

## Reproductive Justice 2015 Grants List

### **Advocates For Youth**

**(Two Year Grant) \$70,000**

*General Support.* Advocates for Youth partners with youth leaders, adult allies, and youth-serving organizations to advocate for policies and champion programs that recognize young people's rights to: honest sexual health information; accessible, confidential, and affordable sexual health services; and the resources and opportunities necessary to create sexual health equity for all youth.

### **All\* Above All**

**Fiscal Sponsor - New Venture Fund**

**(One Year Grant) \$50,000**

*Supporting Reproductive Health Access for All Women.* All\* Above All unites organizations and individuals to build support for lifting the bans that deny abortion coverage. Our vision is to restore public insurance coverage so that every woman, however much she makes, can get affordable, safe abortion care when she needs it.

### **CoreAlign**

**Fiscal Sponsor - New Venture Fund**

**(Two Year Grant) \$70,000**

*CoreAlign.* CoreAlign is a movement-building initiative that harnesses the collective passion and expertise of all stakeholders in the reproductive health, rights, and justice movement to expand their reach, capacity, and impact. We envision a future where all people have the resources, rights, and respect to make their own sexual and reproductive decisions.

### **Funders Network on Population, Reproductive Health and Rights \$120,000**

*For the creation of the Rockwood Fellowship for Leaders in Reproductive Health, Rights and Justice.* The Funders Network has partnered with the Rockwood Leadership Institute to establish a first-of-its-kind leadership training program for reproductive health, rights and justice (RHRJ) advocates in the United States. This project intends to strengthen the RHRJ movement and bolster its effectiveness by fostering mutual respect and understanding among key leaders in this sector.

### **Hampshire College**

**(Two Year Grant) \$70,000**

*Civil Liberties and Public Policy Program.* The over-arching purpose for CLPP's program work is to build an expanding, vital, and effective reproductive justice movement by educating, inspiring, mentoring and training a wide diversity of new generations of students and activists nationwide; strengthening the movement by advancing the leadership of a diversity of emerging players; and attracting a broad range of young and new constituencies.

### **Law Students for Reproductive Justice**

**(One Year Grant) \$17,000**

*General support.* LSRJ trains and mobilizes law students and lawyers to foster legal expertise and support for the realization of reproductive justice.

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### **MergerWatch**

#### **Community Catalyst**

**(One Year Grant) \$40,000**

*Securing the Promise of Health Reform for Women's Health.* This proposal is for work to secure the problem of health reform for women, as the Affordable Care Act is implemented. We have two main objectives: 1) Launching a new health insurance literacy program for women nationwide and 2) Making sure the new insurance marketplaces and plans are "women-friendly" by addressing gaps in contraceptive coverage and the emerging problem of too-narrow provider networks.

### **Ms. Foundation for Women**

**(One Year Grant) \$20,000**

*General Support.* The Ms. Foundation for Women's Reproductive Justice program supports grassroots organizing, leadership development, and advocacy to expand access to reproductive health services for all women. Our advocacy work focuses on developing sound sexual and reproductive health policies to increase access to the full range of reproductive health services. We also work to ensure that these services are financially accessible through new coverage options, and that they are widely understood by women.

### **National Advocates for Pregnant Women**

**(Two Year Grant) \$80,000**

*General Operating Support.* NAPW combines legal advocacy, organizing & public education to secure the human & civil rights, health & welfare of all women, focusing on pregnant & parenting women & those most vulnerable to state control & punishment: low income women, women of color & drug-using women. NAPW challenges civil & criminal prosecutions & anti-abortion and related measures that would create the basis for a separate & unequal system of law for all pregnant women whether seeking to end a pregnancy or go to term.

### **National Health Law Program, Inc**

**(One Year Grant) \$25,000**

*The Initiative to Promote Reproductive Health Access for Low-Income Women.* The goal of NHeLP's Initiative to Promote Reproductive Health Access for Low-Income Women ("Initiative") is to increase reproductive health access for low-income women and women of color by advancing their legal rights to publicly financed health care.

### **National Network of Abortion Funds**

**(One Year Grant) \$25,000**

*NNAF Strategic Planning.* NNAF is a leading player in the reproductive justice movement, focusing on access to abortion for those facing the greatest barriers. This year, NNAF staff, Board, and its network of member Funds will engage in a strategic planning process to create a roadmap towards increased access to abortion for all. This process will build our network of Funds capable of leveraging their unique perspective in service of our shared vision.

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### **Religious Coalition for Reproductive Choice (Two Year Grant) \$80,000**

*General Support.* RCRC's mission is to be the leading multi-faith voice for reproductive justice in the country. We do this through organizing, advocacy, communications, policy and leadership development work across all of our program areas.

### **URGE: Unite for Reproductive and Gender Equity (Two Year Grant) \$80,000**

*General Support.* URGE envisions a world where all people have agency over their own bodies and relationships and the power, knowledge, and tools to exercise that agency. We build this vision by engaging young people in creating and leading the way to sexual and reproductive justice for all by providing training, field mobilization, and national leadership for a youth-driven agenda.

### **Western States Center (Two Year Grant) \$70,000**

*General Support.* Western States Center exists to build the power of community organizing groups to accomplish policy and culture change for racial, gender, and economic justice. We envision our movement achieving a just society where we all flourish in sustainable, caring and connected communities. The Center holds that through community organizing, we engage those most affected by discrimination, inequities, and marginalization to create solutions, campaigns and alliances that shift the culture toward justice.

### **DISCRETIONARY**

#### **Bay Area Justice Funders Network**

**Fiscal Sponsor - Common Counsel Foundation \$3,000**

*To support the Bay Area Justice Funder's Network's purpose of building a stronger community of social justice funders.* Bay Area Justice Funders Network (BAJFN) is a network that engages in a range of activities that help the philanthropic community become a more active, coordinated, and accountable in efforts to grow and advance movements for justice. It is a platform for convening and encouraging relationships among and between the philanthropic community and community-based organizations. It is a venue for educational opportunities to deepen funders' knowledge/share practices for social justice grantmaking.

#### **Funders Network on Population, Reproductive Health and Rights \$14,000**

*General Support.* The Funders Network is a community of grantmakers addressing issues of reproductive health, rights and justice. Its members work to ensure that all people have access to the information and services needed to manage their own fertility and protect and promote their sexual and reproductive health. To that end, the Funders Network seeks to improve communication, foster collaboration, increase resources and enhance the overall effectiveness of grantmakers in this field.

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**The University of Chicago**

**\$2,000**

*Management training support for the Center for Interdisciplinary Inquiry and Innovation in Sexual and Reproductive Health (Ci3)* i. Ci3 is committed to empowering young people, conducting innovative research, and uncovering opportunities for policy and systemic change toward advancing the sexual and reproductive health and well-being of youth.

**URGE: Unite for Reproductive and Gender Equity \$9,600**

*Organizational Development and Coaching* . URGE is entering into a final phase of a capacity building through the Building Capacity for Organizational Resilience and Renewal (BCORR). This grant will provide coaching and technical assistance for URGE's final phase of the capacity building support through BCORR.