

Recent Girls' Grantmaking Committee Awards to Rochester-Area Organizations

ORGANIZATION	GRANT	PROGRAM	YEAR
Rochester Fatherhood Resource Initiative, Inc.	\$5,000	Helps young women (ages 11 to 17) make positive choices regarding character building, education, relationships and personal health through a curriculum of cultural, academic, health and social activities.	2004
St. Joseph's Villa	\$3,000	Program offers young women living in a group home the chance to participate in programs, training or recreation not covered by normal funding streams, but essential to the successful attainment of their individual treatment plan goals. The girls must also "give back to the community" in exchange for the ability to participate in their chosen activity.	2004
"Transitional Living Program for Pregnant/ Parenting Homeless Girls" Center for Youth Services	\$5,000	The goal is to safely transition young women to self-sufficiency and independent living. The grant supports an apartment for one homeless young woman.	2003
"Mother-Daughter Leadership Program" Hope Hall	\$1,500	Focuses on single mothers and their daughters to enhance self-esteem and reduce violence toward women. The grant supports workshops and events for program participants.	2003
"S.A.S.S.Y. Women: Surviving Adolescence & Becoming Self-Sufficient" Dundee Youth Center (Yates County)	\$1,175	Opportunities for girls in grades 7 to 12 to acquire knowledge and skills to survive adolescence. Elements of the program include researching the local history of women, college and career exploration, preparation for entering the work force and basic life skills.	2003
Girl Power, School of the Arts	\$2,000	At-risk sophomore girls at School of the Arts will be united with ten older classmates who have been academically and socially successful.	2002
Ready, Set, Go, Action for Better Community	\$5,000	Entrepreneurial training for young women.	2002
Women Artists as Mentors, Northeast Area Development	\$4,000	Female artists from the community and nearby neighborhood will work with a group of girls on developing their artistic skills.	2002