

United
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of Lamoille County

Annual Report Fiscal Year 2018

FIREWOOD PROJECT

65 cords provided to low
income households

38% are single, low-income
seniors living alone

117 volunteers

105 individuals kept warm



THANK YOU!

With your help and that of many others, we're delivering on our mission: *to advocate for the health, financial stability and education of Lamoille County Families.*

NEW FOUNDATIONS PROGRAM

5 families served 

2 graduates, both secured housing and employment without draining their savings

OUR FY 2018 BOARD & STAFF

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Staff:

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H.O.P.E. Program

 54 

Seniors Adopted

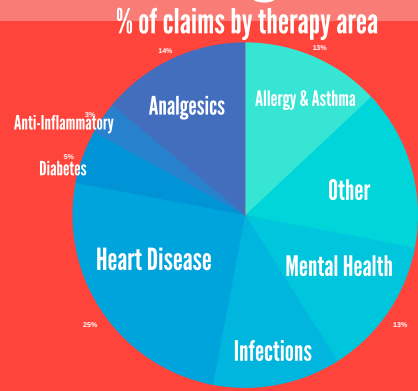
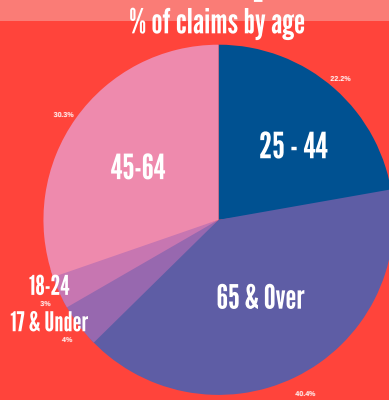


Prescription Discount Program



\$12,530

saved on
prescription
medications



215

people
helped

COMMUNITY INVESTMENTS

\$30,000 was invested into our community in the form of grants

- \$500 Jeffersonville Farmer's Market Power of Produce Program
- \$15,000 Meals on Wheels
- \$7500 North Central Vermont Recovery Center
- \$2000 Jupiter Farms
- \$2000 MACC
- \$1200 Mo'Resilient
- \$1800 Tatum's Totes

TEEN GIFT CARD PROGRAM

49

 teens served

87

 gift cards given

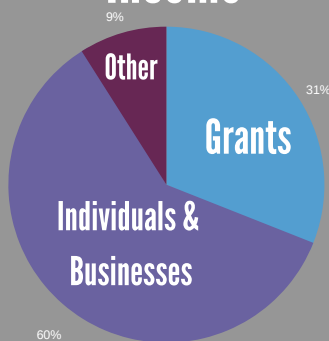
SHOVELING FOR SENIORS

860

hours of snow
shoveling provided

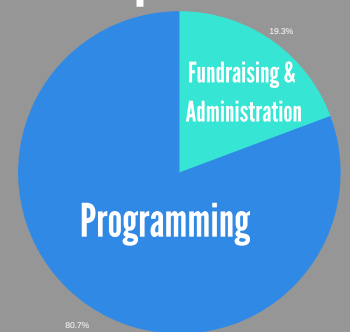
How We Do What We Do

Income



In 2017/2018 we had two full-time staff. Thanks to the generosity of our wonderful donors, we raised \$283,674.20 in FY 2018. We could not address these important issues without our community, and because of that support we are gradually expanding the services we offer.

Expenses



The Impact YOUR Donation Made

We advocated for the needs of over **600** of our most vulnerable neighbors, including:

Finding housing resources for

22

homeless individuals.

Navigating heat, electric and water bills for over

250

people.

How else do we help?



The Impact YOUR Donation Made

"It was really nice the other day. I took my daughters to the park, and we met another mother and child that was the same age. It is was first time I introduced myself and family as a neighbor, and not as a person needing help."

- Single mother of two (she had been in the program just two months at the time). She was freed of her abusive partner, started working, and completed her High School education in order to start higher education. It didn't take long for her to understand what she wanted to do, and how important this change was for her own confidence and self-perception.

"I never thought I would be able to do this"

-Single mother of 2 boys in our New Foundations program. She was homeless and living in an unfit mobile home awaiting the arrival of her baby. Her older son, age 8, had been in state's custody for four years. She applied to NF, was accepted, and moved in one week after the birth of her son. Soon after moving in, she was granted overnight visits with her older son. After six short months in the NF program, she retained full custody of her 8 year old son. She is living independently with her children for the first time in her life. She began her college career this summer. She has overcome mental health and substance abuse issues to become a strong independent mother of two happy healthy boys.