



**All Region Fund Grants – FY17  
Total \$225,000**

**Catholic Relief Services, Baltimore, MA**

**Hurricane Matthew Emergency Response and Recovery in Haiti, Cuba and the Dominican Republic, \$10,000**

Hurricane Matthew, a powerful category 4 storm, made landfall in Haiti on October 4, 2016. As many as 900 people have died, and tens of thousands of homes were destroyed. Grant funding was awarded to Catholic Relief Services primarily for relief and recovery work on the southern peninsula of Haiti. Funding will support the priority needs of water, sanitation and hygiene, shelter and home repair, and livelihood support for farmers.

**Florida Association of Free and Charitable Clinics (FAFCC), Tallahassee, FL  
Operating Support, \$50,000**

FAFCC is a membership organization that supports clinics and specialty networks that provide quality, cost-effective health services at little or no charge to low-income, uninsured and underserved Floridians. FAFCC has 100 member clinics in Florida serving more than 130,000 underserved individuals. Services provided include funding and resource development, public policy advocacy, knowledge exchange and marketing. Member clinics benefit from educational webinars, an annual conference, research and data about the role of free clinics in Florida, and discounts from suppliers. Grant funding supports operating support to the organization.

**Florida Catholic Conference (FCC), Tallahassee, FL  
Health Desk Advocacy, \$25,000**

The Florida Catholic Conference serves as liaison to state government on matters of concern to the Catholic Church in the seven Florida dioceses. It is a nonpartisan, public policy voice on behalf of the Catholic Bishops of Florida. FCC areas of advocacy are: social concerns, life, health care and education. Advocacy is based on the belief that health delivery must be rooted in the values that respect life, acknowledge human dignity and respond to the poor and vulnerable. Staff is a liaison to state agencies concerned with health care and monitors implementation of health regulations at the state and federal levels. Grant funding supports the Health Desk and its related health advocacy work.

**Florida Community Loan Fund (FCLF), Orlando, FL  
Program Officer for Health Initiatives, \$50,000**

The Florida Community Loan Fund is Florida's leading statewide community development financial institution. FCLF provides flexible financing to both nonprofit and for profit

developers for affordable housing, community facilities and economic development projects in both urban and rural areas. Financing is targeted to benefit low-income communities and individuals at or below 80% of area median income and enables mission driven developers to achieve success in their community development projects by utilizing the expertise and capital provided by FCLF. Grant funds will help establish a new position to reach out to nonprofit organizations to market programs and help navigate potential clients through the process. The program officer will specifically support the food access and community health projects.

**Florida Philanthropic Network (FPN), Tampa, FL**

**Membership Dues and General Operating Support, \$20,000**

FPN is a statewide membership network of 109 philanthropic organizations, whose mission is to promote philanthropy, foster collaboration, and advance public policy in Florida. FPN members are private, independent, corporate and family foundations, community foundations, public charity grantmakers and corporate giving programs who hold over \$6.5 billion in assets and invest over \$435 million annually in Florida. Member services include advocacy, affinity groups, and educational trainings including a statewide summit on philanthropy. Grant funds pay for membership dues and provide operating support for the organization.

**Florida State University Research Foundation, Tallahassee, FL**

**Florida Civic Advance (FCA), \$15,000**

Florida Civic Advance is a multi-sector network of over 35 statewide and regional organizations working together to strengthen civic life in Florida. Civic health is a key ingredient in building healthy and prosperous communities. The FCRC Consensus Center, based at Florida State University serves as the lead for Florida Civic Advance. The Consensus Center helps find solutions for contentious public policy issues covering a range of topics including land use, construction, transportation, economic development, environment, education, and regional visioning. Current FCA work includes expanding membership, building an information hub website, and strengthening the organizational capacity of the network. Grant funding supports the staffing and coordination of the network.

**Franciscan Center, Tampa, FL**

**Operation Restore: First Responders Post Trauma Training and Educational Retreats, \$30,000**

The Franciscan Center is a private, non-profit retreat center in Tampa led by the Franciscan Sisters of Allegany. The Center offers an environment of peace, simplicity and hospitality for all those seeking spiritual renewal. Originally funds were awarded to support a new pilot partnership with the Veteran's Treatment Court in Hillsborough County to address post-trauma stress disorder (PTSD). Veterans and active duty military would be referred by a judge to the Franciscan Center to participate in two-day retreats for post trauma education and resiliency tools. Due to a change in circumstances, only one retreat was held. The project has transitioned into supporting expenses related to First Responders Post Trauma Training and Education Retreats.

**Tampa Bay Healthcare Collaborative, fiscal agent for Florida Voices for Health, Dunedin, FL  
Fight Like Health Campaign, \$25,000**

Florida Voices for Health (FVFH) is a collaborative of diverse community based organizations, working to improve healthcare outcomes for all Floridians. FVFH coordinates local community advocacy and outreach activities across the state and serves as a strong voice for vulnerable Floridians. The two priority policy areas for the organization are: Affordable Care Act and Medicare/Medicaid. The Fight Like Health Campaign addresses both of these priorities and seeks to promote a vision of an improved healthcare system. Partners meet regularly to discuss strategy, the campaign calendar, and the latest developments on the policy landscape. Grant funding supports staffing, nonprofit application fees, email marketing software, advocacy events and administrative fee for fiscal agent for a six month period.