

2021 Caregivers Fund Annual Report

In 2021, through the Catholic Health Caregivers Fund, employees continued to assist fellow caregivers in the U.S. and in disadvantaged communities around the globe. Catholic Health donates the costs of administering the fund to ensure that 100% of all donations goes directly to recipients.

Mission: We, at Catholic Health, humbly join together to bring Christ's healing mission and the mission of mercy of the Catholic Church expressed in Catholic health care to our communities.

Ursuline Sisters of Tildonk, Inc. – Granted \$21,000 to care for the people in India suffering from COVID-19. The second wave of the pandemic has devastated India. The people of India are unable to pay their medical bills. This grant will help to provide hospital beds, vital drugs, medical oxygen and care.

Catholic Medical Mission Board – Granted \$15,000 to purchase a six month supply of PPE for hospital staff, Oxygen concentrators, testing kits, and medicine for patients with COVID 19. The Diva Chaya Hospital located in India, is at its capacity and lacks adequate supplies of PPE to protect staff and equipment to diagnose and treat patients.

Patient Airlift Services (PALS) – Granted \$10,000 to provide free air travel for individuals with serious illness who require long distance care but cannot afford to fly commercially-they are based out of Farmingdale, Long Island. PALS provides critical service that ensures the most vulnerable and those with healthcare needs have access to proper care and treatment regardless of location and economic status.

The Society of St. Vincent de Paul – Granted \$15,000 to continue dental assistance program to help individuals without dental insurance. Provide patients with a comprehensive dental exam, X-rays, dental cleaning and follow up care. Poor oral health can contribute to various diseases.

Nova Hope for Haiti – Granted \$20,000 to rebuild staff housing and community resident homes destroyed by the August 14th 7.2 magnitude earthquake.

**Many thanks to all who have
so generously contributed.**

