

# JEWISH WOMEN'S GIVING FOUNDATION OF BALTIMORE

## 2024 GRANTS AWARDED

### LOCAL GRANTS:

#### **¡Adelante Latina!** **\$6,100**

¡Adelante Latina! strives to prepare high-achieving 10th-12th grade Baltimore City Latina girls for college and careers. Their free-of-charge, afterschool program is tailored to the cultural and academic needs of their students by providing highly personalized guidance and instruction. Our funds will provide general operating support.

#### **Black Women Build Baltimore** **\$20,000**

Black Women Build-Baltimore (BWBB) is a homeownership and wealth building initiative that trains Black women in trades-related skills by restoring vacant and deteriorated houses in West Baltimore as they work toward whole block outcomes. We are providing a general operating grant. BWBB's greatest need right now is someone to do outreach and organizing.

#### **CHANA** **\$12,000**

CHANA's grant will provide funding for trauma support groups for clients, staff and community therapists in response to the collective impact of abuse, COVID-19 and the war in Israel, as well as to train a new cadre of therapists to lead these added groups.

### ISRAEL GRANTS:

#### **The Association of Rape Crisis Centers in Israel (ARCCI)** **\$15,250.50**

The Association of Rape Crisis Centers in Israel (ARCCI) was founded in 1990 as an umbrella organization for the nine regional Rape Crisis Centers (RCCs). It is the only organization in Israel whose main aim is to combat sexual violence. The RCCs work at the individual and regional levels providing services and support for individual victims of sexual violence and working to raise awareness in their local communities.

#### **Israel Women's Network** **\$15,250.50**

The Israel Women's Network (IWN) promotes a better society in Israel by focusing on women's equality and creating the social, physical, economic, and judicial conditions for their prosperity. During the past three decades, IWN has acted to promote equality in different fields and has made landmark achievements in promoting female representation on the Board of Directors of public companies, opening new positions for women in the IDF, promoting anti sexual-harassment legislation, furthering the legal acceptance of a broader and more effective interpretation of the equal pay law, and advancing protective labor legislation.

#### **Magen David Adom, Breast Milk Bank** **\$15,250.50**

Magen David Adom is an emergency response organization. Their National Human Milk Bank provides mothers' milk to premature babies and to babies who were orphaned, whose mothers were abducted or injured, and to babies of mothers who were recruited to the IDF.

#### **PIVOT** **\$20,000**

PIVOT is a reentry and workforce development program that connects women impacted by the criminal justice system with the comprehensive services needed to reclaim their lives, rejoin their families and reinvigorate their communities. PIVOT's nine-week reentry and workforce development program is the only program of its kind in Maryland, focusing specifically on the needs of justice-involved women.

### LOCAL MULTI-YEAR GRANT:

#### **Building Our Nation's Daughters (BOND)** **\$20,000 MYG3**

BOND's mission is to engage, mentor and develop Black single mothers to cultivate positive mother-daughter relationships, strengthen Black single mother families, and increase their economic mobility two generations at a time. Our multi-year grant will support BOND's signature program, the BOND Circle, at three schools and two housing sites. This is the third year of a three-year grant.

#### **NATAL** **\$15,250.50**

NATAL is an apolitical organization that acts as a unique multidisciplinary trauma center aiming to treat those directly and indirectly affected by war and terror-related trauma in Israel. Their mission is to lead the way in the field of trauma and to advance the resiliency of Israeli society through treatment, prevention, public awareness and research. Our funds will support the work they do to treat female victims of trauma.

#### **Project Keshet** **\$15,250.50**

Project Keshet's (PK) mission is to build Jewish community and advance civil society by developing women leaders. With more than 30 years of experience operating in Ukraine and 15 years working with Ukrainian and Russian-speaking immigrants in Israel, PK utilizes a carefully cultivated network of trained leaders, trusted partners, and effective strategies to meet the needs of women and girls. In response to the recent attack on Israel, Project Keshet Israel has several humanitarian initiatives underway which will support Ukrainian and Russian women immigrants and refugees in Israel.

#### **The Rackman Center** **\$15,250.50**

The Rackman Center promotes the status of women in matters of family law and seeks to end gender discrimination and inequality in Israel. The center translates academic knowledge and research into practical activities. It runs a legal aid program for women in family law and engages in promoting legal and social change for women and women's empowerment.

2024 grant total: **\$169,603**