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As our region's community foundation, The Chicago Community Trust works diligently to ensure a donor's intent is honored in perpetuity. The Trust's designated fund program supports specific nonprofit organizations, programs, and projects that have been determined by the donor. By establishing a designated fund, grants are made for the exclusive use of the selected organization. Following are organizations that have received grants from designated funds in 2024.

FY2024 DESIGNATED GRANTS

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| Access Living | Chicago Methodist Senior Services | Fourth Presbyterian Church |
| Adler Planetarium | Chicago Parks Foundation | Garrett-Evangelical Theological Seminary |
| AIA Chicago Foundation | Chicago Public Schools Student Science Fair, Inc. | Glencoe Union Church |
| Allendale Association | Chicago Scots | Glenwood Academy |
| Alpha Gamma Delta Foundation | Chicago Shakespeare Theater | Glessner House |
| American Heart Association | Chicago Sunday Evening Club | Greater Chicago Food Depository |
| American Indian Center of Chicago | Chicago Symphony Orchestra | Griffin Museum of Science and Industry |
| American Red Cross of Greater Chicago | Chicago Theatre Group Inc. | Healthy Schools Campaign |
| Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago | Chicago Women in Architecture Foundation | Heartland Alliance for Human Needs & Human Rights |
| Ann & Robert H. Lurie Children's Hospital of Chicago Foundation | Chicago Youth Centers | Hubbard Street Dance Chicago |
| Art Institute of Chicago | Chicago Zoological Society | Ignite |
| Ascension School | Children's Care Foundation | Illinois College |
| Association House of Chicago | Christ Church Chicago | Illinois Institute of Technology |
| Blind Service Association | Church Properties Reimagined | Illinois Society for the Prevention of Blindness |
| Boy Scouts of America Calumet Council | Counseling Center of the North Shore | Infant Welfare Society of Chicago |
| Boys & Girls Clubs of Chicago | Creating Pathways and Access for Student Success Foundation | Jazz Institute of Chicago |
| Brain Research Foundation | DayOne PACT | John G. Shedd Aquarium |
| Brightpoint | Delta Institute | Juvenile Protective Association |
| Bryn Mawr College | Elmhurst University | Kids Above All |
| Centro Infantil de los Ángeles | eta Creative Arts Foundation | King's Daughters Organization |
| Chicago Academy of Sciences | Executive Service Corps of Chicago | Kyiv-Mohyla Foundation of America |
| Chicago Bible Society | Experimental Station | La Rabida Children's Hospital |
| Chicago Children's Museum | Family Focus | Lake View High School |
| Chicago Commons | Family Service Center | Latin School of Chicago |
| Chicago Historical Society | Field Museum of Natural History | Lincoln Park Zoological Society |
| Chicago Horticultural Society | | |

DESIGNATED FUNDS

FY2024 DESIGNATED GRANTS (continued)

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| Little Brothers - Friends of the Elderly | St. Francis of Assisi Catholic Church |
| Loyola University Chicago | Steppenwolf Theatre Company |
| Lyric Opera of Chicago | The Admiral at the Lake |
| Metropolitan Family Services | The American Foundation for the Blind |
| Moose Charities | The Chicago Academy for the Arts |
| Museum of Contemporary Art Chicago | The Chicago Bar Foundation |
| National Museum of Mexican Art | The Chicago Community Foundation |
| NewRoot Learning Institute | The Chicago Community Trust |
| North Shore Senior Center | The Chicago Lighthouse |
| NorthShore University HealthSystem | The Church of the Holy Spirit |
| Northwestern Medicine | The DuSable Black History Museum and Education Center |
| Northwestern Medicine Lake Forest Hospital | The Joan W. and Irving B. Harris Theater for Music and Dance |
| Northwestern Medicine Valley West Hospital | The Salvation Army |
| Northwestern University | The Seeing Eye |
| Northwestern University Settlement House | The University of Chicago |
| Off The Street Club | Tree Research and Education Endowment Fund |
| Old Town School of Folk Music | Uhlich Children's Advantage Network |
| One Hope United | Union League Boys & Girls Clubs |
| Pine Mountain Settlement School | United Way of Metro Chicago |
| Presbyterian Foundation | University of Illinois Foundation |
| Providence St. Mel School | University of Wisconsin Foundation |
| Ragdale | VNA Foundation |
| Rainbow Hospice and Palliative Care | Westminster Place |
| Ravinia Festival | Women Employed |
| Rush University Medical Center | YMCA of Metropolitan Chicago |
| SGA Youth & Family Services | YWCA Metropolitan Chicago |
| Shirley Ryan AbilityLab | |
| Shriners Hospitals for Children | |
| Somonauk Cemetery Association | |
| St. Barnabas Parish | |

