

2023 City of Boulder Health Equity Fund Final Recommendations

Priority Area/Agency Name	Program Name & Summary	2022 Award Received	2023 Amount Requested	2023 Recommended Award
DISEASE PREVENTION - FOOD & WATER SECURITY				
Boulder County Farmers Market	Farmers Market Healthy Food Incentives - increase the sale and consumption of locally grown foods to low income families, primarily serving WIC and SNAP recipients.	\$144,450	\$187,552	\$144,450
Boulder County Farmers Market	Farmers Market Home Delivery Programs - Funding will provide and increase consumption of healthy fruit & vegetables from the farmers market to low-income families.	\$138,140	\$175,802	\$138,140
Boulder County Public Health	Double Up Food Bucks Retail - Funding will enable SNAP recipients to receive matching benefits when they purchase additional fresh and vegetables with their SNAP benefits.	\$186,200	\$288,677	\$186,200
Boulder County Public Health	Fruit & Veg Boulder - Funding will increase food security to residents who are low-income yet who are not eligible for food assistance through SNAP or WIC.	\$257,000	\$401,832	\$298,000
Boulder Food Rescue	Food Distribution - Funding will enable delivery of fresh produce from local businesses and other sources to 40 distribution points, to increase food security and nutrition for low-income community members.	\$90,000	\$90,000	\$90,000
Community Food Share	Food Procurement to Support Boulder Residents & Non-profits - Funding will allow agency to procure, store, and distribute healthy foods to an estimated 4,500 individuals through their direct service food distribution programs and partnerships with 17 Boulder-based non-profit agencies.	\$112,500	\$139,500	\$112,500
Community Food Share	SNAP Application Assistance for residents of Boulder - Funding will Increase SNAP enrollments among residents of Boulder who are experiencing food insecurity and who meet eligibility requirements.	new application	\$25,000	\$12,500
Emergency Family Assistance Association (EFAA)	Shelter & Basic Needs - Funding will increase food security and positive health outcomes among low-income city households as well as healthy food consumption and nutrition education.	\$107,600	\$134,948	\$108,000
Food Security Network	Boulder Food Delivery Alliance - In collaboration with 18 Boulder County based agencies, funding would support the strategic planning and development of a network wide food delivery system.	new application	\$150,000	\$0
Grove Foundation/Garden To Table	Garden to Table - Funding will provide food and gardening bilingual educational materials, teacher and parent training and support, and school garden coordination for children at 10 city elementary schools.	\$21,700	\$21,500	\$21,500
Growing Gardens	Growing Gardens Food Project - In partnership with local schools, public health and nonprofit agencies, funding will increase access and food security through fresh produce/foods, seeds, plant starters and gardening resources for low income community members.	\$12,000	\$18,500	\$12,000
Growing Gardens	On Farm and In-Classroom Children's Nutrition Education - Funding will provide healthy eating and nutrition education, farm visits, and fresh produce to students ages 2-11 years in Boulder.	\$44,000	\$88,000	\$88,000

Growing Gardens	Teen Leadership and Learning on the Farm - Funding will provide teens with health eating education and practice through nutrition education, cooking classes, providing fresh produce, recipe development and community service.	\$12,000	\$17,000	\$12,000
Harvest of Hope Pantry	Improving Health Through Access to Nutritious Food - Funding will be used to provide fresh and frozen foods to at least 2,500 low-income city residents, including those who are experiencing homelessness.	Previously funded in 2021 - not funded in 2022	\$75,000	\$75,000
Meals on Wheels	Home Delivered Meal Service - Funding will provide prepared, home-delivered meals and social connectivity for low-income older adults living in the city.	\$100,000	\$150,000	\$90,000
Safehouse Progressive Alliance for Nonviolence (SPAN)	Shelter Food Service Initiative - Funding will be used to staff a kitchen manager at the domestic violence emergency shelter, to provide healthy meals (fresh produce, healthy proteins), nutrition and healthy eating programs for 275 shelter residents/families.	\$50,000	\$58,000	\$50,000
	Subtotal	\$1,275,590	\$2,021,311	\$1,438,290
DISEASE PREVENTION- HEALTH & WELLNESS EDUCATION				
Boulder County AIDS Project (BCAP)	Nutrition Assistance for People Living with HIV (PLHIV) and People Who Use and/or Inject Drugs (PWU/ID) - Funding will provide access to adequate and healthy food and water that supports immunity and chronic disease prevention; as well as education and resources to people living with HIV.	\$40,000	\$55,000	\$40,000
Boulder County Public Health	Healthy Eating and Drinking from the Start - Funding will provide support, education, and resources to families and child care programs to reduce barriers to breastfeeding and increase healthy eating and drinking.	\$90,000	\$133,416.92	\$90,000
Boulder Day Nursery Association	Health and Family Resource Program - Funding will provide healthy meals and healthy snack, daily physical activity and health screenings for children in day care, and nutrition education resources and access for their families.	\$67,500	\$75,000	\$67,500
BVSD, Boulder High School	Adelante! Holistic Wellness Program - Funding will provide behavioral health support to Latinx Boulder High students and train their caregivers in best practices in supporting their health as they navigate unique life stressors, college prep, and academics, to aid in closing the graduation gap among Latinx students.	\$26,880	\$32,500	\$26,880
Community Cycles	Bicycles for Children, Family, and Community Health - Funding will provide bicycles to 300 low-income children and youth as well as education and information to maintain bicycles, access to bicycle repair clinics, and a earn a bike program for other family members.	\$50,000	\$85,000	\$50,000
Emergency Family Assistance Association (EFAA)	Economic Supports/Medical Direct Financial Assistance - Funding will assist families with the health care costs for low-income families.	\$25,000	\$40,000	\$25,000
El Centro AMISTAD	Health Equity for Thriving Latinx Families - Funding will provide case management and resource navigation in the medical and health care system, and utilize the Promotoras model for education and information to Latinx community on chronic disease prevention.	\$175,000	\$200,000	\$175,000

