

Choose When 2024 Funding Awards

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Boulder Valley Health Center

Boulder Valley Health Center (BVHC) is a safety net healthcare provider in the Boulder area, providing comprehensive reproductive and sexual health services. BVHC participates in Title X, the federal/state family planning program that provides funding for reproductive health services for low-income individuals and adolescents. Facing increased demand and financial challenges due to inflation and national legislative changes, BVHC will meet the contraceptive care needs of its patients through Medicaid, sliding scale fees, and Choose When ensuring no patient is turned away.

Statewide

\$25,000

Delta County Health Department

The Delta County Health Department is a local public health agency and Title X provider serving a primarily low-income and rural population on the Western Slope. Funding will support expanded contraceptive options in a region of the state with limited access to confidential services.

Delta, Montrose

\$25,000

Denver Health and Hospital Authority

Denver Health Pediatrics operates 19 School-Based Health Centers (SBHCs) with Denver Public Schools, providing comprehensive care, health education, and insurance assistance to over 15,000 students annually. Funding will support eliminating financial barriers to care so the SBHCs can continue to offer contraceptive care and counseling. *Denver*

\$25,000

Department of Health and Human Services, Gunnison

The Gunnison Health and Human Services Family Planning Clinic, a Title X clinic, provides contraceptive services to a primarily low-income, rural, and Spanish-speaking population, including a Mexican-Indigenous community (Cora). Facing budget constraints for expensive long-active contraceptives, funding will support the clinic's continued assurance of confidential care regardless of a person's ability to pay.

Gunnison, Hinsdale

\$10,000

Dream Centers

Dream Centers, an independent safety net provider in Colorado Springs, addresses gaps in healthcare by offering free and specialized care to those lacking health insurance. Dream Centers' Women's Clinic offers comprehensive, confidential healthcare focusing on reproductive health and contraceptive services. Funding will alleviate financial challenges due to the increasingly high cost of contraception and support a broader range of contraceptive methods.

El Paso

\$25,000

Every Child Pediatrics

Every Child Pediatrics' school-based health center (SBHC) programs in Aurora, Cortez, Dolores, and Ft. Collins offer affordable healthcare services to 3,600 patients annually across eight sites. These SBHCs are located on school grounds and serve low-income, uninsured, and underinsured youth. Choose When funding will address financial barriers ensuring students receive contraceptive care without the burden of cost.

Adams, Arapahoe, Denver, Larimer, Montezuma

\$25,000



Jefferson County Public Health

The Jefferson County Public Health (JCPH) Sexual Health Clinic provides Title X contraceptive care and other reproductive health services. Funding will allow JCPH to offer free LARC devices to patients in the Jefferson County Jail, as well as to youth under age 19 and patients experiencing homelessness – populations usually faced with limited options for contraceptive care.

Arapahoe, Denver, Douglas, El Paso, Gilpin, Jefferson, Park, Pueblo, Summit

\$25,000

La Clinica del Pueblo/ The People's Clinic

La Clinica del Pueblo/The People's Clinic provides bilingual, high-quality medical care and preventive health education to Latino immigrants living with low incomes and lacking health insurance. The clinic operates in Carbondale, addressing significant barriers to healthcare, particularly in women's health, through free or donation-based services. Funding will support expanding contraceptive care to a historically underserved community.

Eagle, Garfield, Pitkin

\$25,000

Larimer County Department of Health and Environment

Larimer County Department of Health & Environment (LCDHE) provides health services to its diverse community by reducing barriers related to culture, language, cost, and geography at clinics in Fort Collins, Loveland, and Estes Park. With Choose When funding, LCDHE will continue offering affordable LARC methods to uninsured or underinsured patients, particularly adolescents. *Larimer*

\$25,000

MarillacHealth

MarillacHealth, a community health center in Grand Junction, merged with PIC Place in early 2024 to increase healthcare access in Montrose and the surrounding counties. PIC Place serves a diverse population with significant geographical and financial barriers to healthcare, including a large immigrant community. Funding will address unaffordable out-of-pocket costs for contraceptive care among PIC Place's patients.

Delta, Gunnison, Montrose, Ouray, San Miguel

\$25,000

Mountain Family Health Centers

Mountain Family Health Centers (MFHC), a Title X family planning site and community health center, is headquartered in Glenwood Springs and provides affordable medical, behavioral, and dental care to a diverse and primarily low-income population across Garfield, Eagle, and Pitkin Counties. Funding will support MFHC's ten sites in providing comprehensive reproductive and contraceptive services with bilingual and bicultural staff to address unique regional healthcare challenges. *Eagle, Garfield, Pitkin*

\$25,000

Mt. San Rafael Hospital

Mt. San Rafael Hospital, located in Trinidad, addresses the healthcare needs of the region's residents, 18% of whom live below the poverty level. Funding will support free-of-cost LARCs to patients who lack health insurance, aiming to address high rates of unintended pregnancy among youth.