DISABILITIES FUND

As part of The Chicago Community Trust's commitment to encourage collective philanthropy that meets the changing needs of the diverse communities in metropolitan Chicago, we have partnered with community and corporate leaders to create the following giving groups.

AFRICAN AMERICAN LEGACY

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| A Step Ahead Chess | Light of Loving Kindness | Provident Foundation |
| Automotive Mentoring Group | Lugenia Burns Hope Center | Reflections Foundation |
| Black Alphabet | Musical Arts Institute | Sista Afya |
| D-Composed | New Life KNEW Solutions | The Chicago Community Foundation |
| EcoWomanist Institute | Of Color, Inc. | Urban Male Network (UMN) |
| Girls 4 Science | Osmosis Education Mentoring Initiative | |
| Girls Like Me Project | Project OneTen | |

THE ASIAN GIVING CIRCLE

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| Apna Ghar | Heritage Museum of Asian Art | OH Art Foundation |
| Chinese American Service League (CASL) | Illinois Muslim Civic Coalition | People Matter |
| CIRCA Pintig | Indo-American Center | Philanthropy for Asian American Action Chicago (PAAAC) |
| Coalition for a Better Chinese American Community (CBCAC) | Invisible 2 Invincible | South Asian American Coalition to Renew Democracy (SACRED) |
| Defy Venture, Inc. | Japanese American Citizens League (JACL) Chicago | South Asian American Policy & Research Institute (SAAPRI) |
| HANA Center | Mongolian Heritage Center | |
| HEART | Nepalese Aid | |

LGBTQ COMMUNITY FUND

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| Adler University | Lawrence Hall | Primecare Community Health Inc. |
| AIDS Foundation of Chicago | Legal Council for Health Justice | Public Health Institute of Metropolitan Chicago |
| Alivio Medical Center | Life Is Work | Puerto Rican Cultural Center |
| Brave Space Alliance | McDermott Center | Taskforce Prevention and Community Services |
| Center on Halsted | Medical Organization for Latino Advancement | Youth Outlook |
| Chicago Family Health Center | Northwest Compass | |
| Housing Opportunities & Maintenance for the Elderly (HOME) | One Roof Chicago | |
| Howard Brown Health Center | Planned Parenthood of Illinois | |

DISABILITIES FUND

NUESTRO FUTURO

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| 18th Street Casa de Cultura NFP | Farmworker and Landscaper Advocacy Project (FLAP) | Mujeres Latinas En Accion |
| Arise Chicago | Fox Valley United Way | National Museum of Mexican Art |
| Brighton Park Neighborhood Council | Gads Hill Center | North Suburban Legal Aid Clinic |
| Centro De Trabajadores Unidos/United Workers Center | GAP Community Center | Northern Illinois Justice for Our Neighbors |
| Centro Romero | Healing to Action | Onward Neighborhood House |
| Educare of West Dupage | Home of the Child/El Hogar Del Nino | Partners for Our Communities (POC) |
| El Valor | Immigrant Solidarity Dupage | PASO (West Suburban Action Project) |
| Enlace Chicago | Instituto del Progreso Latino | PODER |
| Erie Neighborhood House | Latino Policy Forum | Spanish Community Center |
| Expanded Mental Health Services of Chicago NFP | Latinos Progresando | Taller de Jose |
| Family Service and Mental Health Center of Cicero | Logan Square Neighborhood Association | Youth and Family Center of McHenry County |
| | Mano a Mano Family Resource Center | |

