



CREATING A LEGACY OF CHARITABLE IMPACT

The CCME Foundation works to improve the health of individuals and communities. We provide charitable grants to nonprofit organizations to build upon or undertake new projects that improve access to health care and health-related services for our neighbors in the Carolinas.

More than \$1.5 million provided in grant funding to nonprofits in the Carolinas since 2021



WHO CAN APPLY

The CCME Foundation awards grants to eligible nonprofit organizations that work to improve the health of individuals and communities. Applicants must operate within North and/or South Carolina and have current 501(c)(3) status. Examples of organizations that may apply for funding are:

- ✓ Faith-based entities
- ✓ Hospitals/Providers/Clinics
- ✓ Educational Institutions
- ✓ Community Based Organizations (CBOs)

OUR PRIORITIES

The CCME Foundation prioritizes applications that fall within four priority focus areas:

- ✓ Post-Acute Care
- ✓ Chronic Disease Management
- ✓ Behavioral Health
- ✓ Workforce Development

The CCME Foundation prioritizes funding based on a project's potential to impact the community with measurable outcomes, primarily in rural and sparsely suburban populations, and/or in under and unserved populations. *Please note: This does not mean that the CCME Foundation will not fund urban community projects; urban-based organizations are encouraged to apply.*

TYPES OF PROGRAMS WE HAVE FUNDED

We have provided grants to fund community-based initiatives and services, health care education, and clinical-based programs that have produced high-impact and positive improvement results on individuals and their communities. Types of programs that the CCME Foundation has funded include:

- ✓ Wellness and Healthy Lifestyle programs to improve chronic disease and mental health
- ✓ Programs providing access to culturally and linguistically appropriate care in health care settings
- ✓ Empowering vulnerable populations to access health care and other community resources which address the Social Determinants of Health to improve the quality of their lives
- ✓ The dissemination of education and health-related information to the community
- ✓ Improving modern health care workforce challenges in affecting readiness, retention, quality, and safety

HOW TO APPLY

Grant applications are accepted April 1st through June 15th of each year and are awarded for a one-year period, beginning August 1st through July 31st of each grant cycle.



Scan for more information regarding applications and eligibility

GRANTEE SPOTLIGHT

Community Care Center of Forsyth County, Winston-Salem NC

Forty Percent (40%) of the patient population at the Community Care Center are diabetic and suffer from a lack of basic dental care. The CCME Foundation grant allowed the clinic to begin a dental hygiene program, expanding dental care and preventative treatment to its patients. This program assists patients in addressing their needs for preventing gum disease, tooth decay, and combatting oral inflammation, which drastically affects their ability to manage their diabetes.



“We have a lot of patients who never had their teeth cleaned...It's been wonderful to see the increase in health because of the dental services that we can provide. It's been fantastic. – Dr. Jannette Whisenhunt, Dental Program Manager

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