



**THE
COLORADO
TRUST**

A Health Equity Foundation

COMMUNITY RESILIENCE INITIATIVES CAPACITY BUILDING ASSISTANCE

GOAL:

The Capacity Building Assistance initiative provides programmatic funding to organizations to serve as subject matter experts for each of the three strategic plan focus areas (food, housing, and mental and behavioral health), as well as for organizational infrastructure. The organizations will work over the grant period to provide short- or longer-term support to Community Resilience Initiatives (CRI) grantees to assess their capacity-building needs, provide tailored and general learning and growth opportunities, and create tools and resources necessary to advance their work.

GRANTEES:



HOUSING

OMNI

Support for coaching, technical assistance and creating a resource hub for:

- 20 Housing CRI grantees
- 30 Mental and Behavioral Health CRI grantees



MENTAL & BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

COMMUNITY RESOURCE CENTER

Support for coaching, facilitating peer learning and contracting with subject matter experts for:

- 20 Housing CRI grantees
- 30 Mental and Behavioral Health CRI grantees
- 30 Food CRI grantees



FOOD

COLORADO BLUEPRINT TO END HUNGER

Support for technical assistance and coaching to grantees working on food issues, training them to use a food sovereignty toolkit and helping grantees create their own local blueprints.

- 30 Food CRI grantees

CAPACITY-BUILDING SUPPORT ACTIVITIES:

- Evaluation and Data Ethics
- Marketing and Communications Coaching
- Nonprofit Management
- Organizational Safeguarding
- Sustainability Grant Research
- Peer-to-peer Networking

FUNDING DETAILS:

Funding
period
**7/2024
to
12/2026**

Average
grant
amount
\$771,875

Total to be
awarded to
the grantees
\$2.32M