2019-20 ANNUAL REPORT
Leading and uniting the community for women and girls
DEAR FRIENDS

It is undeniable that all of us have been facing extraordinary challenges. What has erupted over the past year across our country has brought to the fore the issues that brought Chester County Fund for Women and Girls (CCFWG) into existence, including access to healthcare, gender-based violence, childcare, and racial and gender inequities. These community needs that have been spotlighted in recent months have been hiding in plain sight all along.

What has also surfaced is resilience. We have seen it surrounding us. It lives in the young women of our Girls Advisory Board and GirlGov Chester County programs who stepped up to create community drives and initiatives in response to the need for masks and food. It has been evident among the local non-profit organizations that remained relentless and creative in their commitment to provide for the most vulnerable in Chester County. We have also seen resilience among many of our leaders who have been more motivated than ever to collaborate and engage in difficult conversations in order to restore our community to an even stronger position. Finally, as women and their families juggled even more than usual, resilience carried them through day by day.

As you will see in the pages that follow, this past year, CCFWG stepped up to demonstrate our resilience and responsiveness to the needs of women and girls in an ever-shifting world. As 2020 marks the 100th anniversary of the 19th Amendment to the US Constitution, which granted many American women the right to vote, we uphold a legacy that embodies these characteristics. We will continue on to carry that mantle for gender and racial equity, just like the suffragists and all who have come before and after them to use who they are and what they have to push forward. Thank you for being part of our journey!

With deepest gratitude,

Judi Bell
Board Chair

Michelle Legaspi Sánchez
Executive Director
The need to center our work in our guiding principles has never been more important. We uphold these principles in all we do to realize our vision of a world where women and girls will have equality and security.

**GUIDING PRINCIPLES**

**Equality** Achieving equal status, rights and opportunities for women and girls.

**Security** Ensuring that women and girls have safe and stable lives, and access to opportunities that will improve economic independence, health and wellness.

**Community** Connecting partners, ideas, dialogues and resources by investing in leadership of women and girls, collaborating with partners, and supporting organizations that provide service and advocacy.

**Knowledge** Raising awareness, educating the community and generating solutions through research, data, community input and outreach.

**Inclusion** Welcoming all who seek to learn, serve and support others in the pursuit of our mission, recognizing that our work will be strongest with a rich variety of perspectives and diverse leadership.

**Integrity** Remaining thoughtful, strategic, transparent and responsive to community needs.

**Strength** Building on the strength of women and girls. Raising issues and taking stands. Together, we will achieve positive change for women and girls.
CREATING SPACES

CCFWG creates spaces where the voices of women and girls are heard, valued and respected - and all of these created spaces are aimed at making a brighter, safer and healthier future for all of Chester County’s women and girls. Here are a few highlights from the year:

#ChescoKnows Report and Summit
Over 150 community members joined CCFWG, the Chester County Commissioners and the Chester County Women’s Commission for our #ChescoKnows Summit that explored findings of our #ChescoKnows workplace sexual harassment survey. We also explored next steps for turning #ChescoKnows into #ChescoActs, taking action to create safer and more equitable workplaces for all.

A CALL TO MEN Training
As part of the #ChescoKnows Initiative, we partnered with A CALL TO MEN to engage male allies in Chester County in a dialogue on ways we can collaborate to create safer workplaces.

TogetHER Female Millennial Initiative
Members of TogetHER volunteered with grantee partner Parkesburg POINT to cook and serve dinner to students in their after school programs.

LGBTQIA+ Inclusion Workshop
CCFWG partnered with West Chester University’s Center for Trans and Queer Advocacy to offer an LGBTQIA+ Inclusion Workshop for our grantee partners.
Comprehensive Sex Ed Policy Hearing
Girls Advisory Board (GAB) alumna Carlee Warfield and Education Committee member Michelle Schamis shared powerful testimony at a policy hearing for HB 1586, which seeks to mandate inclusive, consent-based, and comprehensive sex education in public schools.

Champions of Change Breakfast
CCFWG hosted our third annual Champions of Change Breakfast to honor those working to shatter the glass ceiling and pave the way for women in the workplace. The event highlighted barriers women face and leaders committed to eliminating those barriers. This year’s honorees were Dr. Lorraine (Laurie) Bernotsky of West Chester University and First Resource Bank.

Intergenerational Conversation
CCFWG, West Chester University and West Chester Area Senior Center hosted a chat with women of all ages about voting, community involvement, advocacy, and using your voice.

International Women’s Day
Executive Director Michelle Legaspi Sanchez presented findings of our Blueprint Report to the Women’s Leadership Group at DePuy Synthes and to the employees of Citco. As part of the International Women’s Day programs, employees collected and organized a personal care item drive for CCFWG grantees Community Volunteers in Medicine (CVIM) and Wings for Success.

