



TEXAS WOMEN'S FOUNDATION

RESILIENCE FUND

The global health and economic crisis has brought into sharp focus the challenges faced by women and families at the margins. Now, perhaps more than ever before, we see the impact of deep systemic disparities affecting low income women and families, especially women of color. Here in our own community, we see that those who were hit first and hardest by the crisis are those who face the longest and most difficult road ahead. We are dedicated to help meet their needs, now and in the months ahead, through the Resilience Fund.

We are deeply grateful to Texas Women's Foundation's dedicated friends who are contributing their support. In April, through the Resilience Fund and the generosity of our donors, we distributed **\$320,768** in grants aimed at relief for low income and marginalized women, girls and families.

- 86% of the beneficiaries of April Resilience Fund grants are women and girls of color
- 57% of April Resilience Fund grantee organizations are led by people of color

This report gives you a view of the exceptional organizations we are supporting and the extraordinary donors who stand in partnership with us.

To each of you who has made a gift, we thank you. And because this is not only a tough and terrible time, but will be a long and difficult road for many of us ahead, we ask you to continue to support the Resilience Fund. [Join us](#) so that our community's most vulnerable women, girls and families may be resilient, and ultimately move from surviving to thriving.

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Texas Women's Foundation RESILIENCE FUND IMPACT

April Resilience Fund and COVID-19 Relief Grants

<p>Carter's House* Educational First Steps Family Place Girls Embracing Mothers Heart of Courage* Hopeful Solutions** <u>ilooklikeLOVE</u>, Inc.* Inspiring Tomorrow's Leaders* Mosaic Family Services Inc.</p>	<p>Nexus Recovery Center, Inc. North Dallas Shared Ministries Operation Kindness Planned Parenthood of Greater Texas St. Philip's School and Community Center Texas Tenants' Union* The Magdalen House, Inc.</p>	<p>University of North Texas Foundation Wesley-Rankin Community Center YMCA Metropolitan Dallas</p> <p><i>*HERitage Giving Fund Grantees</i> <i>** Multiple Grants (including HERitage)</i></p>
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Wesley-Rankin Community Center

A longtime partner serving West Dallas, Wesley-Rankin serves a diverse population living in one of the lowest income zip codes in Dallas (75212). The agency offers educational, nutrition and leadership development services to children, adults and seniors in a dignified, culturally sensitive fashion. Emerging needs are identified by the Adult Academy Leadership Council, primarily composed of women from the community, which guides organizational leadership on resource development. Texas Women's Foundation's funds will empower Wesley-Rankin to meet unique needs during the COVID-19 crisis for women, girls and their families who are immigrants, from communities of color and West Dallas neighborhoods of La Bajada and Los Altos, an historically disinvested community.



Hopeful Solutions

Empowering single mothers to maintain their sobriety and self-sufficiency while living with their children, Hopeful Solutions requested a grant to support acute and emerging needs during the COVID-19 crisis: financial assistance for rent and utilities, hot spots, and cleaning and hygiene products. Clients are women from Southern Dallas (75241) who are primarily employed in non-essential jobs (hospitality, call centers), experiencing reduced or eliminated hours and facing school closures and restrictions on day care services. The grant also funds virtual mental health and addiction counseling to support women who need urgent transitional services during circumstances that prohibit traditional recovery program meetings.

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Effie Dennison
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Texas Women's Foundation would like to thank Texas Capital Bank for their support investing in the lives of women and their families through the Resilience Fund.

"As a longstanding supporter of Texas Women's Foundation, Texas Capital Bank is honored to seed the newly created Resilience Fund," said Effie Dennison, EVP, Director of Community Development and Corporate Social Responsibility. "We recognize that single-mother heads of household are disproportionately affected in times of crisis, and in unprecedented times such as these, they are also the most vulnerable in our communities. We are proud to stand with Texas Women's Foundation to support the economic security of these women, and help them navigate through this crisis."

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APRIL 30, 2020
10:00 - 11:00 AM

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Executive Director
Educational First Steps
- Murriel Webb**
Founding Director
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Moderated by:

- Dana L. Jackson, Ph.D.**
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