

Giving Catalog

A curated list of funding opportunities that align with the Women's Fund mission.

Your contribution—no matter the amount—plays a vital role in the success of these programs. While the total cost may be more than one person can give, the collective support from generous donors like you makes it possible. Every dollar brings us one step closer to empowering more women and girls in the Fox Valley region.



Mental & Emotional Wellness

BEAMING - Trauma-informed Equine-assisted Mental Wellness Mentoring Program

BEAMING will deliver trauma-informed equine-assisted learning at BEAMING Ranch using the Pegasus Approach™. The project provides immediate emotional stabilization during periods of stress or crisis and ongoing skill-building that strengthens resilience and reduces reliance on emergency systems. Clients will participate in structured cohort sessions focused on emotional regulation, coping skills, confidence, healthy relationships, boundary-setting, and leadership identity.

BOOM Arts - Sages Story Circle

Sages Story Circles are community spaces designed to connect, affirm and empower women 60+. These circles were created to bring women together for the purpose of providing a safe space for women to be seen and heard, to share the stories of their lives, offering a creative outlet for those who desire one, and fostering a deep sense of community.

Community Clothes Closet - BRA-vo!

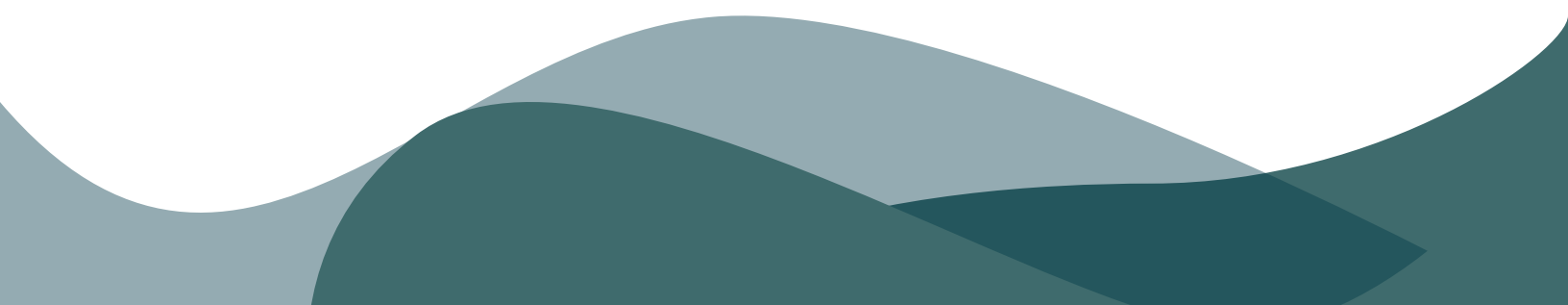
BRA-VO! distributes new bras with dignity through the Shopping Floor and Traveling Closet events, eliminating reliance on scarce gently used donations.

Peaceful Purpose - Client Care

The mission of Peaceful Purpose is to help restore confidence through compassion and care to those experiencing medical hair loss. Our vision is that no one navigates their medical hair loss journey alone. Our services help with all the challenges women face in their hair loss journey. Our personalized approach of meeting clients at a salon instead of a hospital sets the stage for a more normal and personal client-centered experience.

Hair loss due to medical treatments or conditions can feel overwhelming, no one should have to face that alone. Our mission is to help women feel comfortable, confident, and cared for every step of the way.

We offer personalized consultation, listening and guiding women towards options that fit their lifestyle and personality. The quality wigs and headwear we provide are stylish, natural looking, and designed for comfort. And it's not just about the hair, so we offer our clients ongoing support as they navigate their journey. All of this is offered at no charge thanks to the support of generous donors.



Life Skills, Mentoring, and Supports

Big Brothers Big Sisters -Empowering Young Females & Creating Positive Change Through One-to-One Mentoring

BBBSNEW empower girls through mentoring relationships to provide a safe and supportive adult in their lives to authentically listen to their thoughts, feelings, and concerns, letting them know their mental health and wellbeing are a priority.

