

2024 ANNUAL IMPACT REPORT



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MISSION IMPACT

TRANSFORMING LIVES THROUGH A RADICAL MODEL OF CARE

STREET MEDICINE ST. LOUIS DELIVERS COMPASSIONATE, STREET-BASED HEALTHCARE TO INDIVIDUALS EXPERIENCING HOMELESSNESS. GUIDED BY OUR BELIEF THAT EVERYONE DESERVES QUALITY CARE, WE WORK THROUGH OUTREACH, ADVOCACY, AND PARTNERSHIPS TO ADDRESS THE HEALTH IMPACTS OF UNSHELTERED HOMELESSNESS AND RESTORE DIGNITY TO OUR UNSHELTERED NEIGHBORS.

THIS YEAR, OUR TEAM REACHED OVER 300 INDIVIDUALS FOR MORE THAN 700 EPISODES OF MEDICAL CARE THROUGH REGULAR STREET ROUNDS AND COMMUNITY COLLABORATIONS. WE ALSO HOSTED WORKSHOPS AND HEALTH FAIRS, INCREASING COMMUNITY AWARENESS AROUND HOMELESSNESS AND IMPROVING ACCESS TO CARE.



IMPACT PARTNERS

WE CAREFULLY VET OUR VOLUNTEERS AND FUNDERS TO ENSURE ALIGNMENT WITH OUR MISSION, VISION AND VALUES.

OUR WORK IS VOLUNTEER RUN AND STAFFED AND WE COULDN'T BE MORE GRATFUL FOR OUR TEAM AND OUR COMMUNITY PARTNERS.

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MESSAGE FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

THE LAST YEAR HAS BEEN TRANSFORMATIVE FOR STREET MEDICINE ST. LOUIS. WHAT BEGAN AS ONE PERSON'S VISION—TO BRING COMPASSIONATE, HIGH-QUALITY CARE DIRECTLY TO UNHOUSED INDIVIDUALS—HAS COALESSED INTO A SHARED MOVEMENT. TODAY, DOZENS OF DEDICATED VOLUNTEERS AND COMMUNITY PARTNERS ARE WORKING TOGETHER TO CARE FOR SOME OF THE MOST VULNERABLE MEMBERS OF OUR CITY. THIS IMPACT REPORT, OUR INAUGURAL EFFORT, MARKS A SIGNIFICANT MILESTONE. IT REFLECTS NOT ONLY ON OUR ACCOMPLISHMENTS, BUT ALSO SPEAKS TO THE JOURNEY WE ARE ON.

AT THE START OF 2024, OUR RESOURCES WERE MODEST. OUTREACH WAS POWERED BY VOLUNTEERISM, PERSONAL DONATIONS, AND AN UNWAVERING COMMITMENT TO SHOWING UP. THE SUMMER OF 2024 BROUGHT US A GREAT OPPORTUNITY. THROUGH WORD OF MOUTH ABOUT THE WORK WE WERE DOING, WE RECEIVED AN UNSOLICITED \$500,000 GRANT FROM JACK DORSEY'S #STARTSMALL. THESE FUNDS CAME WITH ONLY ONE DIRECTIVE: "DO SOMETHING GOOD." WE EMBRACED THIS OPPORTUNITY WITH INTENTION AND HEART. SOON AFTER, WE RECEIVED A SECOND GRANT THROUGH THE MISSOURI INSTITUTE OF MENTAL HEALTH AND THE MISSOURI STATE OPIOID RESPONSE FUND. THESE INVESTMENTS ENABLED US TO HIRE A FULL-TIME PROGRAM DIRECTOR AND A WOUND CARE NURSE—OUR FIRST PAID STAFF MEMBERS—WHO ARE HELPING US EXPAND OUR CAPACITY AND DEEPEN OUR CARE.

AS OF EARLY 2025, STREET MEDICINE ST. LOUIS NOW PROVIDES WEEKLY MEDICAL OUTREACH TO 70–90 PEOPLE EACH SATURDAY IN DOWNTOWN ST. LOUIS. OUR PRESENCE HAS EXPANDED CITYWIDE THROUGH MOBILE WOUND CARE, LOW-BARRIER SHELTER SUPPORT, AND FREE CLINICS, ALL IN COLLABORATION WITH LOCAL PARTNERS. WE CONDUCTED A CITYWIDE HEPATITIS C SCREENING EVENT AND ARE PREPARING TO EXPAND INTO POINT-OF-CARE HIV AND HEP C TESTING. THESE ACCOMPLISHMENTS SPEAK NOT JUST TO GROWTH, BUT TO MEANINGFUL, MEASURABLE PROGRESS IN HEALTH EQUITY.

