1. **Alachua County Organization for Rural Needs, Inc. (ACORN Clinic)**
   23320 North State Road 235, Brooker, FL 32622
   Tele: (352) 485-1133
   Website: [http://acornclinic.org/](http://acornclinic.org/)

   **Category:** Medical  |  **Funding Award:** $84,000

   **Program Name:**
   ACORN Medical Clinic

   **Services:**
   Primary medical care and management of acute and chronic conditions

2. **Alachua County Organization for Rural Needs, Inc. (ACORN Clinic)**
   23320 North State Road 235, Brooker, FL 32622
   Tele: (352) 485-1133
   Website: [http://acornclinic.org/](http://acornclinic.org/)

   **Category:** Dental  |  **Funding Award:** $45,000

   **Program Name:**
   ACORN Dental Clinic

   **Services:**
   Dental care for adults and children. CAPP funds will also be used for 5 – 10 patients to receive restorative (crowns, root canals, etc.) dental services, rather than just urgent care.

3. **Archer Family Health Care (via Alachua County Organization for Rural Needs, Inc., ACORN Clinic)**
   16939 SW 134th Ave., Archer, FL 32618
   Tele: (352) 495-2550
   Website: [http://afhc.nursing.ufl.edu/](http://afhc.nursing.ufl.edu/)

   **Category:** Medical  |  **Funding Award:** $40,000

   **Program Name:**
   Archer Family Health Care

   **Services:**
   Archer Family Health Care is a University of Florida College of Nursing -managed primary care center located in the city of Archer. Services include preventive care, health education and management of acute and chronic illnesses. ACORN Clinic functions as the fiduciary agent and does not provide services at the location.
4. **ARC of Alachua County**  
3303 NW 83rd St., Gainesville, FL 32606  
Tele: (352) 334-4060  
Website: [http://www.arcalachua.org/](http://www.arcalachua.org/)

**Category:** Medical  
**Funding Award:** $20,020

**Program Name:**  
Exercise & Nutrition Initiative Day Program for the Elderly Developmentally Disabled

**Services:**
This day program for older developmentally disabled residents provides appropriate exercises and diet and nutrition education.

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5. **Big Brothers Big Sisters**  
1155 NW 13th St.  
Gainesville, FL. 32601  
Tele: (352) 375-2525  
Website: [http://www.bbbsmidflorida.org/](http://www.bbbsmidflorida.org/)

**Category:** Children’s Education  
**Funding Award:** $24,000

**Program Name:**  
Little Study Hall

**Services:**
Afterschool homework assistance and tutoring for elementary through high school students who are enrolled in the Big Brothers Big Sisters Mentoring Program.

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6. **Boys & Girls Club**  
2700 NW 51st St, Gainesville, FL 32606  
Tele: (352) 372-5342  
Website: [https://www.myboysandgirlsclub.com/](https://www.myboysandgirlsclub.com/)

**Category:** Children’s Education  
**Funding Award:** $31,127

**Program Name:**  
Academic Achievement

**Services:**
Afterschool, summer homework help, academic support and tutoring to youth ages 6 – 18 who attend the Woodland Park, SE Rotary and Northwest Boys & Girls Club sites. *Club membership fees apply.*
7. Bread of the Mighty Food Bank
325 NW 10th Ave., Gainesville, FL
Tele: (352) 336-0839
Website: https://www.breadofthemighty.org/

Category: Food  Funding Award: $75,000

Program Name: HOPE Preserved

Services:
Provides food and basic essentials at very low-cost (18 cents per pound) to organizations that distribute food to the hungry and needy

8. Bread of the Mighty Food Bank
325 NW 10th Ave., Gainesville, FL
Tele: (352) 336-0839
Website: https://www.breadofthemighty.org/

Category: Food  Funding Award: $30,015

Program Name: Gainesville Harvest

Services:
‘Rescues’ already prepared meals and other perishable foods for quick distribution to the hungry and needy

9. Catholic Charities, Gainesville
1701 NE 9th St., Gainesville, FL 32609
Tele: (352)372-0294
Website: http://catholiccharitiesgainesville.org/

Category: Food  Funding Award: $22,000

Program Name: Weekend Hunger Backpack

Services:
Provides food to hungry students and any other minor children in the home on weekends, holidays and school breaks in 15 Alachua County elementary and middle schools
10. Child Advocacy Center
901 NW 8th Ave., Gainesville, FL 32601
Tele: (352)376-9161
Website: www.childadvocacycentergainesville.org

**Category:** Safety for Abused/Neglected Children Case Management  
**Funding Award:** $38,000

**Program Name:**
Reducing Trauma to Abused Children – Case Management

**Services:**
Multi-disciplinary team that participates in forensic interviewing of children suspected of being abused, neglected or traumatized by domestic violence. Child and non-offending family members receive assistance and other service referrals.

11. Child Advocacy Center
901 NW 8th Ave., Gainesville, FL 32601
Tele: (352)376-9161
Website: www.childadvocacycentergainesville.org

**Category:** Safety for Abused/Neglected Children  
**Funding Award:** $38,000

**Program Name:**
Reducing Trauma to Abused Children - Therapy

**Services:**
Therapy and trauma symptom reduction for children who have been abused, neglected or traumatized by domestic violence.