YOUNG LEADERS FUND

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| Bricks of Hope | Free Root Operation | Project Mobility |
| Chicago Tool Library | Hearing in Color | Rome in a Day Productions Chicago |
| City Motivators | Hey Benji Foundation | SMNPCE INC (Single Mothers Navigating Parenting, Careers, Entrepreneurship) |
| Diaper Bank of Chicago | Ndoula Community Alliance | SpaceShift Collective |
| Feeding People Through Plants NFP | Physical Theater Festival | |

PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES FUND

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| Access Living of Metropolitan Chicago | Disability Lead |
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MATCHING GRANTS

Furthering its mission to promote philanthropy and build metropolitan Chicago's charitable resources, The Chicago Community Trust offers a matching gifts program to staff and the Executive Committee, the governing board of the Trust. The program allows employees and members of the Executive Committee to augment their gifts to nonprofits. Following are the recipients of the matching gift program in 2024.

FY2024 MATCHING GRANTS

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| A Long Swim | Chicago Humanities Festival | Full Moon Jam Foundation |
| Above and Beyond Family Recovery Center | Chicago Parks Foundation | Garfield Park Community Council |
| Achilles International | Chicago Public Media Inc. | Gerber Hart Library and Archives |
| AIDS Foundation Of Chicago | Chicago Refugee Coalition | Greater Chicago Food Depository |
| All Chicago Making Homelessness History | Chicago Women Take Action Inc | HANA Center |
| Allies for Community Business | Civic Consulting Alliance | i.c.stars |
| American Heart Association | Communities In Schools of Chicago | Impact Chicago Self Defense |
| American Jewish Committee | Cradles to Crayons | Inspiration Corporation |
| Asian Americans Advancing Justice | Crossroads Fund | Instituto Del Progreso Latino |
| Beyond Hunger | Cuz Animals Lives Matter Foundation and Rescue Inc | Japanese American Citizens League |
| Brave Space Alliance | Deborah's Place | Jewish United Fund of Metropolitan Chicago |
| Breakthrough | Dion's Chicago Dream | Kathryn J Thompson Charities |
| Buddy Up For Life, Inc. | Edgewater Environmental Coalition | La Casa Norte |
| Cancer Wellness Center | Equal Hope | Lakeview Orchestra |
| Cara Collective | Eritrean Assistance Organization in Chicago | Lawndale Christian Legal Center |
| Carlson Community Services | Eritrean Orthodox Church of St Mary | Links Foundation Inc |
| Casa Central | Evanston Community Foundation | Literacy Works |
| Catherine's Caring Cause | First United Methodist Church of Evanston | Little City Foundation |
| Center for Changing Lives | Forever Fortunate Felines | Lung Cancer Research Foundation |
| Chicago Abortion Fund | Forging Opportunities for Refugees in America | Make-A-Wish® Illinois |
| Chicago Alliance Against Sexual Exploitation | Francis W. Parker School | March Of Dimes |
| Chicago Arts Partnerships in Education | Friends of Chicago Animal Care and Control | Margaret's Village |
| Chicago Coalition to end Homelessness | Friends of the Children - Chicago | Metropolis Strategies NFP |
| Chicago CRED Inc | Friends of United Hatzalah Inc | Misericordia Home |
| Chicago Foundation For Women | | Music Of The Baroque |
| Chicago Gay Men's Chorus | | National Louis University |
| | | National Museum of Mexican Art |

MATCHING GRANTS

FY2024 MATCHING GRANTS (continued)

