

AWA CHARITABLE DONATIONS

2018 FUNDING GRANTS

\$1,413,420

Total funding for charities \$1,243,420

ACTION FOR REACH OUT \$40,000

Empower marginalized and discriminated group of women for social inclusion through education and support.

Project: Produce a multi-lingual educational booklets for female sex workers on fundamental legal rights of victims, suspects and offenders.

ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE ASSOCIATION \$16,500

Advocate for the betterment of the people living with dementia and their families, through capacity building and provision of specialized services.

Project: Set up and run cafes aimed at caregivers of people living with dementia; bring them together to socialize and find a support community with those in similar situation.

BETHUNE HOUSE MIGRANT WOMEN'S REFUGE \$15,000

A shelter for Asian women migrant workers in distress due to abuse, labour disputes and criminal assault, providing guidance, counselling and paralegal advice, as well as continuing education to better cope with problems facing migrant workers.

Project: Health Program which involves medical emergency assistance, health seminars & sports and pest control.

CHRISTIAN FAMILY SERVICE CENTRE \$32,000

Support and enhance family functioning, and foster an environment for growth and change.

Project: Happy Teen@Eden - provide early intervention to students with Attention Deficit / Hyperactivity Disorder.

FEEDING HONG KONG \$50,000

(Funded By American Chamber of Commerce Charitable Foundation)

Fight hunger and reduce the amount of quality food sent to city's landfills in HK.

Project: Santa Sack campaign supports an extra food parcel in December for families and individuals struggling with food security.

HABITAT FOR HUMANITY \$12,000

Bring people together to build homes, communities and hope; create a world where everyone has a decent place to live.

Project: "Home Works" seeks to improve home environments and sanitation, while building community spirit and hope.

HAVEN OF HOPE \$52,910

Provide holistic care services to support and serve the local community.

Project: Follow up health services for 30 pre diabetic or newly diagnosed as diabetic people in Sai Kung.

HELPING HAND \$47,440

Provide personalized residential care services and recreational activities for elderly residents.

Project: Improve the quality of life of the elderly residents through the replacement of 40 units of wall-mounted fan and 6 units of water heaters.

HONG KONG BREAST CANCER FOUNDATION \$8,500

Mitigate the threat of breast cancer to the local community through education, patient support and research & advocacy.

Project: Participation of the AWA team in The Pink Walk.

HONG KONG PHAB ASSOCIATION \$49,000

Promote the social integration of persons with disabilities by organising activities where both persons with and without disabilities of all ages could participate.

Project: Music Therapy for patients and their carers. The music therapy improves the physical and cognitive aspects of the stroke patients and the stress of their carers.

HONG KONG SOCIETY FOR THE BLIND \$19,700

Provide services to facilitate equal participation of people with visual impairment.

Project: Acquisition of stair walking exerciser to strengthen residents' lower limbs muscles and cardiovascular function.

JUSTICE CENTRE \$56,900

(Funded by American Chamber of Commerce Charitable Foundation)

Advocate for and empower vulnerable forced migrants.

Project: Support vulnerable refugee women in Hong Kong by providing intensive legal and psychosocial services. Additionally provide counselling to help them cope with their trauma and gather psychological and medical evidence to support their claim for protection.

LIONS KIDNEY EDUCATIONAL CENTRE \$98,000

Educate about the preventive measures in relation to kidney disease while providing low-cost high quality haemodialysis services for patients in financial difficulties.

Project: Purchase 1 unit of Body Composition Monitor for the new 4th Dialysis Centre in Tai Po.

LITTLE LIFE WARRIOR SOCIETY \$47,400

(Funded American Chamber of Commerce Charitable Foundation)

Promote the welfare of child patients with cancer; bone marrow transplant or severe blood disease.

Project: Establish a platform enhancing mental health of severe blood disease child patients, bone marrow transplant, cancer survivors and their family

members through the organization of a series of indoor and outdoor activities.

