HEALTH AND WELL-BEING

THERE ARE FEWER OVERWEIGHT OR OBESE WOMEN IN CHESTER COUNTY COMPARED TO THE UNITED STATES AND PENNSYLVANIA.

BLACK WOMEN WITH LUNG CANCER DIE AT NEARLY 3X THE RATE OF HISPANIC WOMEN WITH LUNG CANCER.

BLACK WOMEN DIE OF HEART DISEASE AT A RATE 32% HIGHER THAN WHITE WOMEN.

BREAST CANCER MORTALITY RATES (PER 100,000)

FEMALES 20%
MALES 3%

RATE OF MAJOR DEPRESSION
United States, 2009

WOMEN REPRESENT 90% OF EATING DISORDER CASES WHICH CARRY THE HIGHEST MORTALITY RATE OF ALL MENTAL ILLNESS.

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WHAT THE FUND WILL DO

FUND programs and organizations addressing our community-identified priority areas, specifically the area of promoting health and wellness by addressing needs specifically related to the health of women and girls.

EDUCATE the community about the findings of the Blueprint Report through informative events, print and social media.

CONVENE women’s groups, organizations, community members and other stakeholders to develop a collective plan to promote women’s health.

ADVOCATE by informing legislators how policies and programs impact women’s health and access to healthcare.

SHARE. Raise awareness by forwarding the Blueprint Report to family, friends and colleagues.

VOTE. Select political candidates who support legislation that will improve all women’s health and their access to a full range of care.

GIVE. Volunteer and contribute to organizations promoting women’s health and connecting women with health and wellness services.

STAY INFORMED. Learn more about the work of CCFWG and our grantees. Subscribe to our newsletter and social media to remain current on issues affecting women and girls.

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The Fund leads and unites the community through philanthropy and advocacy to ensure that women and girls have resources and opportunities to thrive.

For the complete Blueprint Report: www.ccfwg.org/research

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