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| National Public Housing Museum | Urban Initiatives |
| Near North Montessori School | Window to the World Communications, Inc. |
| Northeastern Illinois University | Women Employed |
| Northwestern University | Young Judeaea Global |
| Oak Park–River Forest Community Foundation | Youth Crossroads |
| Oligo Nation, Inc. | |
| PAWS Chicago | |
| Precious Blood Ministry of Reconciliation | |
| Providence St. Mel School | |
| Revolution Workshop | |
| River City Community Development Center (R CITY) | |
| Roger Baldwin Foundation | |
| Roosevelt University | |
| Season of Concern | |
| St Leonard's Ministries | |
| Stardust Animal Sanctuary | |
| The Ark | |
| The Bloc | |
| The Chicago Community Foundation | |
| The Chicago Community Trust | |
| The Chicago Council on Global Affairs | |
| The Leukemia & Lymphoma Society | |
| The Michael Gray Foundation of Dreams | |
| The Resurrection Project | |
| The University of Chicago Harris School of Public Policy | |
| The Welcome Network | |
| The Well of Mercy | |
| (Un)Learning Space NFP | |

SEARLE FUNDS

For more than 40 years, the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust has been an integral part of the Trust and its grant making. These funds support research in medicine, chemistry, and biological science; scientific and educational activities in health; economic development; the environment; and education.

FY2024 SEARLE FUNDS

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| Advocates for Urban Agriculture | IAV | Seven Generations Ahead |
| Artisan Grain Collaborative | Illinois Environmental Council | St. Leonard's Ministries |
| Basil's Harvest | Education Fund | Star Farm Chicago |
| Better Future Forward | Illinois Stewardship Alliance | Steans Family Foundation |
| Chicago Food Policy Action Council | Inner Voice | Stone Community Development Corporation |
| Chicago Rehab Network | Inspiration Corporation | The Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois |
| Chicago Women in Trades | Just Roots | The Chicago Community Trust |
| City Colleges of Chicago Foundation | Kinship Foundation | The Conservation Fund |
| Claretian Associates | Land Connection | The Land Conservancy of McHenry County |
| Connections for the Homeless | Latino Policy Forum | The University of Chicago Urban Labs |
| Cures Within Reach | Law Center for Better Housing | This Old Farm, Inc. |
| Demera Ethiopian Restaurant | Legal Action Chicago | Thrive Scholars |
| E.G. Woode | Liberty Prairie | UtmostU |
| Economic Awareness Council | Lift | We Rise Together: For an Equitable & Just Recovery |
| Elawa Farm Foundation | McHenry County College | Year Up United |
| Enlace Chicago | MixR | |
| Faith in Place | National Able Network | |
| FamilyFarmed | NeighborSpace | |
| Far South Community Development Corporation | Northwestern University | |
| Farmers Rising | One Million Degrees | |
| Floating Museum | P33 | |
| Food Animal Concerns Trust (FACT) | Partnership for College Completion | |
| Fresh Taste | Per Scholas | |
| Green City Market | Plant Chicago | |
| Grow Greater Englewood | Rebuilding Exchange | |
| HIRE360 | Revolution Workshop | |
| i.c.stars | Roseland Medical District | |
| | Rush University Medical Center | |

SEARLE SCHOLARS

The Searle Scholars Program was designed and created by the Searle family in 1980 to nurture creative talent in scientific research.

Since its inception, the program has been supported by the charitable lead trusts established under the wills of John G. and Francis C. Searle, which emphasize supporting research in medicine, chemistry and biological science.

The family selected The Chicago Community Trust as the organization to which it would make distributions from the Searle Family Trust to support the Searle Scholars Program. Approximately 15 percent of the funds come from the Searle Funds at The Chicago Community Trust.

The other 85 percent of the funds come from the annual grants recommended by Searle family representatives and approved by the trustees of the Searle family trusts. An awarded institution receives \$300,000 over three years in research support for the Searle Scholar. The program is administered by Kinship Foundation, the private operating foundation that manages the institutional philanthropy of the Searle family.