Las Animas

\$25,000

Northeast Colorado Health Department

Northeast Colorado Health Department (NCHD) is a local public agency serving six rural counties and providing contraceptive services in its six offices in Akron, Fort Morgan, Holyoke, Julesburg, Sterling, and Yuma. NCHD is a Title X facility and is the only place in its service area where people can receive contraception regardless of the ability to pay. Funding will support providing LARCs and supplies for insertion procedures.

Logan, Morgan, Phillips, Sedgwick, Washington, Yuma

\$25,000



Northwest Colorado Health

Northwest Colorado Health is a community health center serving patients from across the five-county northwest corner of the state. Its integrated primary care clinics are located in Craig and Steamboat Springs. After the sudden closing of the Steamboat Springs Planned Parenthood facility in 2022, Northwest Colorado Health remains one of the only options for patients regardless of their ability to pay. Choose When funding will support offering long-active contraceptive methods to people lacking financial means.

Grand, Jackson, Moffat, Rio Blanco, Routt

\$52,000*

*Amount exceeds maximum due to Choose When funding dedicated for Northwest Colorado.

Pueblo Community Health Center

The majority of the population that Pueblo Community Health Center (PCHC) serves lives below 200% of the federal poverty level. PCHC offers confidential contraceptive care and easy access at its walk-in clinic, homeless clinic, rural eastern Pueblo County clinic, community college clinic, and three school-based health centers. Choose When funding will support the cost of LARC devices, which PCHC cites as the most expensive component of a LARC contraceptive visit. *Huerfano, Pueblo*

\$25,000

Pueblo Department of Public Health and Environment

The Pueblo Department of Public Health and Environment's (PDPHE's) Title X Family Planning Clinic offers same-day contraceptive care services regardless of a patient's ability to pay. In 2023, the clinic provided 729 birth control visits. Choose When funding will help PDPHE cover the cost of contraceptive methods requested by people without the means to pay for them

Pueblo

\$25,000

River Valley Family Health Centers

River Valley Family Health Centers (RVFHC) is a community health center providing confidential contraception education and non-directive counseling on all methods, affordable birth control, and other family planning services. RVFHC operates clinics in Delta, Montrose, and Olathe. One of its three clinics offers Title X family planning services. Choose When funding will allow RVFHC to offer free LARCs to patients lacking coverage.

Delta, Montrose

\$25,000

Salud Family Health

Salud Family Health (Salud) is a community health center serving populations in northern Colorado with low incomes, migrants, and seasonal farm workers. Salud operates 12 clinic locations, ten school sites, and a mobile unit. The organization provides comprehensive contraceptive care, and funding would allow Salud to provide a wider variety of methods to patients with financial barriers.

Adams, Arapahoe, Boulder, Larimer, Las Animas, Logan, Morgan, Weld

\$25,000

St. Vincent Health

St. Vincent Health (SVH) operates the local hospital and main primary care clinic in Leadville, a high-elevation area that is relatively isolated from other communities. The clinic offers contraceptive care, though patients often must pay for methods. Choose When funding will allow SVH to provide a variety of contraception options based on a person-centered approach. *Lake*

\$24,000



Summit Community Care Clinic

Summit Community Care Clinic (Care Clinic) is a community health center serving central mountain communities in Lake, Park, and Summit Counties. Its main Care Clinic is located in Frisco, next door to St. Anthony Summit Hospital. Over half of the Care Clinic's patients are uninsured. Funding will be used to purchase LARCs, which patients often request. Lake, Park, Summit

\$25,000

Sunrise Community Health

Sunrise Community Health is a community health center operating twelve sites in Greeley, Evans, Windsor, and Loveland. Sunrise will use the funding on LARCs for patients lacking insurance, primarily those with low incomes or who are migrant or seasonal farmworkers.

Larimer, Weld

\$25,000

Telluride Regional Medical Center

The Telluride Regional Medical Center (TRMC) provides primary care to over 5,300 patients in remote southwest Colorado. In 2024-25, TRMC anticipates doubling the number of patients receiving no-cost LARCs due to an additional provider trained in these methods.

Dolores, Montrose, Ouray, San Miguel

\$25,000

Uncompange Combined Clinics

Uncompanded Medical Center is a community health center located in Norwood in a frontier area of Southwest Colorado. It serves a patient population that is largely uninsured or underinsured. Funding will increase the range of contraceptive options available to patients lacking financial means.

Montrose, Ouray, San Miguel

\$14,000

University of Colorado Foundation (Sheridan Health Services)

Sheridan Health Services is a community health center providing contraceptive care at its Family Health Clinic in Denver and its school-based health center in Englewood. Sheridan Health Services plans to use Choose When funding to purchase LARCs, supplies, and emergency contraception for patients without insurance or financial means to pay.

Arapahoe, Denver, Jefferson

\$25,000