



2021 COMMUNITY BENEFIT SNAPSHOT

We invest in Tri-Cities' health.

Caring for our communities is vitally important. To achieve our vision of health for a better world, we work closely with local partners to ensure we respond to the most pressing needs.



Taking action on health challenges

In 2021, we continued to focus on pandemic response and other core priorities including equitable access to care, housing and homelessness, mental health and substance use, and food insecurity.

Bringing our Mission to life

At Providence, we are dedicated to improving community health and reducing disparities in the Western U.S. and beyond. Called by our Mission, we are steadfast in serving all, especially those who are poor and vulnerable.



Community health improvement and strategic partnerships
\$900,000



Health professions education and research
\$4 MILLION



Subsidized health services
\$200,000



Free and discounted care for the uninsured and underinsured
\$11 MILLION



Unpaid cost of Medicaid and other means-tested government programs
\$48 MILLION

*Data is consolidated based on unaudited financial reporting.

Our shared values in action

Kadlec partners with Grace Clinic to cover unmet needs.



Mark Brault of Richland, Wash. spent his career in accounting before retirement in 2015. Today, he's finding a different fulfillment volunteering at the Grace Clinic, an independent free clinic serving the Tri-Cities area. "My wife Kathryn, a provider at the clinic, recruited me onto the board of directors 16 years ago," says Mark, who became Grace Clinic's volunteer CEO in 2012. "Through my involvement, I developed a deep commitment to the mission of the clinic."

The clinic sees patients five days a week with volunteers from the medical, dental and mental health professions. It's a much-needed resource in the region, providing free medical,

dental, and mental health services to those who are uninsured. Patient visits usually exceed 7,000 each year. Kadlec supports Grace Clinic through community benefit funding, equipment donations and volunteer involvement by caregivers. One of Kadlec's recent contributions is equipment for cardiac stress tests. Iyad Jamali, M.D., a Kadlec cardiologist who volunteers at Grace, facilitated the donation and soon after saw a patient whose heart wasn't working right.

"I referred her to Kadlec where I did an angiogram and found that one of her arteries was 80% blocked," Dr. Jamali says. "She has a stent now and is doing well. Our ability to do stress tests there has enhanced our services."

Without Kadlec's support, Mark says things would be more difficult for Grace. "We would have to find the funding elsewhere," he says. "And some of our patients have needs that must be met at a hospital. Historically, we've had the easiest time helping patients access financial assistance at Kadlec."

“ Kadlec, part of the Providence family of organizations, is committed to providing high quality, compassionate care for everyone. Our community benefit investments are components of how we care for our patients' critical needs while working to address social determinants of health. ”

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