Bridge the Gap Autism - HerSpace

HerSpace is a self-care, mentoring, and empowerment program designed specifically for women and girls with disabilities. This will address the lack of inclusive, gender-specific mental wellness and skill-building opportunities by creating a safe, supportive space for age-appropriate group discussions, journaling, peer connection, and guided activities focused on self-care, confidence, and self-advocacy. HerSpace at BTG responds to systemic barriers that often exclude women and girls with disabilities from traditional empowerment spaces.

Girls on the Run - Program Accessibility

Girls on the Run is a youth development program that combines social/emotional learning with physical activity for 3rd-8th graders. Lessons focus on increasing confidence, conflict resolution, developing positive relationships, positive self-talk, identifying/expressing/managing emotions, and several more. Programming focuses on individual goal setting. Participants set a daily "lap" goal to determine the number of laps they aim to complete in their designated practice space and time. Afterwards, they reflect on whether they made the goal, how they feel, and how to improve the next time. This leads to the season's culminating event, a Celebratory 5k. The goal is to finish at their own pace, which gives them a tangible sense of accomplishment to hopefully help navigate future challenges. We aim to give all youth participants and volunteer coaches access to Girls on the Run programs to experience the benefits and realize their limitless potential.

Life Skills, Mentoring, and Supports cont.

Harbor House - Crisis Shelter, Advocacy, and Victim Safety Support Programming

Harbor House's Crisis Shelter, Advocacy, and Victim Safety Support Programming provides 24/7 emergency shelter, advocacy, and case management, with a focus on empowering women and girls to regain safety, confidence, and financial stability. Through trauma-informed mentoring, life-skills education, and individualized support plans, survivors rebuild their lives and achieve independence.

Outagamie County - Her Path Forward: Women's Treatment Court Case Management Initiative

Her Path Forward is an initiative by Outagamie County Criminal Justice Treatment Services to provide enhanced, gender-responsive services for female participants. The proposed project will expand gender-responsive case management for women in DATC and MHC, including the new DATC women's track launched in February 2025. Funding will support additional hours for a dedicated Case Manager to provide individualized support, mentoring, and service coordination tailored to women's needs.

Reach Counseling - Mujeres Adelante: Culturally Responsive Advocacy for Latina Survivors

This project will strengthen advocacy services for Latina survivors by offering bilingual support, culturally specific Latina support groups, and peer connection. Advocacy includes emotional support, safety planning, systems navigation, resume and interview preparation, and connections to employment and education resources. Transportation vouchers and cell phones help survivors keep jobs, attend interviews, and stay connected to employers and supports.



Continuing Education

Boys and Girls Club - Historically Black colleges and universities (HBCUs) Tours

The Lovin' The Skin I'm In (LTSII) and Scholars on Target to Achieve Results (STAR) HBCU College Tour is an educational experience designed to expose high school students to Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCU) while supporting college readiness, cultural identity, leadership development, and confidence. Students will travel together under adult supervision and participate in structured campus visits, workshops, and group activities.

Goodwill Industries - Career Pathways for Women

Career Pathways for Women is a career-training program that meets the employment needs of individuals and companies in our community by eliminating barriers for the individual through comprehensive case management, a detailed assessment, educational opportunities/skill building, and employment wrap around support. Partnering with community transitional housing and support agencies, such as Christine Ann Center, Harbor House, and REACH they will specifically target women in need of sustained employment and financial stability. On average, participants completing the program have experienced an average per hour wage increase of \$11.36.

The Einstein Project - Girls in STEM

Einstein Project plans to collaborate with community non-profits to provide free STEM workshops for young females on and off campus using our makerspaces on campus and mobile makerspaces throughout the Fox Valley area. The Einstein Project currently partner with organizations to provide various female-focused programming. They aim to expand our programming to current partners and additional non-profits to offer more free opportunities to young girls in NE Wisconsin.

For additional opportunities or more information about supporting these organizations and programs, contact Julie at jkeller@womensfundfvr.org.