AS WE LOOK AHEAD, CHALLENGES PERSIST. WE ARE WORKING TO SECURE AN ELECTRONIC MEDICAL RECORD SYSTEM THAT WILL ENABLE US TO TRACK CARE MORE EFFECTIVELY, E-PRESCRIBE MEDICATIONS, AND CONNECT TO REGIONAL HEALTH SYSTEMS. WE ALSO REMAIN LIMITED BY INFRASTRUCTURE—WITHOUT A VEHICLE, WE RELY ON VOLUNTEERS AND A SINGLE STORAGE LOCKER TO SUPPORT CITYWIDE OUTREACH. WE ARE ACTIVELY PURSUING SOLUTIONS TO IMPROVE TRANSPORTATION, INVENTORY, AND SUSTAINABILITY. EVEN AS EXTERNAL FACTORS, SUCH AS CHANGING POLICY ENVIRONMENTS AND RISING RATES OF HOMELESSNESS, INTRODUCE UNCERTAINTY, WE REMAIN COMMITTED TO BUILDING A RESILIENT, RESPONSIVE, AND PERSON-FOCUSED MODEL OF CARE. OUR SMALL BUT MIGHTY TEAM CONTINUES TO WORK TIRELESSLY TO MEET INDIVIDUALS WHERE THEY ARE AND EMPOWER THEM TO ENGAGE WITH HEALTHCARE ON THEIR TERMS.

THANK YOU FOR STANDING WITH US—YOUR SUPPORT FUELS THIS WORK AND BRINGS HOPE TO THOSE WHO NEED IT MOST.

WARMLY,
NATHANIAL NOLAN, M.D., M.P.H.
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR & FOUNDER
STREET MEDICINE ST. LOUIS



KEY ACTIVITIES

MILESTONES ACHIEVED



\$565,762

IN TOTAL DONATIONS RECEIVED



11±

COMMUNITY PARTNERS & STAKEHOLDERS



700±

DOCUMENTED EPISODES OF PATIENT CARE

FREE MEDICAL CARE



1145±

HOURS OF VOLUNTEER PHYSICIAN TIME

316±

UNIQUE PATIENTS SERVED

18

SERVICE SITES

19

VOLUNTEER MEDICAL PROVIDERS

HARM REDUCTION

2080

NALOXONE DOSES DISTRIBUTED

5032

DISEASE REDUCTION & PPE KITS

OUTREACH & ENGAGEMENT

1000±

OUTREACH CONTACTS

5217±

SURVIVAL ITEMS
DISTRIBUTED

15±

OUTREACH VOLUNTEERS

INTERVENTIONS



500

REFERRALS TO
ESSENTIAL SERVICES

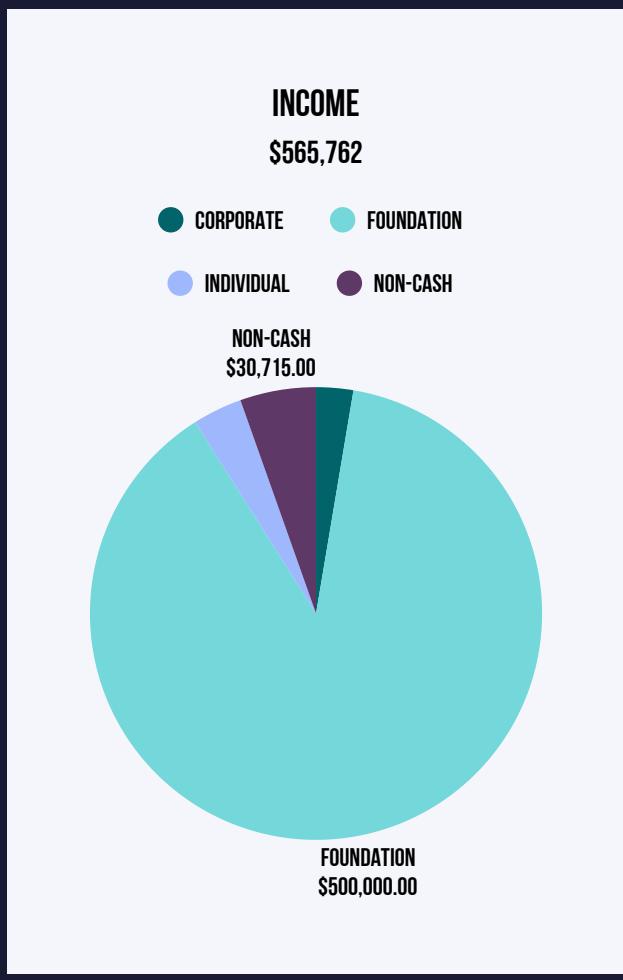
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PREScriptions FOR SUBSTANCE USE
DISORDER MEDICATIONS

