HEALTH CARE

2017 GRANTMAKING IN HEALTH CARE
71 NEW GRANTS

$39.1 million

A total of $37.8 million was distributed, some of which was from commitments approved in previous years.

Enhancing the lives of individuals and the vitality of communities by promoting prevention, improving the quality and safety of services and increasing access to care.

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MAKING A DIFFERENCE THROUGH GRANTMAKING IN HEALTH CARE

Quality and safety of health care
Improving the quality and safety of health care delivery

2017 GRANTMAKING
$9 million in 20 new grants

Funding helped the North Carolina Institute of Medicine convene a statewide task force charged with developing an actionable strategic plan for addressing Alzheimer’s disease and related dementias.

Access to health care
Improving health by increasing access to comprehensive care

2017 GRANTMAKING
$23.8 million in 38 new grants

A new program is giving pediatric patients access to behavioral health services through privacy-protected virtual care. The goal is to offer seamless — and critical — services to children.

Prevention
Expanding programs to promote health and prevent disease

2017 GRANTMAKING
$6.3 million in 13 new grants

With its start in five North Carolina regions, Healthy People, Health Carolinas takes a community-based approach to addressing chronic health issues such as unhealthy weight, diabetes and heart disease.

CANDIDATES FOR HEALTH CARE GRANTS

- Not-for-profit hospitals
- Academic health centers
- Area health education centers
- Select health organizations in counties without an eligible hospital
- Not-for-profit licensed, in-patient, long-term care facilities