

Lane Community Health Council Youth Behavioral Health Grant Recipient Announcement

Lane Community Health Council is pleased to announce the recipients of our 2024 Youth Behavioral Health grants! Through these awards, Lane Community Health Council in partnership with PacificSource Community Solutions has invested in upstream solutions that address community youth behavioral health needs.

We are excited to fund these organizations as they continue to provide critical services to support community health needs!

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2024 Youth Behavioral Health Grant Recipients & Projects

Organization	Project	Project Summary
Back2Youth	B2Y Youth in Nature Empowerment Initiative	Year-round after school and weekend programming for at-risk, marginalized, and Black, Indigenous or other Person of Coloridentifying youth between ages 11-18 and their families in an adventure camp-style that incorporates healing modalities and mindfulness-based interventions.
Boys & Girls Clubs of Emerald Valley	Resetting for Resiliency with Smart Moves Social- Emotional Learning	Expand reach to provide essential mental health support and social-emotional skill development to low-income, school-aged youth within the 4J and Bethel school districts who experience struggles with managing their emotions, self-regulation, and underdeveloped social skills.
Connected Lane County	Expansion of Behavioral Health Services for BIPOC and LGBTQIA+ Youth	Increase access to mental health supports and coordination for Black, Indigenous, or other People of Color and LGBTQIA2S+ youth ages 14-24.

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Daisy C.H.A.I.N.	Doula, Lactation, and Peer Support to Improve Youth Behavioral Health	Support doula, lactation, and peer support services to decrease the probability of hospital readmission for both the birthing parent and the infant. This includes their bilingual support program designed to provide dedicated care for individuals who are native Spanish speakers.
Looking Glass Community Services	LG Counseling Program CLSS	Improve and expand culturally and linguistically specific services to Latinx/e, LGBTQIA2S+, and rural communities in Lane County. Includes expansion of services into rural areas as well as creation of culturally specific programming for marginalized groups.
Mapleton School District	Mapleton SD Grief and Loss Supports	Build capacity for on-site, low-barrier mental health services two days per week at Mapleton schools as well as partner with a Eugene-area grief support program for 1 st -12 th graders and their families, open to any youth in Western Lane County.
Native Youth Wellness Program, Lane ESD	Native Youth Wellness Program's Outreach Expansion	Expand Tribal History/Shared History Professional Development opportunities for teachers, particularly in rural Lane County; expand the Native American Student Union affinity group program to all 13 rural school districts in Lane County.
Ophelia's Place	Girls Inclusive After and Out of School (AOS) Social- Emotional Learning Program	Empower girl-identified youth ages 10-18 with skills needed to meet the behavioral health challenges inherent in the transition from childhood to adolescence, including year-round social-emotional learning opportunities, drop-in space after school including in rural areas, and parent-daughter events.
Options Counseling and Family Services	OnCall Patient Portal Upgrade	Increase virtual patient visit accessibility by updating infrastructure in rural Lane County and implementing upgrades to existing OnCall Patient Portal system.
OSLC Community Programs dba Oregon Community Programs	Parenting Through Change: Community/School Partnership	Expand existing partnerships with Lane County schools to offer preventative 10- week Parenting through Change groups on school campuses, supporting parents in the care and management of their children exhibiting challenging behaviors.

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OSLC Developments Inc.	The Parenting Healthy Preteens Project in Rural Lane County	Offer Parenting Healthy Preteens program to parents and primary caregivers of youth aged 8-12 years in rural areas, focusing on positive parenting skills using traumainformed principles and practices. Inperson, virtual, Spanish-language classes and additional translation assistance are all offered.
Relief Nursery, Inc.	Intentional Outreach	Increase enrollment of Black, Indigenous, and other People of Color in Relief Nursery services, including immediate crisis response and ongoing trauma-informed home visiting services with individualized and comprehensive services.
South Lane Mental Health	ALAS Program Vehicle	Expand access to Spanish/English, bicultural/bilingual counseling and case management program to populations in underserved South Lane County with limited transportation.
WellMama, Inc.	Perinatal Health for Rural Latinx Families	Expand skill-building prevention activities and other perinatal health-focused programming into rural Lane County and lessen barriers to group attendance.