I Have A Dream (IHAD)	Healthy Together - Funding will provide year-round health and wellness education, adult fitness trainer certification programs, and physical activities to low-income city students and their families living in Boulder Housing Partner communities. Activities are integrated with academic support and training for adult coaching.	\$169,000	\$175,640	\$169,000
Mother House	Mother House Residential Program - Funding will provide doula and birth and post-partum support to pregnant people, mothers, and non-binary single parents of infants and their children; and case management that helps increase access to medical providers, employment, childcare and other resources.	\$57,600	\$90,000	\$57,600
Table Tennis Connections	NeuroPong™: table tennis as neurologic rehabilitation in people with neurodegenerative conditions - Funding will support the enrollment of people with with Multiple Sclerosis, Parkinson's Disease and Mild Cognitive Impairment in the NeuroPong™ Program, which utilizes table tennis as unique means for neuro-rehabilitation.	new application	\$170,200	ineligible
TGTHR (formerly known as Attention Homes)	Positive Health Outcomes for Youth Experiencing Homelessness - Funding will provide wellness, fitness and nutrition activities and opportunities for youth served by TGTHR.	\$13,500	\$30,000	\$20,000
The Family Learning Center	Family and Youth Health Education, Fitness, and Wellness Program - Funding will provide low income and minority families, living in subsidized and low income housing, year-round physical activity, nutrition, wellness, and social-emotional health programming to improve health and academic outcomes.	\$87,000	\$100,000	\$87,000
Thorne Ecological Institute	Summer Outdoor Recreation Programming - Funding will provide access to three overnight summer camps at Cal-Wood Education Center for youth and their families during summer 2023 in order to engage and increase outdoor physical activities and mental health well-being.	\$38,800	\$55,000	\$38,800
YWCA	Persimmon Early Learning Center Healthy Services - Funding will support childcare services for young children from low-income city families, and the healthy eating and physical activity elements of the program.	\$127,800	\$142,000	\$127,800
	Subtotal	\$968,080	\$1,383,757	\$974,580
DISEASE PREVENTION - PHYSICAL FITNESS				
City of Boulder - Boulder Parks and Recreation	Youth Services Initiative Program - Funding will provide year-round structured recreation programming to youth and teens living in Boulder manufactured housing communities by minimizing barriers such as transportation, cost and language for increased movement and fitness.	\$90,000	\$177,420	\$60,000
City of Boulder - Boulder Parks and Recreation	Requity Program - Funding will subsidize recreation center passes to low-income residents and providing bilingual community liaisons to support residents and achieve program outcomes.	\$61,000	\$197,417	\$91,000
Kick2Build Soccer Club	Kick2Build Soccer Club - Funding will help cover the costs of program outreach and provide scholarships to low-income players to participate in programs that blend art and culture with the game of soccer.	new application	\$43,670	\$35,000
PLAY Boulder Foundation (Boulder Parks and Rec Foundation)	PLAYPass - Funding will help reduce barriers to participation in fee-based physical activity programming for low-income city youth, increase equity and inclusion best-practices among physical fitness businesses and non-profit agencies.	\$112,500	\$215,000	\$112,500

