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Health Care					
Basin Medical Clinic	Naturita CO	Transition to a Stand-Alone Clinic and Strengthening the Electronic Health Record Infrastructure	\$173,622.00	3/1/2014 2/28/2015	Assist Basin Medical Clinic with its transition to an independent rural health clinic and ensure access to primary care services for frontier communities in Montrose and San Miguel Counties.
Boomers Leading Change in Health	Denver CO	Boomer Community Outreach, Education, and Engagement Project	\$200,000.00	2/1/2014 1/31/2016	Enable Boomers Leading Change in Health to enhance its community outreach, education, and engagement activities in order to recruit, train, and deploy more volunteers, help more host sites increase their capacity to meet community needs, and help more medically-underserved individuals and families gain access to vital healthcare resources, including adequate health coverage, integrated care, and chronic disease self-management programs.
City of Longmont	Longmont CO	Longmont Community Health Network Mobile Integrated Healthcare Program	\$496,950.00	2/15/2014 2/14/2016	Increase access to health care services and improve patient outcomes by using community paramedics as extensions of primary care.



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Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment	Denver CO	Colorado Health Service Corps	\$3,393,673.00	3/15/2014 3/14/2016	Improve the health status of medically vulnerable populations by providing incentives to primary care, oral health and mental health clinicians to practice in Health Professional Shortage Areas. Providers receive educational loan debt assistance in exchange for a minimum of three years of full time practice caring for uninsured, publicly insured and geographically isolated Coloradans.
Delta County School District 50(J)	Delta CO	Planning for a School Based Health Center for the Delta County School District(50)J	\$16,000.00	1/1/2014 6/30/2014	Complete the planning needs of the proposed school-based health clinic to be located on the Garnet Mesa Elementary School Campus in Delta County School District 50J.
Dental Aid	Louisville CO	General Operating Support	\$250,000.00	2/15/2014 2/14/2016	Provide affordable, high-quality oral health care and education.
Dr Mary Medical Foundation	Pagosa Springs CO	Rural Health Clinic Information Technology Enhancement	\$224,830.00	2/15/2014 2/14/2016	Promote patient engagement and coordinated, patient-centered care through improved health information technology strategies and patient navigation assistance.
The Early Childhood Council of the San Luis Valley	Alamosa CO	Social-Emotional Skill Building (SESB) Initiative	\$585,676.00	3/1/2014 2/28/2017	Promote positive social-emotional development for children ages zero to five by providing training and coaching in the Pyramid Model to early child care and education professionals in the San Luis Valley.
Florence Crittenton Services of Colorado	Denver CO	Florence Crittenton High School-Based Health Center	\$389,944.00	3/1/2014 7/31/2019	Establish a new school-based health center at Florence Crittenton High School.



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Metropolitan State University of Denver Foundation, Inc.	Denver CO	MSU Denver Department of Nursing Dual Enrollment Pathway Program	\$171,910.00	2/1/2014 1/31/2016	Implement a Dual Enrollment Pathway Program in the Nursing Department. The RN-BSN dual enrollment pathway allows students to complete some BSN credits at MSU Denver while completing their nursing coursework at their community college, and receive a BSN degree in four years.
Mount Carmel Health Wellness And Community Center	Trinidad CO	Integrated Care and Wellness Education in Southern Colorado	\$206,995.00	2/15/2014 2/14/2015	Improve health outcomes in southern Colorado through integrated care and the expansion of wellness programs.
Northwest Colorado Visiting Nurse Association	Steamboat Springs CO	General Operating Support	\$479,190.00	3/1/2014 8/31/2015	Build financial sustainability through improved billing systems and continue integrated behavioral health services.
Olathe Community Clinic	Olathe CO	Continuing Integrated Care at the Olathe Community Clinic	\$173,452.00	3/1/2014 2/28/2015	Retain the current behavioral health therapists and expand the ability to serve additional patients by adding a receptionist position.
Olathe Community Clinic	Olathe CO	Olathe Community Clinic Capital Project	\$350,000.00	3/15/2014 9/14/2015	Renovate a new clinic space and community center for integrated care delivery.
Peak Vista Community Health Centers Foundation	Colorado Springs CO	Stratton Meadows Elementary School Health Center Planning Grant	\$20,000.00	1/1/2014 8/31/2014	Plan a new school-based health center (SBHC) located at Stratton Meadows Elementary School. The Stratton Meadows Elementary School Health Center (SMESHHC) will provide primary care services relating to acute, preventive and some chronic health care needs of children, adolescents, and some infants.