FY2024 SEARLE SCHOLARS

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| Board of Regents of the University of California | support for the work of scholar Angela Phillips, University of California, San Francisco (SSP-2024-110) |
| Board of Regents of the University of California | support for the work of scholar Ziyang Zhang, The University of California At Berkeley (SSP-2024-115) |
| Board of Regents of the University of California | support for the work of scholar Bronwyn Lucas, University of California, Berkeley (SSP-2024-107) |
| Broad Institute | support for the work of scholar Erin Chen (SSP-2024-103) |
| California Institute of Technology | support for the work of scholar Dr. Shasha Chong (SSP-2022-108) |
| Cold Spring Harbor Laboratory | support for the work of scholar Dr. Arkarup Banerjee (SSP-2022-112) |
| Columbia University | support for the work of scholar Ryan Gaudet (SSP-2024-104) |
| Fred Hutchinson Cancer Center | support for the work of scholar Dr. Daniel Blanco-Melo (SSP-2023-103) |
| Gladstone Institutes | support for the work of scholar Dr. Vijay Ramani (SSP-2023-110) |
| Indiana University | support for the work of scholar Dr. Brittany Needham (SSP-2023-109) |
| Johns Hopkins University | support for the work of scholar Chang Liu (SSP-2024-106) |
| Kinship Foundation | General Operating Support |
| Marine Biological Laboratory | support for the work of scholar Carrie Albertin (SSP-2024-101) |
| Massachusetts Institute of Technology | support for the work of scholar Brandon Weissbourd (SSP-2024-114) |
| Northwestern University | support for the work of scholar Dr. Daniel Arango (SSP-2023-102) |
| President and Fellows of Harvard College | support for the work of scholar Dr. Humsa Venkatesh, Harvard Medical School (SSP-2023-115) |
| Rutgers University | support for the work of scholar Ian Oldenburg (SSP-2024-109) |

SEARLE SCHOLARS

FY2024 SEARLE SCHOLARS (continued)

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| Southwestern Medical Foundation | support for the work of scholar Dr. Kevin Forsberg, University of Texas Southwestern Medical Center (SSP-2022-115) |
| Stanford University | support for the work of scholar Dr. Serena Sanulli (SSP-2022-109) |
| The Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois | support for the work of scholar Dr. Nicholas Wu, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign (SSP-2022-102) |
| The Rector & Visitors of the University of Virginia | support for the work of scholar Dr. Ahmad Jomaa (SSP-2023-106) |
| The Rockefeller University | support for the work of scholar Jiankun Lyu (SSP-2024-108) |
| The University of Chicago | support for the work of scholar Dr. Sampri Mukherjee (SSP-2022-104) |
| The University of Utah | support for the work of scholar Tyler Starr (SSP-2024-111) |
| Trustees of Boston University | support for the work of scholar Dr. Meg A. Younger (SSP-2022-106) |
| Trustees of Princeton University | support for the work of scholar Ai Ing Lim (SSP-2024-105) |
| Trustees of the University of Pennsylvania | support for the work of scholar Dr. Andrew Modzelewski (SSP-2023-108) |
| University of Massachusetts | support for the work of scholar Dr. Jessica Spinelli, UMass Chan Medical School (SSP-2023-113) |
| University of Rochester | support for the work of scholar Dr. Ian C. Fiebelkorn (SSP-2022-111) |
| University of Washington | support for the work of scholar Dr. Philip Abitua (SSP-2023-101) |
| Vanderbilt University | support for the work of scholar Dr. Amanda J. Lea (SSP-2022-103) |
| Whitehead Institute | support for the work of scholar Dr. Sinisa Hrvatin (SSP-2023-105) |

SUPPORTING ORGANIZATIONS

Supporting organizations are affiliates that operate in conjunction with The Chicago Community Trust. Because of their association with the Trust, supporting organizations enjoy benefits such as favorable tax treatment, exclusion from restrictions normally placed on private foundations and the Trust's expert staff and resources. Though these affiliates work closely with the Trust, each retains its unique identity and is responsible for its own grant making decisions, investments and operations.

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