## ANNUAL REPORT

Dear FIGS Supporters,

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Initially founded as an outreach program to the Department of Social Services by the Episcopal diocese, FIGS has grown steadily over the years to benefit increasing numbers of our neighbors in need of assistance. We are pleased to partner with a large number of healthcare agencies and pharmacies who serve a broad group of Wake County residents. We are also appreciative of the many persons, church groups, and grants from a variety of sources which have supported our mission to help Wake County residents live healthier lives.

While funding prescription drugs and medical supplies has, and will remain, a primary core of our mission, we have begun to explore ways in which we can fill in other gaps in our healthcare system.

One of the gaps identified is in the area of preventive care. Persons with limited financial means are known to skip over preventive measures. In 2022, we purchased supplies to build 1200 portable medicine cabinet kits to be used by families transitioning to stable housing. These kits contained useful items such as thermometers, first aid supplies and various OTC medications. We also purchased the contents for skin cancer prevention kits which were distributed by our partners to persons who are unsheltered. These kits included products such as sun screen, SPF-rated sunglasses, lip balm, and personal care supplies.

In total, we helped 4,187 people with financial support for prescription assistance and medical supplies. The number of lives affected should increase substantially in 2023 as we offer new financial support to patients visiting the Urgent Care clinic just opened by Urban Ministries. We will also be co-sponsoring an Over-the-Counter Giveaway Event with MedAssist in the spring of 2023.

Close to our hearts, FIGS will be starting up a new program in 2023 using funds that were donated in memory of our dear former president Bob Usry. The gap at FIGS created by Bob's unexpected death is huge. We will honor the memory of Bob's kind and loving heart through a new program which we hope will develop strong roots to fill in a gap which we see in routine preventative health care screening among lower-income people.

We extend a heartfelt thank you to all of you who care about FIGS and its mission to make the world a better place through helping Wake County residents live healthier lives. Work-

ing together, we can make a huge and positive difference for many people.



Best wishes,

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## VISION

All Wake County residents will have access to affordable healthcare.

### MISSION

Fill in gaps for Wake County residents who need help purchasing their medications and medical supplies.





220 IMMUNIZATIONS FOR INFLUENZA OR PNEUMONIA

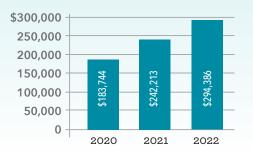


## **FINANCIALS**

**2020-22 REVENUE** 

\$300,000 250,000 150,000 100,000 0 2020 2020 2020 2021 2022 2021 2022

### **2020-22 EXPENSES**



# **OUR PARTNERS**

Alliance Medical Ministry

**Dorcas Ministries** 

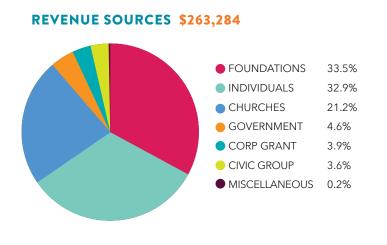
NeighborHealth Center of Raleigh

**Oak City Cares** 

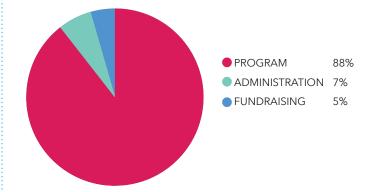
**UNC Mobile Health Clinic** 

Urban Ministries of Wake County Crisis Center

Urban Ministries Helen Wright Center



#### USE OF DONATED FUNDS \$294,386



"Without FIGS support, we could not provide the comprehensive care for the uninsured that we do."



PETE TANNENBAUM, ALLIANCE MEDICAL MINISTRY





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