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Poudre Valley Health System Foundation	Fort Collins CO	Healthy Harbors	\$37,760.00	3/15/2014 3/14/2015	Provide a medical home to three underserved groups in Larimer County, Colorado through patient navigation. The target populations are: infants referred to the Department of Human Services because of parental substance abuse or family risk factors; foster/kinship care; emancipated teens or teens who are aging out of foster care.
Pueblo Community Health Center Inc.	Pueblo CO	Colorado Avenue Capital Expansion	\$1,000,000.00	3/1/2014 2/28/2017	Expand clinical space at Colorado Avenue clinic to increase number of patients served and provide more integrated care.
Rocky Mountain Rural Health	Fairplay CO	Building a Community Network to Improve Access to Health Care in Park County	\$60,369.00	1/1/2014 12/31/2014	Establish Rocky Mountain Rural Health as a central hub for information and coordination of health care services in Park County.
Southwestern Colorado Area Health Education Center	Durango CO	Development of a Regional Center of Excellence in Care Coordination for the Eight Counties in Southwest Colorado	\$155,335.00	2/15/2014 8/14/2015	Plan and develop a regional Center of Excellence for Care Coordination, as a way to bring multiple care coordination initiatives being implemented in San Miguel, Ouray, Montezuma, Dolores, Archuleta, and La Plata Counties together for: support and resources; program and outcomes evaluation for individual care coordinators, practices, and communities; defining care coordination models; improving consistency in training and scope of work; and improving and increasing the use of evidence-based practices.



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University of Colorado Foundation	Denver CO	Developing an Infrastructure to Enhance the Collective Impact of the Anschutz Medical Campus on the Health of Colorado (ECHO Colorado)	\$204,312.00	2/15/2014 12/14/2014	Support for a 10-month planning process to design a system to enable the Anschutz Medical Campus (AMC) to improve its collective impact on the health of Colorado. Building on the successful ECHO model in New Mexico, the AMC team will assess current efforts, community needs, and ideas of faculty, then design a framework that can effectively link the resources of the AMC to Colorado organizations and individuals to improve their capacities to improve population health.
Health Coverage					
Catholic Charities of Denver	Denver CO	Older Adult Services	\$135,000.00	1/1/2014 12/31/2014	Deliver supportive and case management services for low-income seniors so they may remain independent and in their own homes as long as it is safely possible.
Colorado Business Group on Health	Lakewood CO	Healthcare Incentives Payment Pilot	\$482,000.00	3/1/2014 12/31/2014	This project will continue to pilot the Prometheus payment model in two Colorado communities using a unique evidence-informed case rate to create incentives for coordinated, high-quality care while at the same time reducing potentially avoidable complications which account for a significant portion of the total cost of health care for chronic diseases.
Colorado Consumer Health Initiative	Denver CO	General Operating Support	\$285,000.00	10/1/2014 4/30/2015	Bring a united consumer voice to and build support for changes in the health system that expand coverage, reduce barriers, ensure quality, and increase affordability, with a focus on the private insurance marketplace.



