

CHEFA FY 2021 COVID-19 Grant Awards

The Connecticut Health and Educational Facilities Authority (CHEFA) is pleased to announce \$3M in grant awards to the following Connecticut organizations and institutions responding to the COVID-19 Pandemic.

1. **The 4-CT Fund** - **\$304,200** To Support the 4-CT Card Initiative, An Effort Administered through Community Based Organizations and Community Health Centers to Provide Emergency Funds to the CT Undocumented Population
2. **Boys and Girls Clubs of CT** - **\$300,000** To Support Summer/Fall Youth Programming with Increased Safety Protocols, Staffing, and Support for Families
3. **Community Health Center Association of CT** - **\$486,000** To Support Increased COVID-19 Testing at Federally Qualified Health Centers throughout Connecticut, Acquire Additional Medical Equipment, and Provide Patient Care Kits
4. **Connecticut State Colleges and Universities (CSCU)** - **\$350,000** To Support a Student Relief Fund for Undocumented Students Attending CT State Colleges and Universities
5. **Connecticut After School Network** - **\$220,000** To Support After School Programs throughout CT with Programming, PPE, and Health/Educational Resources
6. **Connecticut Association for Community Action, Inc.** - **\$99,000** To Modify Existing Facilities to Implement Social Distancing Protocols and Acquire PPE
7. **Connecticut Early Childhood Funder Collaborative** - **\$150,000** To Support the Public-Private Partnership with the Office of Early Childhood, Focused on Family Childcare Provider Resources and Technical Support During COVID-19 Crisis
8. **Connecticut Humanities** - **\$100,000** Partnership with the CT Office of the Arts to Provide Support to Arts and Cultural Organizations Affected by the COVID-19 Crisis
9. **Gaylord Hospital** - **\$40,800** To Acquire UV Cleaning Machine and Glide Scope Intubation Equipment for Support of COVID-19 Patients
10. **Hartford HealthCare** - **\$400,000** To Support Ten COVID-19 Mobile Testing Sites in Five CT Regions with Testing Supplies, PPE, and Staffing
11. **Hospital for Special Care** - **\$75,000** To Purchase Two Ventilators, Pulse Oximeters and Other Medical and Technology Equipment to Care for COVID-19 Patients; to Enhance Community Supports, Virtual Visitation, and Create Autism Video Series in Response to COVID-19 Crisis
12. **Oak Hill (Connecticut Institute for the Blind)**- **\$75,000** To Support Health, Education and Physical Education Programs for Individuals with Disabilities and a Food Coordination Program for Group Homes, Due to COVID-19 Closures and Lack of Access
13. **Trinity Health of New England** - **\$250,000** To Support Stage II Convalescent Plasma Therapy Clinical Trial for COVID-19 patients
14. **United Way, Inc.** - **\$150,000** To Support the CT United Ways COVID-19 Response Fund Providing Emergency Support to CT Individuals and Families