



# 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 it 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.



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# CARENET BY THE NUMBERS

Providing Low-Income Lucas County Residents With Access to Coordinated 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



### Founders Circle

**\$70,000+**

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+**

City of Toledo  
Signature Bank, N.A.

### Safety Net Society

**\$4,000+**

Mr. & Mrs. Michael & Barbara Berebitsky  
Ohio Association of Free Clinics  
TKBW Private Foundation

**\$2,500+**

Drs. Jay & Valentina Jindal  
Mr. & Mrs. David & Susan Reed

### Supporters

**\$2,000+**

Dr. & Mrs. Arthur & Mary Mancini

**\$1,500+**

The Anderson Foundation  
Mr. & Mrs. Peter & Jan Ruma

**\$1,000+**

Dr. & Mrs. Nasir & Lynn Ali  
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Buckeye Broadband

### **\$1,000+, continued**

Dr. & Mrs. Mark & Nancy Burton  
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- in honor of Dr. Art Mancini  
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Dr. & Mrs. Daniel & Joan Rigal  
- in honor of Dr. Stephen Bazeley  
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- The Savage Family Foundation  
Mr. C. Michael Smith  
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**\$750+**

Dr. Timothy Sigman & Ms. Chinda Misra

**\$500+**

American Interiors  
Mr. & Mrs. John & Elaine Bachey  
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Frontstream  
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Mr. & Mrs. Stephen & Mary Malia  
Mrs. Dorothy Kay Murray  
- in memory of James Murray  
Dr. & Mrs. John & Dorothy Newton  
Mr. & Mrs. Tim & Barbara Petee  
Mr. & Mrs. Larry & Jill Peterson  
- ProMedica Fund  
Ms. Robin Reese  
Toledo Community Foundation

**\$250+**

Mr. & Mrs. James & Ellen Black  
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Drs. William & Barbara Gunning  
Mr. Ronald Hamilton  
Kroger Community Rewards

### **\$250+, continued**

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Ms. Erin Peterson  
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**\$200+**

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Dr. Ward Taylor  
Office of Sheriff John Tharp  
Mr. Patrick Trejchel

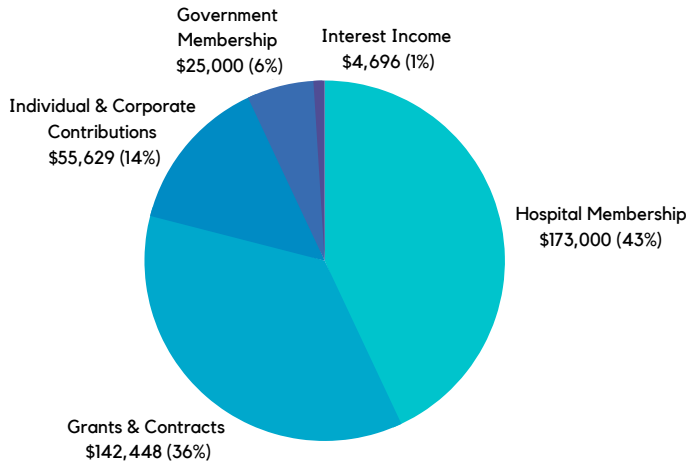
**\$100+**

Mr. & Mrs. Michael & Julie Beazley  
Dr. & Mrs. Lachman & Nancy Chablani  
Mr. & Mrs. Brent & Pamela Cousino  
Mr. & Mrs. Stuart & Denise Cubbon  
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- in memory of Regina Gabriel  
Mrs. Tina Hacker  
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Mr. Robert Jesionowski  
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Ms. Lynne Kusmer  
Ms. Marchelle Lee  
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Ms. Yvette Meftah

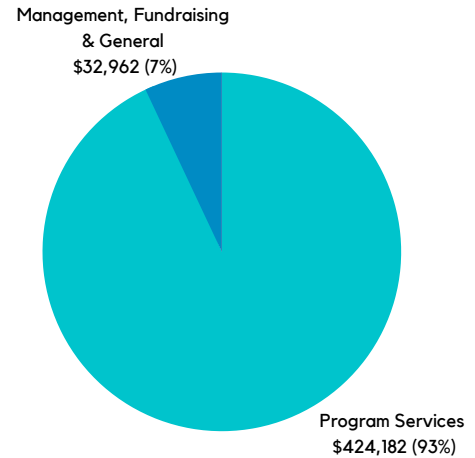


# Return On Investment 2018

**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](mailto:jgrasson@hcno) or 419-842-0800 ext. 117.

## CareNet Contributions, continued

### Supporters, continued

#### \$100+, continued

Mr. & Mrs. John & Judith Melick  
- in honor of Erin Peterson  
Mr. & Mrs. Fred & Sharon Moor  
Network for Good  
Dr. & Mrs. Byron & Ardith Nolte  
Dr. & Mrs. Yogesh & Smita Patel  
Mrs. Judy Seibenick  
Mr. & Mrs. Mark & Robin Smigelski  
Dr. R. Jeffery & Mrs. Diana Stephens  
Mr. Karl Strauss  
Sr. Dorothy Thum  
- Sisters of Mercy  
Mr. Michael Weintraub

#### \$50+

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Mr. Andrew Mariani  
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Mr. & Mrs. Michael & Sandra Sheehy  
Ms. Kathy Silvestri  
Mr. & Mrs. Joseph & Kimberly Sofo  
Mr. & Mrs. Michael & Maureen Stevens  
Mrs. Margaret Wielinski

#### Up to \$49

Mr. Omeed Ahmadi  
Amazon Smile  
Ms. Shelah Bechtel  
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Mr. & Mrs. Martin & Jan Connors  
Ms. Chris Demko  
Ms. Linda Dewey  
Mr. Cameron Eisnaugle  
Ms. Julie Grasson  
Ms. Sandra Isenberg  
Mrs. Amber Rice  
Ms. Robyn Schnitker  
Mrs. Michelle Smith-Wojnowski  
Mr. Mark Stevens  
- Mark Stevens Painting  
Ms. Danielle Welty

### **CareNet Board**

Dr. Arthur Mancini, Chair - Academy of Medicine  
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Melinda Cree, Secretary - Dental Center of Northwest Ohio  
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Eric Zgodzinski - Toledo-Lucas County Health Department  
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Angela Ackerman - University of Toledo  
Nicholas Burkholder - University of Toledo CommunityCare Clinics  
Sabina Serratos - Adelante, Inc.  
Lisa McDuffie - YWCA of Northwest Ohio

### **CareNet Leadership Group**

CareNet Leadership Group  
Mike & Barb Berebitsky, Co-Chairs  
Dr. Stephen & Cathy Bazeley  
Jamie & Ellen Black \*  
Dr. Louito Edje  
John & Jeanie Hayward  
Drs. Jay & Tina Jindal  
Dr. Arthur & Mary Mancini  
Robert & Kathie Maxwell  
Kay Murray  
Dr. Jack & Dorothy Newton  
Tim & Barb Petee  
Erin Peterson  
Larry & Jill Peterson  
Mike & Chrissy Rode  
Dr. Greg & Janine Rosenthal  
Dr. Elizabeth Ruppert \*  
Bob & Sue Savage \*  
C. Michael Smith  
Karl Strauss  
Sr. Dorothy Thum  
Dan & Jasmine Wakeman  
\* Emeritus Members

### **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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