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Colorado Department of Health Care Policy and Financing	Denver CO	Statewide LTSS Assessment Tool Development and Pilot	\$768,002.00	11/1/2013 10/31/2016	Select and pilot a new uniform assessment tool (UAT) for Long-Term Services and Supports.
Colorado Latino Leadership And Research Organization Inc	Denver CO	Immigrant Families and the Affordable Care Act: Outreach, Education and Advocacy	\$69,600.00	1/1/2014 12/31/2014	Conduct education and health literacy outreach and training to inform immigrants, mixed-immigration status families and health care providers of ACA benefits and eligibility.
Colorado Legal Services	Denver CO	Document Procurement Initiative	\$230,000.00	1/15/2014 1/14/2015	Build upon the expertise, efficiencies and contacts developed during the past six years, and use technology to dramatically enhance staff's ability to address health coverage barriers due to lack of documentation.
Denver Indian Health and Family Services Inc.	Denver CO	Bridging the Gap	\$102,540.00	2/15/2014 2/14/2015	Increase the number of individuals who have access to adequate health coverage by targeting American Indian/Alaska Native populations with culturally appropriate outreach strategies and enrollment services.
Family Voices Colorado	Centennial CO	Health Navigation Project Support	\$276,702.00	2/1/2014 1/31/2015	Project support to improve access to and quality of health care for children and youth with special health care needs.



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The Independence Center	Colorado Springs CO	Development of Model for Coordinated In-Home Medical-LTSS Services for People with Disabilities in Central Colorado	\$48,000.00	1/15/2014 10/14/2014	Engage in a six-month planning process to design a coordinated in-home medical Long-Term Services and Supports (wrap around) model of care for people with disabilities.
One Colorado Education Fund	Denver CO	LGBT Health Project	\$75,000.00	1/1/2014 12/31/2014	Expand health care access and improve services and experiences for LGBT Coloradans in Colorado's health care systems.
Healthy Living					
Adams County School District 50	Westminster CO	School District 50 Learning Landscapes Elementary School Improvements	\$230,000.00	3/1/2014 2/28/2015	Create and develop a new playground environment that is conducive to increased physical activity at Metz Elementary school that also will be used heavily by the surrounding community.
Ascension Preschool and Kindergarten	Pueblo CO	Playground Safety Renovation	\$19,855.15	3/1/2014 8/31/2014	Replace the pea gravel in community playground with a poured-in-place rubberized surface. The purpose of this project is to improve the safety of the preschool children who play on the play structure as well as community members who also use the playground.



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Center Consolidated School District 26jt	Center CO	Center Health and Wellness Programs	\$151,460.98	3/1/2014 2/28/2017	Implement various health focused programs in an effort to increase fruits and vegetable consumption and physical activity. Proposed programs include providing fruits and vegetable snacks, after-school physical activity programming, summer recreation programming, healthy vending options, and updating current equipment and supplies to meet demand.
Children's Hospital Colorado Foundation	Aurora CO	5th Gear Kids: A Multi-Level Health and Wellness Program for Children	\$602,000.00	11/1/2013 10/31/2014	Continue delivering the 5th Gear Kids Program, a multi-level health and wellness program that provides fifth grade students with the knowledge and skills needed to achieve and maintain a healthy lifestyle and become agents of change for healthy living with family and peers.
Crowley County School District RE-1-J	Ordway CO	Crowley County School District Playground Renovation & Park Upgrade Project	\$150,000.00	2/1/2014 1/31/2016	Address the lack of safe, compliant and ADA accessible recreational amenities at this consolidated school district; which serves as one unified school district for the surrounding communities. The upgrades will be available to the entire multi-generational population.
Earth Force	Denver CO	Engaging Youth in Healthy Eating and Active Living	\$300,000.00	3/1/2014 2/28/2017	Use a Collective Impact approach to enable three communities throughout Colorado to design and implement effective strategies that involve youth in school and out of school in developing solutions to healthy eating and active living (HEAL) challenges.



