



The Fund for Community Progress

connect to your community



We help our neighbors *overcome* their limitations and their fears,

become the best they can possibly be,



And we *welcome* your involvement in our work.

VOLUNTEER YOUR TIME to serve at our diverse agencies.



SHOWCASE YOUR TALENT where it will be truly appreciated.

SHARE YOUR TREASURE where it makes a real difference.

The Fund's agencies are proud of their cost-effective operations. Our support to them is unrestricted, so it's used where it's needed most.

change,
not charity



give change, not stuff

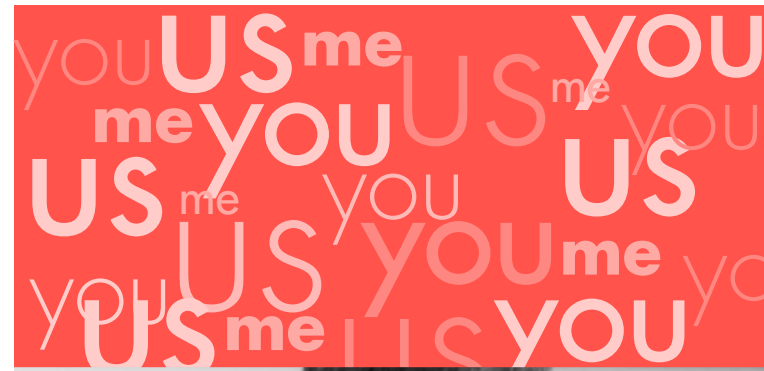
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CONNECTING **YOU** WITH YOUR COMMUNITY TO IMPROVE RHODE ISLAND

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THE FUND'S AGENCIES:

Advocate for the voiceless and the powerless,
Educate to change people's lives, and
Create programs to improve our community.

IN 2009 THE FUND'S AGENCIES:

- Received a RICCMHO Programs of Excellence Award for improving RI's mental health system and advocating for a strong behavioral health care system; discovered best practices in other states to stimulate new programs and expand public/nonprofit relationships in RI.
- Launched a support group for youth who are struggling with issues of recovery from substance abuse for themselves or for a family member.
- Collaborated to launch the Family Leadership Institute, to train and support the family leaders of tomorrow through a series of comprehensive, informational workshops to help them take proactive roles in community change.
- Received the 2009 MetLife Foundation Afterschool Innovator Award, a national award acknowledging strength of leadership and commitment to providing quality, innovative afterschool programming.
- Became a Champion in Action®, helping them continue to improve the quality of family and community life for inner-city children and their families through educational programs, health initiatives, and social services.

28 Agencies, 1 Mission... **CREATING FAIRNESS AND OPPORTUNITY FOR ALL RHODE ISLANDERS.** *1 gift, 28 ways to connect with your community.*



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AIDS AIDS PROJECT RI (A division of Family Service of RI)

Through leadership in prevention, education, supportive services and advocacy, responds to the needs of Rhode Islanders infected, affected and at risk of HIV/AIDS.

831-5522 • www.aidsprojectri.org EST. 1985

ABLTC ALLIANCE FOR BETTER LONG TERM CARE

Through mediation, advocacy and follow-up, protects the rights of the elderly who live in long-term care settings and those receiving licensed health care or hospice services in the home

785-3340 EST. 1979

CHSPA CENTER FOR HISPANIC POLICY & ADVOCACY (CHisPA)

A Latino, bilingual organization that advocates for, provides education and is an information resource for Latino families and individuals in RI.

467-0111 • www.chispari.org EST. 1986

CLAP CHILDHOOD LEAD ACTION PROJECT

Working to eliminate childhood lead poisoning, the number one environmental health threat to Rhode Island's children, through community-based education, parent support and advocacy.

785-1310 • www.leadsafekids.org EST. 1992

CLESP CLÍNICA ESPERANZA/HOPE CLINIC

Offers high-quality medical care and preventive health services to those who are uninsured or can't afford health care. Emphasizes culturally-attuned care, prevention and health maintenance.

649-9683 • www.aplacetobehealthy.org EST. 2007

CMCRI COMMUNITY MEDIATION CENTER OF RI

Rhode Island's first mediation center, provides a safe, affordable and confidential environment for people to settle their disputes.

273-9999 • www.cmcric.org EST. 1996

CCF CONNECTING FOR CHILDREN & FAMILIES

Offers supportive programs for Woonsocket inner-city children and families, including quality childcare, parenting education, after-school and summer enrichment, basic needs assistance—food, clothing, heating bills.

766-3384 • www.ccfcenter.org EST. 1995

GRAYP GRAY PANTHERS OF RI

Restored state funding for RIPAE prescription drug program for elderly; advocates for services and supports to allow seniors to "age in the community" instead of nursing homes.