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PREScriptions FOR ANTIBIOTICS

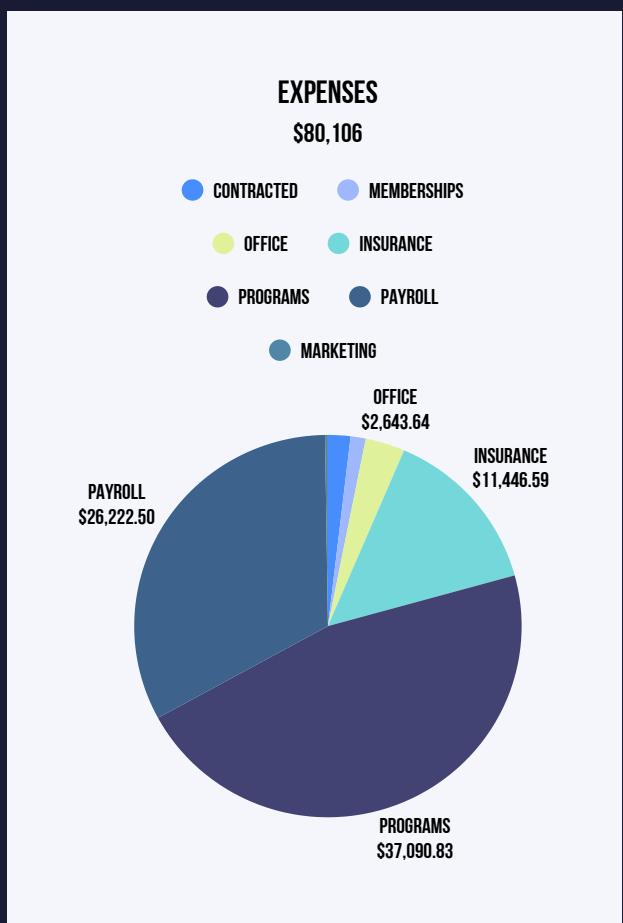
FINANCIAL STABILITY



IN 2024, STREET MEDICINE ST. LOUIS RECEIVED ITS FIRST MAJOR FUNDING BOOST THROUGH AN UNSOLICITED GRANT FROM THE #STARTSMALL FOUNDATION, ESTABLISHED BY ST. LOUIS NATIVE JACK DORSEY. SOON AFTER, WE WERE AWARDED A GRANT FROM THE STATE OPIOID RESPONSE FUND. ALTHOUGH THOSE FUNDS WERE NOT DISTRIBUTED UNTIL 2025 AND ARE THEREFORE NOT REFLECTED IN THIS YEAR'S FIGURES, THE AWARD SIGNALLED STRONG RECOGNITION OF OUR WORK.

THROUGHOUT THE YEAR, GENEROUS CONTRIBUTIONS FROM COMMUNITY MEMBERS SUSTAINED OUR EFFORTS. THESE DONATIONS, ALONG WITH IN-KIND GIFTS OF FOOD, CLOTHING, AND MEDICAL SUPPLIES, DIRECTLY SUPPORTED PATIENT CARE.

WE ARE EQUALLY GRATEFUL FOR THE HUNDREDS OF HOURS CONTRIBUTED BY VOLUNTEERS WHO PROVIDED ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPORT, FUNDRAISING, OUTREACH & LOGISTICAL SUPPORT, AND FREE MEDICAL CARE.

