



See What We've Been Up to this Year!

The Alfred N. Sanzari Family Foundation has had an exciting 12+ months! In July 2020, the ANSFF website was launched where we introduced our new and improved application process. The team also introduced our updated mission statement which focuses on healthcare with a special preference for patient care and Parkinson's Disease; local education programs; and programs that support disadvantaged populations such as shelters/housing, and services for women and children in need.

Since then, we have heard from many incredible causes and were honored to award 23 grants. We are proud to report that since its founding, the ANS Family Foundation has donated almost \$2.5 million.

We are excited to share the multitude of ways we were able to help support amazing organizations this year in the email below.

ANS Family Foundation Grants

We are currently in the midst of one of our two annual grant application cycles and look forward to supporting even more organizations in 2022.

For more information on the grant application process and to apply, please visit the ANS Family Foundation website.

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Foundation Spotlights

Hackensack Public School District

- The purchase of iPads for many of the Hackensack district's Kindergarten students.
- This donation helped to ensure that every elementary school student in Hackensack, regardless of income, had the tools needed to succeed in school.

Boys & Girls Club of Paterson and Passaic (B&GCPP)

- Clubhouses were turned into spaces where young people participate in online school in a

safe, conducive, supportive environment.

- Kids received tutoring, mentorship, and social skills development opportunities.
- Access to Let's Go Learn, an educational platform that evaluates each child's reading strengths and weaknesses and creates responsive lesson plans.



"Through partnership with The Alfred N. Sanzari Family Foundation, the Boys & Girls Club of Paterson and Passaic has been able to provide hundreds of children and families with academic support, encouragement, and stability during a very turbulent year."

- **B&GCPP**

CUMAC

- Pandemic relief by delivering boxes of food lasting 12-14 days to 150 homebound clients.
- Supported local nonprofits through food donations from their Regional Food Hub. Provided fruit, vegetables, frozen meats, milk, eggs, cheese, and pantry staples to 3,032 clients from their flagship Marketplace.

Oasis, a Haven for Women and Children

- Support of the GED Program from which 33 women participated.
- GED-courses prepared the women for the high school equivalency test .
- Women were offered free childcare and an integrated network of antipoverty support services (meals, food bags, clothing, baby items, and psychosocial support).

"We are grateful for the support Alfred N. Sanzari has provided our women-- allowing them to attain their high school equivalency diploma to secure economic sustainability for themselves and their children."

- **Oasis**

Fulfill – FoodBank of Monmouth and Ocean Counties

- Provided hungry children with backpacks full of nutritious and easy-to-prepare food so they have food to eat throughout the weekend.
- The grant supported nearly 1,350 food packs.



" The grant from the Alfred N. Sanzari Family Foundation has been very important to our work. With this generous support, Fulfill has been able to continue to help alleviate child hunger by discretely providing hungry children with backpacks full of nutritious and easy-to-prepare food on Friday afternoons so they have food to eat throughout the weekend. We are incredibly grateful and appreciate your belief in and support of our work. "

- **Fulfill**

Villanova University

- Support of the M. Louise Fitzpatrick College of Nursing's use of Interprofessional Education, a training method led by Professor Diane Ellis proven to improve patient outcomes for Parkinson's disease patients.
- To date ~1500 interprofessional students have had the opportunity to participate in valuable and behavioral changing activities and research as they transition from student to healthcare professionals.



Other organizations that received grants include Star of Hope, Camp Acorn, Evolve Pink, The Giving Hope Network, Hackensack Meridian Health Foundation, Northern New Jersey Council – Boy Scouts of America, and Social Service Association of Ridgewood and Vicinity

Thank you for all of your support! We look forward to updating you again soon!
Dana, Lisa, Benita and the ANSFF team

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