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Excelsior Youth Center	Aurora CO	Girls Get Fit	\$66,300.00	3/1/2014 6/30/2015	Implement Girls Get Fit - a comprehensive health and wellness program for the 400 adolescent girls per year who come to Excelsior Youth Center for residential treatment. Girls Get Fit will work in concert with the girls' clinical treatment to accelerate their recovery.
Family Resource Centers	Denver CO	Supporting Healthy Living and Health Care Access	\$6,527,475.00	3/15/2014 3/14/2016	Continue and expand activities of 22 Family Resource Centers to increase healthy living and health coverage activities for thousands of vulnerable Coloradans annually.
Lake George Charter School	Lake George CO	Community Fitness Trail and Playground Renovation Project	\$150,000.00	2/15/2014 2/14/2016	Build a comprehensive fitness trail and community park, which will be available to the surrounding underserved communities seven days a week, to address the lack of recreational amenities and opportunities in Teller County. The project will provide multi-generational access to recreation and fitness, serving all ages and abilities.
Mancos Conservation District	Mancos CO	Montezuma School to Farm Project	\$52,965.00	3/1/2014 2/28/2015	Reduce childhood obesity by improving student's knowledge of nutrition, willingness to try healthy fruits and vegetables, and increase the amount of fresh fruits and vegetables students consume. This will be accomplished by deepening and sustaining existing activities and through a strategic expansion of efforts to increase the amount of local foods made available in Montezuma County.



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Mile High Connects	Denver CO	Mile High Connects - Implementation Support	\$150,000.00	3/1/2014 2/29/2016	Support for Mile High Connects, a collaborative of 19 local and national nonprofits, foundations, and community lenders working to ensure the creation of FasTracks and preservation of Metro Denver's existing transit system improves accessibility to affordable housing, good-paying jobs, essential services, educational opportunities, improved health, and other elements of a high quality of life for all of Metro Denver's residents, especially those with lower incomes.
Park County School District RE-2	Fairplay CO	Building Healthier Futures for South Park Children & Families	\$105,035.00	3/1/2014 2/28/2017	Continue efforts to expand the South Park Health Initiative in the Edith Teter Early Learning Center.
Park Hill Bike Depot	Denver CO	Bicycle Access, Maintenance and Healthy Living (2013)	\$35,000.00	2/15/2014 2/14/2015	General operating support to expand services and capacity for strategic planning. Increase program management capabilities to better respond to requests for services.
Sisters of Color United for Education	Denver CO	La Vida Balanceada	\$102,208.00	3/1/2014 2/28/2015	Educate families on specific behavior changes that contribute to a healthy life and reduce prevalent health issues, including obesity and diabetes. By engaging families in self-efficacy exercises it prepares them for everyday lifestyle changes and monitors their progress in an encouraging, culturally representative environment.



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Sprout City Farms	Denver CO	Community Farms: Increasing Healthy Food Access in the City	\$23,000.00	3/1/2014 2/28/2015	Expand urban community farming programs to increase access to, and consumption of, healthy food in the Denver metro area. Sprout City Farms currently feeds 1,500 people with produce grown on a one-acre community farm at the Denver Green School, and have plans underway to significantly increase impact by breaking ground on a second farm in spring of 2014.
St. Vrain Valley School District	Longmont CO	Physical Activity Grant	\$1,405,671.00	3/1/2014 5/31/2017	Increase the amount of daily moderate to vigorous physical activity of over 16,000 elementary and K-8 students throughout the school day.
Westwood Healthy Places Project	Denver CO	Westwood Healthy Places Initiative	\$1,000,000.00	3/1/2014 2/28/2017	Create a built environment that encourages walking, biking, playing, and engaging in daily activities that encourage movement and connection. Improvements to the built environment will assist in improving the health of Westwood residents and the community's economic vitality.
Wiley School District	Wiley CO	Wiley School District Active Schoolyard	\$250,000.00	2/15/2014 2/14/2015	Implement a community active play area located at the K-12 school based on the Wiley School District and Colorado Center for Community Development Learning Landscapes plan.