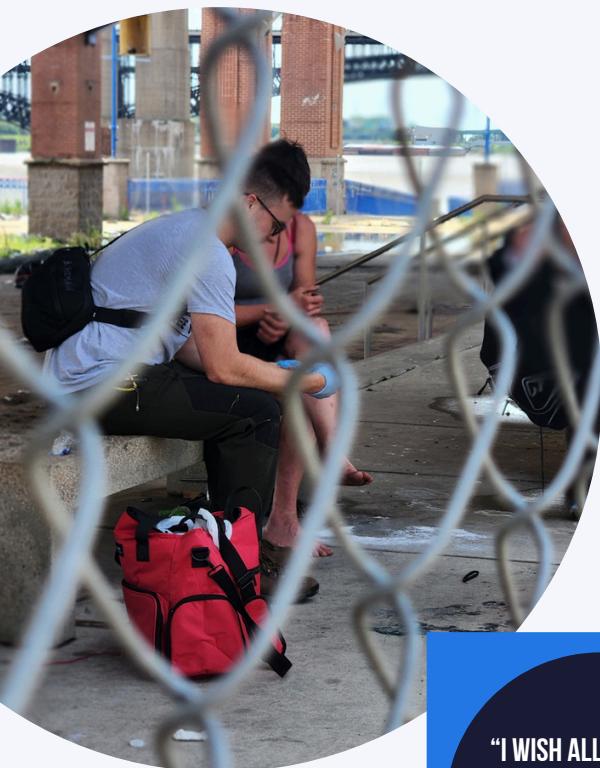


TRANSPARENCY REMAINS CENTRAL TO HOW WE STEWARD EVERY DONATION. THE MAJORITY OF OUR EXPENSES ARE DIRECTLY ALLOCATED TO PROGRAM SUPPLIES, INCLUDING WOUND CARE MATERIALS, MEDICATIONS, AND FOOD. OUR NEXT MOST SIGNIFICANT INVESTMENT IS PEOPLE - THE PAYROLL SUPPORTING OUR PROGRAM DIRECTOR AND PART-TIME WOUND CARE NURSE.

WE ALSO MAINTAIN ESSENTIAL COVERAGE THROUGH LIABILITY AND MALPRACTICE INSURANCE, AS WELL AS MEMBERSHIPS IN PROFESSIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, SUCH AS THE INTERNATIONAL STREET MEDICINE INSTITUTE. WE WORK HARD TO KEEP ADMINISTRATIVE COSTS TO A MINIMUM.

IN SHORT, THE VAST MAJORITY OF OUR FUNDING DIRECTLY SUPPORTS OUR MISSION: PROVIDING COMPASSIONATE, STREET-BASED HEALTHCARE TO THOSE LIVING UNHOUSED.

RELATIONSHIP IS AT THE CORE OF WHAT WE DO



OUR WORK IS GROUNDED IN RELATIONSHIPS AND A TRAUMA-INFORMED APPROACH. EACH WEEK, WE MEET PATIENTS WHERE THEY ARE, MOST OFTEN IN THE PLACES THEY CALL HOME. OUR GOAL IS FOR NO UNHOUSED NEIGHBOR TO FACE THEIR JOURNEY ALONE.

THROUGH THIS GROUND-UP MODEL OF CARE, WE HELP PATIENTS NAVIGATE BARRIERS TO HEALTHCARE, ADDRESS MENTAL HEALTH CONCERNs, MANAGE SUBSTANCE USE DISORDERS AND CHRONIC CONDITIONS, AND CONNECT WITH SOCIAL SERVICES AND COMMUNITY RESOURCES. BY CENTERING TRUST AND CONSISTENCY, WE WALK ALONGSIDE OUR PATIENTS AS PARTNERS IN HEALTH AND HEALING.



SPECIAL THANKS TO OUR EXECUTIVE LEADERSHIP TEAM AND BOARD MEMBERS

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OUR DEDICATED VOLUNTEERS ARE PROVIDING
ESSENTIAL HEALTHCARE SERVICES ROOTED IN
COMPASSION AND A COMMITMENT TO MEET
PEOPLE WHERE THEY ARE.

