

2020 Variety Grants

American Home Finding Association	Ottumwa	Upgrades and renovations for Corinthian's House
Area Substance Abuse Council	Cedar Rapids	Upgrades and playground updates
ArtForce Iowa	Des Moines	Art workshops and supplies
ASAP After School Arts Program	Des Moines	Art studio supplies for free art programs
Best Buddies Iowa	Des Moines	Friendship Balls
Bidwell Riverside Center	Des Moines	New flooring for child development center
Big Brothers Big Sisters of Central Iowa	Clive	Activity materials for the virtual Little Big Academy
Blank Children's Hospital	Des Moines	Enhancements to pediatric therapy gyms and sanitation systems
Blank Park Zoo	Des Moines	Dreamnight – an evening for critically ill and special needs children
Broadlawns Medical Center	Des Moines	Equipment for the Variety Pediatric Clinic
By Degrees	Des Moines	Post secondary preparation and programming for North High students
Camp Hertko Hollow	West Des Moines	Camp scholarships for children with diabetes
Child Abuse Prevention	Marshalltown	Feeding supplies, safety items, health and hygiene items for Nest Store
Children and Family Urban Movement	Des Moines	Technology for virtual program to improve reading and math skills
Children and Families of Iowa	Des Moines	Program to provide nutritious food and snacks
Children's Cancer Connection	Des Moines	Camp scholarships for children with childhood cancer
ChildServe	Johnston	Construction of a dedicated behavioral health clinic
City Voices	Des Moines	Recording studio equipment for youth program
CROSS Outreach	Des Moines	Backpacks filled with school supplies
Dental Connections	Des Moines	Renovations to provide accessibility
Eastern Iowa Arts Academy	Cedar Rapids	Supplies and materials for art classes
Easterseals Iowa	Des Moines	Construction of new Child Development Center
EveryStep	Des Moines	Cribs, car seats, and other essential baby items for Stork's Nest program
EveryStep -- Amanda the Panda	West Des Moines	Programming supplies for children who have experienced death of a loved one
Families Helping Families	Cedar Rapids	Spread Your Wings Activities Scholarship Program
Families Inc.	West Branch	Counseling games/activities for children in treatment
Family & Children's Council of Black Hawk	Waterloo	Baby and child safety equipment
Family Promise of Greater Des Moines	Des Moines	Day center supplies and related guest expenses for homeless families
Family Promise of Linn County	Cedar Rapids	Rollaway beds and mattresses
Finley Hospital	Dubuque	Equipment for the pediatric physical therapy department
Food Bank of Iowa	Des Moines	Food for the Backpack and School Pantry programs
Four Mounds	Dubuque	Tools for students in the HEART Program
Freedom for Youth Ministries	Des Moines	Freedom Construction Services work training program
Friends of Des Moines Parks	Des Moines	Swim lesson scholarships for underprivileged children
Friends of Iowa CASA & ICFCRB	Des Moines	Transportation expenses to reach children in foster care
Friendship Center	Des Moines	Back to school backpacks
Gigi's Playhouse	Windsor Heights	GiGiFit program for children living with down syndrome
Hills & Dales	Dubuque	Outdoor sensory and play items
House of Mercy	Des Moines	Renovations to create a multi-purpose room
Inspiration Stables	Peosta	Sanitation and individualized riding equipment

Iowa Society on the Abuse of Children	Hiawatha	Pack-n-Plays and sheets for the Cribs for Kids Program
Iowa Homeless Youth	Des Moines	Variety Minivan
Iowa Youth Chorus	Des Moines	After school choral program
IOWAREADS	Des Moines	Reading improvement program for targeted students in grades 1-4
Jewels Academy	Des Moines	STEM program technology and materials
Junior Achievement of Eastern Iowa	Cedar Rapids	Financial literacy program kits
Koats 4 Kids	Waterloo	Winter clothing for underprivileged children
Kid Assist of Jasper County	Newton	Specialized bicycle
Mary Greeley Medical Center	Ames	Equipment for the new Birthways/NICU
Mentor Iowa	Des Moines	Mentor group activities and assistance
Mercy Medical Center	Cedar Rapids	Specialized equipment for Mercy Birthplace and NICU
MercyOne Des Moines	Des Moines	Specialized NICU equipment
MercyOne Waterloo	Waterloo	Spot vision screeners and AccuVein finder
Northeast Iowa Food Bank	Waterloo	Backpack food program
Oakridge Neighborhood Services	Des Moines	Desktop computers, monitors and software for computer lab
Orchard Place	Des Moines	New furniture for group homes
Pay it Forward Christmas Program	Albia	Toys and clothing for children during the Christmas season
PI515	Des Moines	Tech apprenticeship program for high school students
Project HELP of Marion County	Newton	Specialized bicycle
Prevent Blindness	Des Moines	Spot Vision Screeners to provide free vision screening
Reach Out and Read	Des Moines	Age and culturally appropriate books for children
Riverview Center	Dubuque	Child therapy supplies
Sleep in Heavenly Peace	Essex	Twin beds and bedding
Southwest Iowa Families Inc.	Clarinda	Car seats, cribs, gates, and other essentials for the Nest program
Tanager Place	Cedar Rapids	Variety Minivan
Urban Dreams	Des Moines	Percussion outdoor instruments for new courtyard
Variety Compassion Fund	Statewide	Emergency and special funding for critically ill children and their families
Variety Kids on the Go! Program	Statewide	Bikes, helmets and locks for underprivileged children
Variety Mobility Program	Statewide	Specialized mobility equipment for children with special needs
Variety Star Playground At Riverview Park	Des Moines	Inclusive playground
Vision to Learn	Central Iowa	Eye exams and glasses for at-risk children
Visiting Nurse Services	Dubuque	Medical equipment to benefit newborns
Whatsoever You Do	Des Moines	Renovations and kitchen equipment for emergency shelter
Willkie House Inc.	Des Moines	Variety 15-passenger van
Witwer Children's Therapy	Cedar Rapids	EMYO pelvic floor rehab system, highchairs and floor mats
Young Women's Resource Center	Des Moines	Materials and activities for after school and summer programs
Youth Emergency Services & Shelter	Des Moines	Renovations to create specialized units for traumatized children
Youth Homes of Mid-America	Johnston	Sensory items for Neurodevelopmental & Comorbid Conditions Program
YSS – Francis Lauer	Mason City	Campus renovation project