20,000
Domestic Violence & Sexual Assault Services: Child & Youth Program / Services to increase child safety and prevent future violence for families who have experienced domestic violence.	20,000	Vashon Youth & Family Services: Home Visiting Program / Provides in-home bilingual/bicultural outreach and parent education programs for Vashon Island families.	12,000
Domestic Violence Services of Snohomish County / Shelter, case management and integrated support for victims of domestic abuse and their children in Snohomish County.	10,000	Vine Maple Place / Comprehensive housing and support services for single parents and their children to build stability and self-sufficiency.	11,000
Encompass: Mobile Therapy / Fully-equipped lab to facilitate therapy programs for children and families in rural areas, homeless shelters, transitional housing and schools.	30,000	Vision House / Transitional housing and integrated support services for homeless mothers and their children.	9,000
Housing Hope: Tomorrow's Hope Child Development Center / Therapeutic programming to help homeless and at-risk families overcome barriers to age-appropriate development for their children.	30,000	Washington State Coalition Against Domestic Violence: Domestic Violence Housing First / Research and demonstration project to bring DVHF model to scale and build an evidence base.	25,000
Interfaith Association of Northwest Washington / Referral, support and advocacy services for families during and after their stay in emergency shelter.	12,000	Youth Eastside Services: Early Childhood Mental Health Program / Research-based mental health interventions for very young children with risk factors for poor brain development.	14,000
LifeWire: Children & Youth Services / Support groups, advocacy assistance and one-on-one counseling for children and youth who have experienced violence or abuse in their homes.	10,000	YWCA Pierce County: Children & Youth Program / Therapeutic and support services to mitigate the negative effects of domestic violence for children and teens.	6,800
Lydia Place: Parent Support Program / Parent educator home visits, group parenting education, therapeutic interventions for children in shelters and transitional housing.	11,200	YWCA Seattle King Snohomish: Children's Domestic Violence Program / Intensive, in-home psychoeducational curriculum for children and their non-abusive parents.	13,500
Mary's Place: Family Shelter / Emergency shelter and support services for homeless families to minimize trauma and assist them in moving quickly to safe, longer-term housing.	14,000		
Navos: Infant & Early Childhood Mental Health Program / Early intervention to help young children and their caregivers form secure attachments and break cycles of abuse/neglect.	13,000		
New Phoebe House Association / Comprehensive recovery and reunification program for families who face multiple challenges and are involved with the child welfare system.	9,000		
Parent Trust for Washington Children / Support and education services for at-risk families through every stage of a child's life.	14,000		
Renton Area Youth & Family Services / Counseling, drop-out prevention, case management and intensive parenting support programs for youth and families living in crisis or poverty.	12,000		

