



ADVOCACY GRANTS

Community Advocates for Family & Youth, Inc. (CAFY)

Funding will support CAFY's Embrace, Educate, Empower Program: DV Survivors, a hybrid advocacy/legal program that aims to maximize the benefits of providing legal services to domestic violence survivors and takes the opportunity to resolve any of their workforce development needs. Website: <http://www.cafyonline.org>

Court Appointed Special Advocates (CASA)

With this funding support, CASA will ensure 100% of Domestic Violence-exposed children who are referred to CASA and living in Prince George's County are matched with a trained CASA Advocate who will advocate for them. Website: <https://www.pgcasa.org>

La Clinica del Pueblo

This funding will support providing therapy services to survivors of domestic violence residing in Prince George's County. A partnership is arranged with Ayuda's Therapist, who will conduct client intakes and safety planning. The expectation is that at least 15 survivors with low incomes will be served. Website: <https://www.lcdp.org/>

HOUSING GRANTS

Community Crisis Services, Inc. (CCSI)

Funding to support Safe Passages Shelter, which has moved to Community Crisis Services, Inc. (CCSI) with the acquisition of Family Crisis Center of Prince George's County by CCSI. The Safe Passages Shelter provides emergency housing for individuals and families escaping domestic violence. Website: <http://www.communitycrisis.org>

University of Maryland Capital Region Hospital

Funding will support the Domestic Violence and Sexual Assault Center of The University of Maryland Capital Region Health DV/SAC Prevention and Training Program, which provides technical assistance, professional training, and prevention education in three main focus areas. These areas include: Law enforcement personnel, college/university faculty, staff and students; and participants in the Maryland Department of Housing and Community Development New Future Bridge Subsidy Housing Program. Website: <https://www.umms.org/capital/health-services/domestic-violence-sexual-assault>

MENTAL HEALTH GRANTS

District Heights Youth Development Foundation

The Domestic Violence Grant will help the Youth Development Foundation hire staff to fortify and expand the District Heights Foundation Youth Services Bureau's efforts to provide counseling that initiates the healing process for those who experience emotional upheavals due to the experience of witnessing abuse, trauma and/or overwhelming stress. Forty (40) children (ages 2-19) will receive counseling via a virtual platform.

Website: <https://www.youthdevelopment.foundation>

Mary's Center

The grant will support a full-time Domestic Violence Family Support Worker (FSW) at the Adelphi Clinic in Prince George's County. Over the course of the grant period, Mary's Center anticipates that 75 survivors of domestic violence will accept behavioral health services and ongoing case management with the FSW conducting approximately 225 encounters with participants in Prince George's County. Website: <https://www.maryscenter.org/>

Ayuda

This funding will support Ayuda's efforts to offer therapy services to survivors of domestic violence residing in Prince George's County. Without this grant, many of these clients would have to be on a waiting list for services or go unserved. This grant would specifically support Ayuda's Licensed Therapist to provide low-barrier trauma-informed bilingual therapy for survivors of domestic violence in Prince George's County. The Therapist will conduct client intakes and safety planning. Through this project, a minimum of 15 survivors of domestic violence are expected to be served. All individuals served will be low-income immigrant (foreign-born) survivors of domestic violence. This grant would support the Therapist and the Social Services Director who supervises the Therapist. Website: <https://ayuda.com>

WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT GRANTS

The Training Source

The Training Source was established to help unemployed and underemployed adults gain the competence and confidence to successfully transition to the workplace. Today their mission is to provide education, training and services that promote positive economic mobility. They will provide opportunities for job training, career development services and job placement.

Website: <https://thetrainingsource.org>

Prince George's Community College (PGCC)

Purple Skies at PGCC is a scholarship program for survivors and their children. The program will provide scholarships for accelerated continuing education courses that culminate with digital badges and/or industry certifications. The college offers participants an opportunity to register for a course or mini pathway. Mini pathways are typically comprised of a cluster of at least 3 courses that provide stackable credentials, such as Certified Nursing Assistants (CNA), Helpdesk Technician or Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC) technicians.

Website: <https://www.pgcc.edu/programs-courses/workforce-development-and-continuing-education/>