Op-Ed on COVID-19
Our Executive Director Michelle penned an op-ed on the devastating impacts of COVID-19 on women and girls in our communities. Here’s an excerpt:

“We are only as safe, or empowered, as the most vulnerable among us. As leaders, we must work together to put forth a vision of a more just, equitable and inclusive future for Chester County. It’s our role to shape the narrative.”
Over the past 16 years, more than 170 young women have participated in the Girls Advisory Board (GAB), our nationally recognized girls’ grantmaking program. Through GAB, Chester County high-school girls have the chance to learn about the deep and varied needs in their communities and equip themselves with the skills needed to address them.

Since the start of GAB, these young women were empowered to award over $320,000 to local agencies tackling issues like poverty, domestic violence, homelessness, support for single moms, and mental health. Along the way, GAB members learn about many of the components of being strong leaders today and in their future.

"GAB was very insightful and one of my most meaningful experiences of high school. I have gained so much more knowledge on social issues in our community."

"I'm empowered to stay involved in philanthropy and continue my passion for making the world a better, safer place for women.”
Girls in Action Summit
CCFWG hosted our second annual Girls in Action Summit in a virtual format. The theme was the impact of COVID-19 on local women and their families. The Summit featured star athlete Mo’ne Davis as keynote speaker and brought together high school girls from Chester County for a one-day experience focused on community, philanthropy, and fostering change. Attendees awarded $500 mini-grants to two local non-profits: Domestic Violence Center of Chester County and Chester County Opportunities Industrialization Center.

This past year, in response to a growing interest among girls in our programs in civic engagement, CCFWG partnered with the Women and Girls Foundation in Pittsburgh to start a local Chester County chapter of its GirlGov program.

GirlGov Chester County members worked on advocacy campaigns in three committees focused on racial justice, climate change, and comprehensive sex education in public schools. Participants gained advocacy skills and increased their confidence in using their voice for change: “I’ve become a stronger leader and a better listener through GirlGov, and I’m starting to develop that skill of balancing and representing the opinions of a complex group, which is a fantastic thing to learn.” -GirlGov member

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Girls Giving Back
GAB and GirlGov members stepped up this year during COVID-19 to give back. GirlGov member Becky launched an outreach program at her synagogue; GAB member Monica collected t-shirts from family and friends to be made into masks for frontline healthcare workers at local hospitals.
THE POWER OF PHILANTHROPY

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This is what makes CCFWG’s philanthropy so powerful. We have awarded over **$3.5 million** in grants to **80 non-profits** addressing the needs of women and girls in Chester County. CCFWG is:

- Investing in local, effective **non-profit organizations that are improving the key dimensions of women’s lives** such as economic empowerment, health, education and personal safety.

- Remaining nimble and responsive to the pressings needs in the community. Through our **Impact Grants: Moving Her Forward** this year, we funded timely projects such as census education and outreach efforts to populations that have been historically undercounted including the aging, immigrant and single-parent households. Once the COVID-19 crisis struck our community, we committed **$23,000 toward response efforts focused on the heightened needs of women and girls** such as gender-based violence and economic empowerment.

- Multiplying the effect of philanthropy by using participatory-based grantmaking. Our **Grants Allocation Committee (GAC)** serves as a national model for community-led altruism and leadership development. We facilitate diverse groups of community residents in a holistic process to learn about community needs and grantmaking, visit non-profit organizations, and distribute funds through consensus.

- Fostering **trust with organizations** we fund and supporting them beyond the dollars. This year, our Core Grants program moved to multi-year funding as a proven way to increase the grantees’ effectiveness, impact and growth.

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“It was such a fulfilling and rewarding experience. I knew such hard decisions about funding would be challenging but I am walking away with stronger leadership skills and more confidence. I also feel empowered to remain engaged with philanthropy efforts.” – GAC MEMBER

Through our grantmaking in 2019...

- Over 18,000 in Chester County were touched by CCFWG
- Over 14,500 were women and girls
- 56% were people of color

OUR FUNDING IMPROVES LIVES

THE GARAGE

Jessica says that The Garage has helped her over the past two years to become more confident. Staff and volunteers have listened to her, helped her through difficult times, and assisted with school work. Through working with Jessica, The Garage staff have seen her share her story, find her passion, and reclaim her value and purpose. Jessica worked in The Garage’s Career Compass program for the last two summers at Sweet & Paciorek law firm, and has been inspired to become an immigration lawyer. She works closely with The Garage’s Graduate Coordinator to prepare for college and navigate the complex financial aid process. For now, Jessica is continuing to study and work hard to achieve her dreams. She is always studying and working with volunteers, and helping younger students with their homework. During COVID-19, Jessica utilized The Garage’s Virtual Tutoring to continue her studies. Jessica continues to grow and develop into a confident and determined young woman.

