



### Delta Dental Community Care Foundation

## In 2023, Delta Dental and the Community Care Foundation granted \$1,809,500 within Washington, D.C.

The Delta Dental Community Care Foundation is committed to building caring, resilient communities by increasing access to oral health care. Since 2011, the Foundation has dedicated more than \$150 million to improving oral health across its enterprise, spanning 15 states and Washington, D.C. By investing in the four focus areas outlined below, the Foundation is helping to ensure that everyone, regardless of their background or location, has access to quality oral health care.

#### **Access to Care Grants**

Fund organizations working to increase access to care, address health disparities, drive oral health equity and promote innovation in the oral health field.

#### **Education & Research Grants**

Support our partnerships with universities to increase inclusiveness in the education and development of future dental professionals.

#### Senior Oral Health Program

A multi-year initiative to identify, assess and address the socioeconomic and systemic causes of poor oral health among older adults.

#### **Community Investments**

Focus on supporting local organizations through health equity, social justice and disaster relief efforts.

### Washington, D.C. Partner Spotlight

For three decades, Mary's Center has pioneered culturally relevant healthcare and social services. Their Social Change Model consolidates medical, dental, behavioral health, education, and social support. Delta Dental's backing will facilitate hiring a Digital Denture Dental Assistant, renovating dental suites, and acquiring digital x-ray equipment. This investment aligns with Mary's Center's goal to elevate care quality, fostering the well-being, stability, and economic independence of vulnerable individuals and families.



# Delta Dental and the Community Care Foundation supported these organizations in 2023:

Catholic Charities of the Archdiocese of Washington

Community of Hope
Howard University
L'Arche Greater Washington, D.C.
Mary's Center
Safe Shores
The Humane Society of the United States
Unity Health Care
Whitman-Walker Health
World Central Kitchen
National organizations that serve Washington, D.C.:
American Heart Association
CATCH Global Foundation
National Foundation of Dentistry for the Handicapped
National Network for Oral Health Access
TeamSmile

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