



2018 Community Donation Program

Community Health Network of Connecticut Foundation, Inc. would like to recognize the following organizations that received \$500 through our community donations program. We salute you for your hard work and continued efforts in making such an important impact within our communities!

Channel 3 Kids Camp, Andover, CT

The Channel 3 Kids Camp is a year-round, inclusive camp providing traditional overnight summer camping, summer day camps, school vacation camps, year-round child care center, and teen programs. Open to children of all abilities, families, and communities, the educational and recreational programs promote diversity, acceptance and environmental appreciation.

Community Renewal Team, Inc., Hartford, CT

The Community Renewal Team (CRT) helps individuals, families, and communities address the challenges they face in building a successful future by providing basic needs, relief during a crisis or support to make long term changes. They offer a wide variety of programs from all backgrounds and income levels, including everything from childcare or housing to education or treatment. CRT's mission is achieved each day through building skills, fostering independence and creating an environment where participants can address personal and community concerns.

Connecticut Cancer Foundation, Inc., Old Saybrook, CT

Through the CT Cancer Patient Assistance Program, CCF is able to help Connecticut families requesting assistance through referrals from oncology social workers from hospitals, cancer treatment centers and hospices throughout the state. For more than 30 years, CCF has quietly granted more than \$5 million to more than 6,000 Connecticut families dealing with the financial hardship that often for cancer diagnosis.

Covenant Soup Kitchen Inc., Willimantic, CT

Covenant Soup Kitchen offers breakfast and lunch seven days per week, and dinner on Fridays, at no charge to guests. In addition to meals served in the kitchen, bakery items, fresh produce, meats, eggs, dairy products and other foods are offered to guests to take home, when available. Covenant Soup Kitchen offers access to an emergency food pantry, and nutritious food boxes for Seniors through the Commodity Supplemental Food Program. In addition, staff provides care and advocacy assistance through referrals to health clinics, laundry vouchers, personal care items, diapers and baby wipes, emergency clothing, and pet products.



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Mercy Learning Center Of Bridgeport, Inc., Bridgeport, CT

The mission of Mercy Learning Center (MLC) is to provide basic literacy and life skills training to low-income women using a holistic approach within a compassionate, supportive environment. In addition to the opportunity to study English, math, science and health, social studies and civics, computers, and employment and life skills, women receive social service support, job and college counseling, and other enrichment opportunities.

Music Haven, New Haven, CT

Music Haven empowers and connects at-risk young people through exceptional tuition-free music education, mentoring, and performance by resident musicians in the heart of New Haven, giving all kids a chance to play.

Safe Futures, Inc., New London, CT

Safe Futures, Inc. operates two 24-hour hotlines, an emergency shelter, and transitional living programs for families working to rebuild lives shattered by domestic violence or sexual assault. Safe Futures also provides counseling and advocacy, case management, court support services, support groups, and educational programs for schools and community groups.

Susan B. Anthony Project, Torrington, CT

The Susan B. Anthony Project promotes safety, healing and growth for all survivors of domestic and sexual abuse and advocates for the autonomy of women and the end of interpersonal violence. They are also educating on the scope of abuse and its impact/costs on individuals and society through programs for schools, civic groups, health care professionals and corporations including prevention programs for students.