THE CLINIC

A few months ago, The Clinic had a young woman in her early 30’s come in for a routine gynecological exam, which includes a breast exam. She mentioned to Jacki, a nurse practitioner, that she had had a lump in her one breast for some time that she wanted her to assess. After the exam, Jacki knew there were some features of the lump that were concerning and sent her patient for an ultrasound and diagnostic mammogram, which led to a biopsy. When Jacki received the biopsy report, it confirmed her suspected diagnosis of breast cancer. Jacki immediately brought her patient in to let her know and got her set up with treatment. She is currently undergoing treatment at the Cancer Center at Paoli Hospital with support from her family and continued help from the providers at The Clinic. While she is still early in her treatment, her prognosis is good and she’ll have continued care and assistance from The Clinic.
GRANTMAKING

CCFWG keeps our eye on our vision that women and girls will have equality and security, making our communities stronger and more vibrant for everyone. Realizing that dream is not possible without investing in effective non-profit organizations committed to serving Chester County’s women and girls. This year, **29 organizations** were awarded grant funding, totaling **$227,500**.

**Impact Grants: Moving Her Forward**

**Barclay Friends**
$3,000 to support their COVID Emergency Fund for residents of the Senior Living Facility in West Chester.

**Brandywine Museum of Art**
$2,500 to support the Speaker Series and activities surrounding the Centennial anniversary of women’s right to vote.

**Domestic Violence Center of Chester County**
$10,000 to support continued services for domestic violence survivors through challenges of COVID-19.

**Good Samaritan Services**
$10,000 to support single mothers unemployed due to COVID-19.

**La Comunidad Hispana**
$1,500 to support census outreach to patients.

**Maternal and Child Health Consortium**
$1,500 to support printed census materials and offer clients computer access to complete it.

**Volunteer English Program**
$1,500 to support printed materials and online outreach to clients about completing the census.
Core and Girls Advisory Board Grants

**Alianzas de Phoenixville**
$5,000 from GAB for its women’s program for immigrant women and girls in Phoenixville.

**Domestic Violence Center of Chester County**
$10,000 and $5,000 from GAB to provide direct services to help victims become safe and self-reliant. GAB funding supports safe housing and relocation for human trafficking victims.

**Family Promise of Southern Chester County**
$5,000 to assist in serving the core needs of more families and strengthening governance, organizational, and corporate infrastructure capacity.

**Friends Association**
$7,500 for housing programs and services for at-risk families to prevent homelessness. Funding also supports short-term help for single moms.

**The Garage Community and Youth Center**
$5,000 to support the Girls After School and Summer Program that helps girls continue their education and development in the community outside of school hours.

**HIAS PA**
$3,000 from GAB to support legal services for low-income immigrant victims of domestic violence living in Chester County.

**Orion Communities**
$7,500 to support integrated services for individuals and families to help them achieve a sustainable future.

**Valley Youth House**
$7,500 to support operating costs and wellness activities for female-identifying young adults living at the Reservoir Road Supervised Independent Living Site and other site apartments in West Chester.

**Economic Opportunities**
**Chester County Economic Development Foundation**
$7,500 to support the expansion of Career Connections Academy that offers STEM career training with life skills to offer upward mobility and security for young women.

**Legal Aid of Southeastern Pennsylvania**
$7,500 to support the record expungement program that provides legal representation to eligible women seeking to clear records.

**Mighty Writers**
$12,500 (year two of multi-year funding) to support Mighty Writers Kennett Square’s writing workshops specifically for girls, with a goal of serving 150 girls.

**Mom’s House**
$9,000 to help ensure low-income mothers seeking full-time education can continue getting free daycare for their children.
North Star of Chester County
$10,000 to continue providing case management and financial assistance to single-parent families with children to help them avoid homelessness.

Wings for Success
$5,000 to enable them to equip a growing number of Hispanic women and girls in southern Chester County utilizing services.

Young Moms
$7,000 (year two of multi-year funding) to support the Case Management and Advocacy Program that provides support, mentorship, and case management to pregnant and parenting young women.

Health and Wellness
ChesPenn Health Services
$10,000 to provide bilingual family planning, prenatal care and health education to uninsured or underinsured women and girls.

The Clinic
$8,000 (year two of multi-year funding) to support its Women’s Health Program that provides gynecological care to uninsured or underinsured women.

