Delta Dental Community Care Foundation

In 2023, Delta Dental and the Community Care Foundation granted \$1,409,442 within the state of Pennsylvania.

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.

Pennsylvania Partner Spotlight

The mission of **Greater Philadelphia Health Action (GPHA)** to serve diverse communities, prioritizing programs to enhance oral health and overall well-being. In 2020, they initiated a periodontal diabetes program, expanding in 2021 to cover anyone needing periodontal treatment, addressing Medicaid gaps. In 2022, a denture program aided qualifying seniors facing poverty and illness, aligning with Healthy People 2030 goals.

GPHA plans to extend these initiatives, emphasizing socioeconomic factors'

role in health. Delta Dental's funding supports no-cost or low-cost prosthodontic care, senior oral health education, and the acquisition of four new Panoramic x-ray imaging machines, contributing to healthier outcomes for the senior population.

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

Abington Memorial Hospital Abington

ALS Foundation Ambler

American Cancer Society Carnegie

Ann Silverman Community Health Clinic Doylestown

Bethesda Mission Harrisburg

Big Brothers Big Sisters of the Capital Region Harrisburg

Central Pennsylvania Food Bank Harrisburg

Central Pennsylvania Pride Harrisburg

Centre Volunteers in Medicine State College

Christ Lutheran Church Harrisburg

Clinton County Healthy Communities Mill Hall

Cocoa Packs Hershey

Community Medical and Dental Center Collegeville

Community Volunteers in Medicine West Chester

Cool Cars for Kids Wynnewood Dauphin County Economic Development Corporation Harrisburg

Dental Health Clinic Berwick

Esperanza Health Center Philadelphia

Family First Health York

Fulton County Family Partnership McConnellsburg

Greater Philadelphia Health Action Philadelphia

Hampden Township Veterans Recognition Committee Mechanicsburg

Harcum College Bryn Mawr

Health Care Access Phoenixville

HealthLink Dental Clinic Hatboro

Homeland Center Harrisburg

Jean B. Purvis Community Health Clinic of Butler County Butler

Join Hands Ministry New Bloomfield

Keystone Service Systems Harrisburg

Kids Smiles Norwood LCH Health and Community Services Kennett Square

Leadership Harrisburg Area Harrisburg

Make-A-Wish Philadelphia, Delaware, Susquehanna Valley Chapter Blue Bell

Mazzoni Center Philadelphia

Mechanicsburg Chamber of Commerce Mechanicsburg

MOM-n-PA Shippensburg

Neighborhood Health Centers of the Lehigh Valley Bethlehem

OIC Philadelphia Philadelphia

Pennsylvania Coalition for Oral Health Delmont

Primary Health Network Sharon

Project Home Philadelphia

River Valley Health and Dental Williamsport

Sneakers for Soldiers Chester Springs

Special Olympics Pennsylvania Summerdale

Sullivan County Action Laporte

Susquehanna River Valley Dental Health Clinic ^{Sunbury} The Community Classroom Shiremanstown

The Pennsylvania Youth Congress Foundation Harrisburg

The Vista Foundation Hershey

Très Bonne Année Harrisburg

Union Community Care Lancaster

United Way Of The Capital Region Enola

University of Pennsylvania School of Dental Medicine Philadelphia

Vickie's Angel Foundation New Cumberland

Wildheart Ministries (Love the Hill) Harrisburg

National organizations that serve Pennsylvania:

American Heart Association

CATCH Global Foundation

National Foundation of Dentistry for the Handicapped

National Network for Oral Health Access

TeamSmile

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