

## **2018 Annual Report**

Toledo/Lucas County CareNet Provides Low-Income Lucas County Residents With Access to Coordinated Healthcare Services



# "I didn't know these services existed. The help really goes deep. It's wonderful."

- Toledoan Judith Williams, left, with her CareNet community health worker, Glori Puskarich

### Facing - and Adapting to - Change

#### **Support for CareNet Remains Critical**

A client living in a boarding house room barely bigger than a closet. Two brothers sharing home-delivered meals for one because they couldn't afford to buy food. Women at risk of losing their newborns before their first birthdays because they don't have safe housing and other necessities.

These are some of the cases Toledo/Lucas County CareNet's community health workers have encountered since the nonprofit began providing care coordination to low-income Lucas County residents in 2015. Since its inception as a charity care network in 2002, CareNet has continued to adjust to the needs of residents as its strives to provide access to coordinated healthcare services.

Ohio's expansion of Medicaid eligibility to more people helped fuel CareNet's change. Lucas County residents needed help obtaining Medicaid and utilizing their newfound healthcare coverage, along with getting basic necessities that everyone needs to be healthy. CareNet began hiring community health workers in 2015 to ensure the network's care coordination clients have a medical home and get connected to needed medical and social services.



CareNet Community Health Worker Tava Hall with a client's healthy newborn.

Toledoan Judith Williams, who is pictured on the cover, retired in January 2018. After most of Judith's savings and monthly Social Security benefits went toward rent and utilities, her gas was turned off a few months later. She had to microwave water to bathe and didn't have enough money for food. But Glori Puskarich, Judith's CareNet community health worker, helped her apply for Medicaid to supplement her Medicare and food stamps. Glori also helped her get home-delivered meals and pay for utilities.

With the continued support of our donors, volunteers and other partners, CareNet will continue to be Lucas County's charity care network helping Lucas County residents get the care they need. CareNet also needs that support to continue providing care coordination to low-income residents like Judith and hundreds of others.



# CARENET BY THE NUMBERS

Providing Low-Income Lucas County Residents With Access to Cooordinated Healthcare Services



#### **MEMBERS**

By the end of 2018, CareNet had served 28,477 low-income Lucas County residents since 2003.

28,477

220

## PHYSICIAN VOLUNTEERS

CareNet relies on about 220 volunteer physicians and specialists to provide care to members.





## HOSPITALS & CLINIC SITES

CareNet's charity care network includes 8 hospitals and 13 clinic sites. 21

566

#### CARE

#### COORDINATION

By the end of 2018, CareNet's community health workers had connected 566 residents to medical and social services.



#### CareNet Collaborating Partners at \$5,000+

City of Toledo

Hospital Council of Northwest Ohio
Lucas County Commissioners

Mercy Health
ProMedica
Signature Bank, N.A.

St. Luke's Hospital United Way of Greater Toledo University of Toledo Foundation



**\$70,000**+
Hospital Council of No

Hospital Council of Northwest Ohio Mercy Health ProMedica

CareNet Circle \$20,000+

Lucas County Commissioners United Way of Greater Toledo

\$15,000+

University of Toledo Foundation

\$10.000+

St. Luke's Hospital

Caring Society \$5,000+

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Safety Net Society \$4,000+

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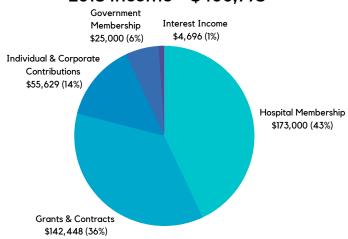
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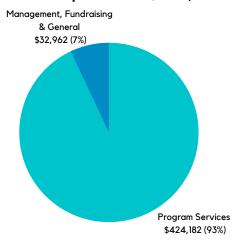
Ms. Yvette Meftah

#### **Return On Investment 2018**

#### 2018 Income = \$400,773



#### 2018 Expenses = \$457,144



Audited Financial Statements as of December 31, 2018 by Mira + Kolena



CareNet Community Health Workers, from left, DeShawn Jackson, Tava Hall, Andrea Vasquez, Glori Puskarich and Julie Grasson, who also is CareNet's Assistant Director. To find out how you can help CareNet, please contact Julie Grasson at jgrasson@hcno or 419-842-0800 ext. 117.

## CareNet Contributions, continued Supporters, continued \$100+, continued

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- in honor of Erin Peterson

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- Mark Stevens Painting

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#### **CareNet Staff**

Jan Ruma, MEd, CFRE - Executive Director
Julie A. Grasson, MEd - Assistant Director
Andrea Vasquez - Community Health Worker
Glori Puskarich - Community Health Worker
DeShawn Jackson - Community Health Worker
Tava Hall - Community Health Worker
Julie McKinnon - Communications Coordinator
Dee Geer - Executive Assistant



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