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- Toledo/Lucas County CareNet Client Radyus Coogler
about Community Health Worker Andrea Vasquez





Connecting to Care

After losing her first infant son to a congenital heart defect, Radyus Coogler needed to do everything possible to reduce stress during her second pregnancy. Radyus received an array of tension-easing assistance from Toledo/Lucas County CareNet Community Health Worker Andrea Vasquez, such as rental assistance, a connection to financial coaching and other resources.

"Everything's fine with this pregnancy," said Radyus, who worked from home as long as possible during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Chief among the assistance Radyus received through Andrea was a Lucas Metropolitan Housing voucher to help get a larger, two-bedroom apartment. Radyus fell behind on her credit card bills while having to change jobs during the pandemic, causing her credit score to drop, so getting the voucher was crucial to preparing for her son's summer 2021 arrival.

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Responding During the COVID-19 Pandemic

Toledo/Lucas County CareNet continued operating during the pandemic while making adjustments for everyone's safety. Community health workers, for example, did virtual visits with clients via phone or online. They made sure to provide education about COVID-19 and the vaccine, and they also delivered necessities while taking appropriate precautions. Additionally, CareNet secured grant funding from the National Association of Free and Charitable Clinics for electronic tablets that clients can use for telehealth visits with medical and mental health providers.



Distinguished Service Award

CareNet Honors Dr. Mancini

Retired Urologist Continues To Serve On Leadership Group

In 2020, Dr. A. Arthur Mancini was awarded the CareNet Distinguished Service Award for more than two decades of tireless service. Dr. Mancini represented the Academy of Medicine on the inaugural CareNet Board in 2002, and he served as Board Chair from 2009 to early 2020.

As a urologist, Dr. Mancini was one of the first specialists to volunteer to treat CareNet members in private practice. **Dr. Mancini recruited many other colleagues to join him with the message he coined: "CareNet allows you to do mission work in your own community."**

While Board Chair, Dr. Mancini led CareNet to expand its focus to include assisting residents in getting access to community resources with the help of a community health worker. Dr. Mancini and his wife, Mary, are also founding members of the CareNet Leadership Group and continue to serve.

These CareNet donors made contributions in Dr. Mancini's honor in 2020:

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Providing Access to Care

Toledo/Lucas County CareNet serves Lucas County residents who need charity care, connections to medical and social services, help with the federal Health Insurance Marketplace - or some combination of the 3.



Have you been unable to secure healthcare coverage?

Low-income adults not eligible for public or private health coverage can apply for membership.

Members can access a charity care network of 15 clinics, 8 hospitals and 200 physician volunteers.



Low-income pregnant women, adults with chronic diseases and others can get assistance from a community health worker.



Members with at least 2 unmet social needs also can receive care coordination services.



Do you need to be connected to medical and social services?



Community health workers and clients work as a team to get connected to needed services.



These services may include housing, transportation, a medical home and other basic needs.



Community health workers will go to medical, mental health and other appointments if needed.



Clients also can borrow electronic tablets so they can have online appointments with providers.



Do you need help getting health insurance coverage?



Any Lucas County resident can receive Marketplace assistance from a certified application counselor.



Low-income residents may also qualify for membership in the charity care network and/or care coordination services.



CareNet Contributions January 1 through December 31, 2020

CareNet Collaborating Organizations at \$5,000+

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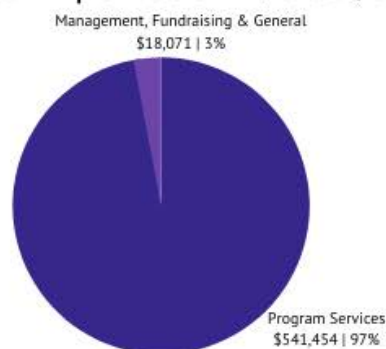
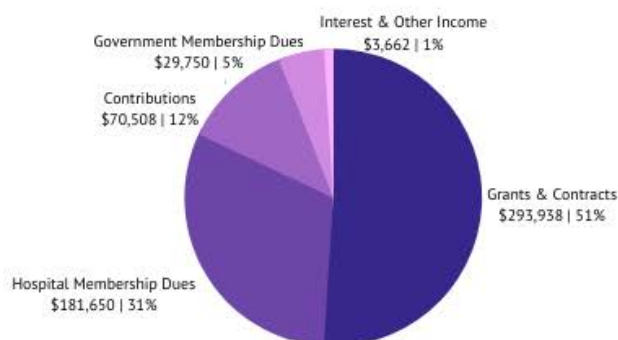
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CareNet's Return On Investment 2020

2020 Income = \$579,508

2020 Expenses = \$559,525



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