

COMMUNITY RESILIENCE FUND

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Supporting an equitable, long-term recovery

A year into the COVID-19 crisis, the needs of our community—and especially our nonprofits—have changed.

Our own COVID-19 Response Fund, coupled with federal CARES Act money, helped stabilize many of the nonprofits in the community in the short run, but the process of recovering and rebuilding is just beginning. All of us have been affected by COVID-19 in some way and will continue to feel its effects for years to come—some more than others.

The Community Resilience Fund is dedicated to supporting Omaha-area organizations serving communities disproportionately affected by the pandemic. It is also designed to complement local and federal aid.

Anyone Can Give

COVID-19 continues to take its toll on our nonprofit community. In a report from almost 200 nonprofit grantees, they estimate a revenue loss of over \$46 million in 2021. At the same time, many have seen an increased demand for services while the pandemic widened racial, economic, and gender inequalities.

By giving to our Community Resilience Fund, your donation will be allocated where the greatest needs and gaps exist. We have identified five key focus areas.

Only together can we overcome the negative impacts of the pandemic and rebuild a community that is more equitable, inclusive, and resilient.

You can make a gift from your fund with us through DonorCentral or by contacting our Donor Services team at 402-342-3458 or giving@omahafoundation.org.



ACHIEVEMENT GAP

Supporting enrichment programs and activities to reverse disparities that grew due to remote learning and other educational disruptions.



ARTS & CULTURE

Alleviating operational uncertainty until organizations can fully reopen and restabilize earned revenue through programs, performances, and exhibits.



HOUSING

Ensuring people can safely stay in their homes through legal assistance or financial support.



MENTAL HEALTH

Meeting the increased need for services and working to improve the overall mental health system.



WORKFORCE

Helping people gain new skills or education and find employment.