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### **Foellinger grants improve lives for Allen County families**

The Foellinger Foundation has approved grants totaling over \$2.2 million to strengthen families across Allen County.

“Strengthening and supporting families is even more important during these challenging times,” said Cheryl Taylor, President. “The Foundation seeks to impact families most at risk through organizations that foster healthy interfamily relationships.”

The grants are in the Foundation’s Family Development category. A number of these grants provide nonprofits operating support so that the organization can focus its funding in areas it deems most important.

The Foellinger Foundation, Inc. is a private charitable foundation created in 1958 by Helene R. Foellinger, *The News-Sentinel* publisher from 1936 to 1980, and Esther A. Foellinger, her mother.

*The list of grants appears on the next page.*

Allen County Education Partnership	Two-year program support for Parent Literacy Enrichment.	\$228,000
Associated Churches	One-year program support for Food Bank.	\$25,000
Cancer Services	Two-year operating support.	\$100,000
Cedars HOPE	One-year operating support.	\$15,000
Center for Nonviolence	One-year operating support.	\$80,000
CANI	Three-year program support for Family Development Services.	\$210,000
Community Harvest Food Bank	One-year operating support.	\$50,000
Community Transportation Network	Two-year operating support.	\$80,000
East Wayne Street Center	One-year program support for Adult Education.	\$50,000
Easter Seals Arc	One-year program support for Transition Services and Respite.	\$69,000
Fort Wayne Medical Society Foundation	Two-year program support for Healthier Moms and Babies.	\$90,000
Fort Wayne Urban League	One-year operating support.	\$50,000
Hope House	One-year operating support.	\$20,000
Interfaith Hospitality Network	One-year operating support.	\$30,000
Matthew 25	Three-year operating support.	\$120,000
National League of Cuban American Community Based Centers	Three-year program support for Family Education.	\$75,000
SCAN	One-year program support for Family Restoration.	\$25,000
United Hispanic-Americans	One-year operating support.	\$30,000
Vincent Village	Three-year operating support.	\$96,000
Wellspring Interfaith Social Services	Three-year operating support.	\$450,000
YWCA	Three-year program support for Domestic Violence Services.	\$345,000
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>\$2,238,000</b>