Community Volunteers in Medicine
$10,000 to provide a comprehensive approach and wide variety of healthcare services to low-income women and girls.

Crime Victims’ Center of Chester County
$7,500 and $3,500 from GAB to continue serving its growing number of clients through direct services and county-wide programming.

Gateway Horseworks
$2,500 from GAB to support equine-assisted therapy to women in pre-release from prison.

Health Care Access
$5,000 to cover the cost of vision and dental care for uninsured or under-insured residents of the greater Phoenixville area.

La Comunidad Hispana
$7,500 to support its Women’s Health Services program that includes family planning services and health screenings.

Linda Creed Breast Cancer Foundation
$5,000 to provide yearly mammograms and diagnostic testing to women in the community with no access to healthcare.

Maternal and Child Health Consortium
$7,500 to provide programs and services that meet the needs of women, girls and families.

Parkesburg POINT
$9,000 for its Girls Program: Steps to Success, providing a free and safe environment for girls experiencing homelessness, hunger and academic challenges.

Unite for HER
$7,000 to support transportation and food sustainability for women in its Wellness Program.
Making a Difference Luncheon

In June, over 250 community leaders, sponsors and advocates came together for our virtual annual Making a Difference Luncheon to recognize the power of CCFWG’s impact, honor the work of public health nurse Patricia Yoder and lean into a bold future for women and girls.

The event kicked off with entertainment from Broadway star Mary Kate Morrissey.

Keynote Speaker Dr. Janet Dewart Bell, renowned speaker, civil rights activist, and writer, spoke to the connections among the Civil Rights Movement, Women’s Suffrage Movement, and today.

Kitchen Table Award
CCFWG also presented Pat Yoder, public health nurse and advocate for the underserved in Chester County, with the 2020 Kitchen Table Award, named in celebration of the many conversations among CCFWG founders held around kitchen, board room and coffee tables.

In a touching video tribute to Pat, some of her dearest friends and colleagues spoke to her selfless heart and guiding presence as a leader in Chester County. In her remarks, Pat emphasized the importance of community and how vital it is to the work we all do as partners throughout the county.
This year, CCFWG and our partners celebrated the Centennial anniversary of the passage of the 19th Amendment, which granted many women the right to vote back in 1920. Women of color did not achieve this right until many decades later. Here are some of our partnerships and efforts throughout the year to celebrate the legacy of early suffragists.

**Brandywine River Museum Speaker Series**
We partnered with the Brandywine River Museum of Art on their Speaker Series that brought to life many elements of their ‘Votes for Women’ exhibit on the visual history of women’s suffrage.

**Online Programming and Engagement**
We developed a social media campaign and special Centennial logo designed by a GAB alumna to highlight various suffrage and female empowerment themes throughout 2020. Our female elected officials also weighed in about the importance of civic engagement and voting through a video tribute to the Centennial.

In partnership with the West Chester Public Arts Commission and a local artist, CCFWG has commissioned a women’s suffrage mural that will be unveiled in the West Chester Borough in fall 2020. We are proud to permanently commemorate this momentous year. Look up and left for a sneak peek at the design!
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION

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Expenses

- Education and Grants: $93,849
- Development: $260,624
- Management and General: $91,465
- Total: $492,991

Revenue and Support

- Contributions: $22,277
- Investment Income: $392,596
- Other: $93,849
- Total: $439,689
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For more information on ways to give, reach out to Dana Wiley, Development Director, at dwiley@ccfwg.org or 484-356-0940.
In a period of history where the needs of women and girls are more important than ever, we enter 2021 inspired and motivated to push onward toward a more just and equitable world. A few upcoming highlights in 2021 include:

- **Celebrate a milestone 25 years of igniting change in Chester County.** We’ll recognize our 25th anniversary in a variety of ways throughout 2021, including the launch of our new, strengthened brand and logo.

- **Work with West Chester University to launch the next Blueprint Report** to educate the community on the needs of women and girls, particularly in the wake of the COVID-19 health and economic crises. We’ll utilize the Report as a centerpiece to create space for non-profits, elected officials, and the community to learn, build coalitions, develop solutions and promote women’s equality and inclusion.

- **Complete our fundraising strategy project with Compass**, a pro-bono consulting firm, so that we can continue to operate in perpetuity as a permanent resource for women, especially for those in life’s transitions from young to senior.
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Women and girls will have equality and security, making our communities stronger and more vibrant for everyone. CCFWG will be seen as a vital partner and leader, known for our boldness, connectivity and creativity as we bring together and support individuals and organizations around a shared commitment to the well-being and self-determination of women and girls.