LOVE 21 FOUNDATION \$52,000

(Co-funded by AWA and American Chamber of Commerce Charitable Foundation)

Improve the health and fitness of Down syndrome and autistic local community while having fun.

Project: Football class for boys and girls under 13. Additional tennis, trampoline and dance classes.

LOVEXPRESS FOUNDATION \$100,000

(Co-funded by AWA and American Chamber of Commerce Charitable Foundation)

Integrate autism through empowerment and partnerships.

Project: Foster the employment opportunities among autistic students and corporates, nurturing inclusion and integration of special needs in Hong Kong.

MAGGIE'S CANCER CARING CENTRE \$84,500

Care for everyone affected by cancer.

Project: Support advanced stage lung cancer patients. Give advice on managing physical discomfort, psychological consultations to minimise stress, anxiety, despair, and other emotional difficulties in facing the illness and end of life.

NEIGHBORHOOD AND WORKER'S EDUCATION CENTRE \$77,140

Provide continuing education and training courses for the community

Project: Teaching scheme of words recognition in both Cantonese and English for children with dyslexia.

PATHFINDERS \$60,000

Serve pregnant, migrant women in distress and their born-in-HK children.

Project: "Building Lives" equips migrant mothers with the knowledge to better care for their children and to plan safe, legal and sustainable livelihoods through workshops.

PROJECT CONCERN \$35,000

(Funded by American Chamber of Commerce Charitable Foundation)

Non-profit general, dental & social services throughout HKSAR

Project: Replace old extracting forceps and luxators.

RIDING FOR THE DISABLED \$37,500

Enrich the quality of life of the disabled community by providing free rehabilitative horse- and pony-riding lessons.

Project: Replace and Improve Horse and Lesson Equipment.

RONALD McDONALD HOUSE CHARITIES

\$22,080

Provide hospital adjacent accommodation for parents of children undergoing chemotherapy.

Project: Soup service is a programme in which volunteers are encouraged to come every 2 weeks and cook healthy soup for the children and families.

RUN \$38,000

(Co-funded by AWA, HK Hikers and American Chamber of Commerce Charitable Foundation)

Promote the rehabilitation of vulnerable refugees and asylum seekers, specifically women, through sports and education.

Project: "Hiking to Heal" provides rehabilitation to vulnerable female refugees and asylum seekers through sport and life skills training.

SAINT BARNABAS' SOCIETY \$16,800

Serve the poor and the homeless in Hong Kong.

Project: "Kids and Books" will set up a library. Books related to activities would be borrowed and read by kids before and during the activities held at the centre. Drop-in Day Centre: providing hot meals, physical material support, spiritual support, washing up, hot shower and recreational facilities for the poor and homeless;

Outreach Service: providing regular visits to the homeless people and people living in poor conditions such as wood partitioned rooms; Kids' Learning Club is a new branch of St. BS&H. It is a centre for nurturing underprivileged children, focusing on development of life skills and realizing personal potential that will create an impact on HK in the long run

THE HUB CHILDREN AND YOUTH CENTRE \$40,000

Giving children experiencing difficult circumstances an equal opportunity to become valuable members of the community through balanced physical and psychosocial development

Project: Teach the importance of nutrition to parents and children, knowledge on how to eat healthy on a low budget.

UNITED CHRISTIAN NETHERSOLE COMMUNITY HEALTH SERVICE \$99,250

Community health care and health education.

Project: Provide essential nutrition intervention and psychological support to 60 children with special needs and their family.

WATCHDOG EARLY EDUCATION CENTRE \$25,800

Provide early intervention, education and therapy services for English and Chinese speaking pre-school aged children with special educational needs.

Project: Group music therapy for children who have moderate to severe learning difficulties, most of whom are children on the autism spectrum disorders.

Total funding for Education and Scholarship \$170,000

THE VOCATIONAL TRAINING COUNCIL HK\$80,000

LINGNAN UNIVERSITY HK\$50,000

THE SCHOOL OF CREATIVITY HK\$40,000