274-6900 x207 • www.graypanthersri.org EST. 1991

GRDWK GROUNDWORK PROVIDENCE

A steward of our shared urban environment: green job training, education and youth engagement to create and sustain healthy, beautiful and green communities for all.

351-6440 • www.groundworkprovidence.org EST. 1986

HFHGP HABITAT FOR HUMANITY OF RI GREATER PROVIDENCE

Affordable home construction for low-income families in the Providence area. Houses are built by volunteers and sold to participating families at cost with an interest free mortgage.

831-5424 • www.habitatprov.org EST. 1987

HACRI HOUSING ACTION COALITION OF RHODE ISLAND

(Formerly the Statewide Housing Action Coalition) A coalition of over 70 organizations who work together to promote, preserve, and increase affordable housing opportunities in Rhode Island.

521-1461 • www.housingactionri.org EST. EARLY 1990'S

HNRI THE HOUSING NETWORK OF RI

An association of 22 nonprofit community developers that breathe life into dying neighborhoods in RI by advocating for and developing affordable housing programs.

521-1461 • www.housingnetworkri.org EST. 1992

MHARI MENTAL HEALTH ASSOCIATION OF RI

Statewide organization providing mental health advocacy, education, screening and referrals to the public and services to homeless persons with mental illness and substance abuse issues.

726-2285 • www.mhari.org EST. 1916

NBRV NEIGHBORWORKS BLACKSTONE RIVER VALLEY

Nonprofit community development corporation that builds affordable housing for low-income neighbors and revitalizes neighborhoods, strengthens the economic base, educates, advocates and improves quality of life.

762-0993 • www.wndc.org EST. 1987

NRICS NRI COMMUNITY SERVICES

Providing mental health, housing, employment, and human services including outpatient and residential programs for higher risk and lower income residents of northern Rhode Island.

235-7000 • www.nricommunityservices.org EST. 1966

OSAF OCEAN STATE ACTION FUND

A coalition of community organizations and labor unions fighting together for social and economic justice in Rhode Island through public education, community organizing, and civic engagement.

463-5368 • www.oceanstateaction.org EST. 1988

OPNDR OPENDOORS

Strengthens communities by supporting the formerly incarcerated. Advocates for the removal of social and legal barriers to re-entry. Reduces recidivism, strengthens families and increases public safety.

781-5808 • www.opendoorsri.org EST. 2002

RIPIN RI PARENT INFORMATION NETWORK

Provides information, support and training to all families in Rhode Island so that parents can be effective advocates for each child's education, health and well-being.

270-0101 • www.ripin.org EST. 1991

RVRZE RIVERZEDGE ARTS PROJECT

A youth development program giving educationally and economically disenfranchised youth in northern Rhode Island paid employment in the arts and a voice in their community.

767-2100 • www.riverzedgearts.org EST. 2002

SAM THE SAMARITANS

Rhode Island's only philanthropic agency exclusively dedicated to suicide prevention, education and support for those left behind by a loved one's suicide.

272-4243 • www.samaritansri.org EST. 1977

SHLTR SHELTER SERVICES

Operates Tanner House in Providence, which provides safe, decent and affordable housing for ten single adults; transitional for two years with professional counseling to assist self-sufficiency.

454-8827 EST. 1986

SRIV SOUTHERN RHODE ISLAND VOLUNTEERS

(Formerly Seniors Helping Others) Improves quality of life in Washington Cty, Jamestown, E/W Greenwich. Offers meaningful volunteer opportunities for active adults to provide services and independent living assistance to others.

789-2362 • www.southernrivol.org EST. 1981

THNDR THUNDERMIST HEALTH CENTER

A nonprofit community health center providing medical, dental and nutritional care as well as behavioral health services to all regardless of ability to pay.

767-4100 • www.thundermisthealth.org EST. 1969

WEHDC WEST ELMWOOD HOUSING DEVELOPMENT CORP.

Developer of rental and homeownership opportunities. Provides homebuyer education classes, credit counseling and foreclosure prevention. Involved with community organizing, resident engagement and youth development.

453-3220 • www.wehdc.org EST. 1986

WSC WESTMINSTER SENIOR CENTER

A comprehensive social service agency helping seniors in Rhode Island; provides opportunities for employment, education, volunteering, as well as recreation.

274-6900 EST. 1976

WILEY GEORGE WILEY CENTER

Organizes individuals directly impacted by poverty and social injustice into a constituency group that advocates for changes that solve problems underlying their immediate crises.

728-5555 • www.georgewileycenter.org EST. 1981

YPI YOUTH PRIDE, INC.

A safe drop-in space dedicated to meeting the social, emotional, and educational needs of young people impacted by sexual orientation and gender identity.

421-5626 • www.youthprideri.org EST. 1992

YWCA YWCA NORTHERN RHODE ISLAND

Empowering women and eliminating racism through comprehensive programs and services which promote peace, justice, freedom and dignity for all people.

769-7450 • www.ywcanri.org EST. 1923