SHARE	Explorando Senderos: Outdoor Experiences for Latinx Health - Funding will increase access for Latinx community members to the outdoors through walking or hiking accompanied by informal discussion about physical/mental health, nature, and/or culturally relevant topics.	new application	\$40,000	\$30,000
Women's Wilderness	Girls Wilderness Adventures - Funding will enable low-income girls and girls of color in Boulder, to participate in outdoor physical activity programs for increased physical and mental health outcomes.	\$26,100	\$36,020	\$26,100
	Subtotal	\$289,600	\$709,527	\$354,600
DISEASE PREVENTION - SOCIAL DETERMINANTS				
Association for Community Living in Boulder County	ACL's Advocacy Program for People with IDD in the City of Boulder - Funding will support individuals with Intellectual & Developmental Disabilities to access medical care, information, resource and advocacy.	\$40,000	\$40,000	\$40,000
Boulder Shelter for the Homeless Inc	Collaboration with Boulder Community Health - Funding will support clients with often high medical and mental health needs to find stable housing and get connected to medical on-going support to lessen the impacts of chronic pathologies and improve overall health.	\$30,000	\$30,000	\$30,000
Bridge to Justice	Healthcare and Food Assistance Benefits Advocacy - Funding will be used to improve access for low-income residents to government health care, and health and nutrition programs; and provide legal representation for benefit appeals.	\$150,300	\$151,200	\$150,300
Colorado Statewide Parent Coalition	Providers Advancing School Outcomes Academy for Children with Disabilities and Annual Conference - Funding will provide training for low-income Friends Family Neighbors in-home childcare providers to attain Child Development Associate certification and increase the school readiness skills of children with disabilities.	new application	\$40,000	\$20,000
FOCUS Reentry	Focus Reentry Mentor Program - Funding will be used to assist community members re-entering the community from jail, with health care and food assistance program enrollment, and referrals to physical, mental and behavioral health service agencies, and basic needs resources in order to work towards self sustainability.	\$73,000	\$92,993	\$73,000
	Subtotal	\$293,300	\$354,193	\$313,300
PHYSICAL, DENTAL OR BEHAVIORAL HEALTH SERVICES				
Boulder Community Health	Prevention & Intervention for Life Long Alternatives and Recovery (PILLAR) - Funding will provide access to reduced or free of charge alternatives forms of therapy to individuals recovering from substance use prioritizing marignalized and oppressed populations.	\$124,780	\$147,096	\$125,000
Clinica Family Health	Healthy Behaviors for a Healthy Community - Funding will support the delivery of comprehensive primary care services to residents in order to improve overall health outcomes.	\$170,150	\$301,186	\$170,180
Community Roots Midwife Collective	Making Midwifery Healthcare Accessible for Marginalized Communities in Boulder - Funding will provide midwifery services to low-income clients, primarily womend of color, on a sliding fee scale. Weekly support groups will also be convened to support parents and provide referrals to other resources.	new application	\$150,928	\$40,000
Dental Aid, Inc.	Dental Aid Safety Net Oral Health Care Program for Children and Youth Ages 0-17 - Funding will provide low-income clients education, screenings, and financial assistance to cover direct care services.	Previously funded in 2021 - not funded in 2022	\$170,000	\$170,000

Medicine Horse	Medicine Horse Youth Programming - Funding will provide equine therapy for holistic mental and behavioral health, for low-income city youth primarily focusing on the LGBTQIA+ and BIPOC youth populations.	\$14,500	\$25,000	\$14,500
Mental Health Center (Mental Health Partners)	Boulder Integrated Health Home - Funding will help expand health services to increase access to whole-person care primarily targeting adults with serious mental illness and /or addiction and chronic co-occurring physical health conditions through an array of virtual or in-person support groups, and other care coordination to resources.	\$125,450	\$164,408	\$125,450
Out Boulder County (Formerly Boulder Pride)	The Point: Clinical Services and Recovery Support for the LGBTQ+ Community - Funding will provide intermediate and culturally competent mental health therapy services, case management, and service navigation to LGBTQ persons who are uninsured, underinsured, or have medicaid/medicare.	\$26,600	\$50,000	\$26,600
St. Benedict Health and Healing Ministry	Free Health Clinics - Funding will provide preventative and primary health care services and help cover the cost of prescription medication and hygiene supplies for community members experiencing a lack of access to care.	new application	\$45,000	\$22,500
Physical, Dental or Behavioral Health Services Subtotal		\$461,480	\$1,053,618	\$694,230
RESEARCH/EDUCATION				
Colorado Nonprofit Development Center (CNDC) dba Growing Up Boulder	Boulder's Child-Friendly City Initiative: Improving Health Factors With and For Underserved Youth - Funding will enable the completion of 20 community-wide assessments with the help of youth leaders and representatives from youth-serving agencies. A Local Action Plan will be co-created with youth and adult advocates to address and improve top priorities.	new application	\$49,488	\$25,000
Research Subtotal		\$0	\$49,488	\$25,000
TOTAL		\$3,288,050*	\$5,571,894	\$3,800,000

*Please note three programs which were awarded funding during the 2022 Fund Found totaling \$111,950 did not apply for funding during the 2023 Fund Round, therefore the total amount reflected for the 2022 budget in this spreadsheet is \$3,288,050 vs \$3,400,000, the actual amount awarded to agencies and programs for the 2022 Fund Round.