12. Children’s Home Society of Florida
711 NW 1st Street, Gainesville, FL 32601
Tele: (352)334-0955
Website: www.chsfl.org

**Category:** Safety for Abused/Neglected Children  
**Funding Award:** $40,100

**Program Name:**
Family Partners

**Services:**
In-home counseling and case management for families where children have been identified as being at risk for abuse or neglect.
13. Children’s Home Society of Florida  
711 NW 1st Street, Gainesville, FL 32601  
Tele: (352)334-0955  
Website: www.chsfl.org  

**Category:** Safety for Abused/Neglected Children  
**Funding Award:** $35,660  

**Program Name:**  
Family Visitation Center  

**Services:**  
Supervised visitation center for court-ordered clients to visit with their children as part of an overall effort toward family reunification.

14. Early Learning Coalition of Alachua County  
4424 NW 13th St., Gainesville, FL 32609  
Tele: (352)375-4110  
Website: http://elcalachua.org/  

**Category:** Children’s Education  
**Funding Award:** $110,000  

**Program Name:**  
School Readiness for the Working Poor  

**Services:**  
Subsidized educational child care for children of Working Poor parents. Over 2,000 children can be served through this program due to a 16:1 match from federal and state programs. For every dollar that is provided locally, it is matched with sixteen dollars.

15. Easter Seals Florida  
2002 NW 36th Ave., Gainesville, FL 32605  
Tele: (352)377-7708  
Website: http://www.easterseals.com/florida/our-programs/senior-services/altrusa-house.html  

**Category:** Medical  
**Funding Award:** $23,250  

**Program Name:**  
Easter Seals at Altrusa House  

**Services:**  
Day program for adults suffering from brain impairment, including Alzheimer’s Disease. Provides therapeutic care, activities and support for caregivers. 98% of the clients’ caregivers are employed.
16. ElderCare of Alachua County
5701 NW 34th Blvd., Gainesville, FL 32653
Tele: (352)265-9040
Website: http://eldercare.ufhealth.org/

Category: Medical  Funding Award: $25,019

Program Name:
Alzheimer’s Disease Initiative (Al’z Place)

Services:
Medically-based therapeutic day program for individuals diagnosed with Alzheimer’s disease. Clients receive medical monitoring and therapeutic care and activities.

17. ElderCare of Alachua County
5701 NW 34th Blvd., Gainesville, FL 32653
Tele: (352)265-9040
Website: http://eldercare.ufhealth.org/

Category: Food  Funding Award: $71,075

Program Name:
Older Americans Act (Meals-on-Wheels & Congregate Meals for Seniors)

Services:
Homebound seniors aged 60 and above receive a nutritional meal delivered to their home daily, M-F. For non-homebound, low income seniors, there are congregate meal sites throughout the county, where a hot, nutritious lunch is served M-F.

18. Family Promise
229 SW 5th St., Gainesville, FL 32601
Tele: (352)378-2030
Website: http://www.ihngvl.org/

Category: Housing  Funding Award: $27,500

Program Name:
Shelter & Sustainable Independence for Homeless Families

Services:
Provides shelter and assistance with obtaining employment and other services to homeless families with children, with the goal of the family attaining self-sufficiency
19. Friends of the Micanopy Library
706 Cholokka Blvd., Micanopy, FL 32601
Tele: (352)234-5095
Website: http://www.facebook.com/pages/Micanopy-Tutoring/1469573339945859

Category: Children's Education    Funding Award: $15,000

Program Name: Micanopy Tutoring

Services: Year-round afterschool homework help and tutoring for elementary, middle and high school students. This program is one of the highest performing academic afterschool programs.

20. Girls Place
2101 NW 39th Ave., Gainesville, FL 32605
Tele: (352)373-4475
Website: http://www.girlsplace.net

Category: Children's Education    Funding Award: $6,373

Program Name: ACHIEVE

Services: Provides afterschool homework assistance and tutoring (one-one-one when available and small groups) to girls 5 – 18 years of age, with a special focus on reading and math. *Membership fees apply.

21. Junior Achievement of Alachua County
3201 SW 42nd St., Suite 1, Gainesville, FL 32608
Tele: (352)335-4559
Website: http://www.jaalachua.org

Category: Children’s Education    Funding Award: $10,000

Program Name: Fighting Poverty through Education

Services: Offers economic education lessons to elementary, middle and high school students located in the 32641 and 32609 zip codes with the goal of preparing students to eventually enter the workforce and attain financial self-sufficiency.
22. **Kids Count in Alachua County**  
3701 NE 15th St., Gainesville, FL 32609  
Tele: (352)244-9723  
Website: [http://www.kidcountalachuacounty.org](http://www.kidcountalachuacounty.org)  

**Category:** Children’s Education  
**Funding Award:** $10,432  

**Program Name:** Kids Count  
**Services:** Provides one-on-one homework assistance and tutoring to Rawlings Elementary students. Special focus on literacy, math and technology. Tutors are UF College of Education majors.

23. **PACE Center for Girls**  
1010 SE 4th Ave., Gainesville, FL 32601  
Tele: (352)374-8799  
Website: [http://www.pacecenter.org/centers/alachua](http://www.pacecenter.org/centers/alachua)  

**Category:** Children’s Education  
**Funding Award:** $29,500  

**Program Name:** Spirited Girls  
**Services:** 6th – 12th grade students enrolled at PACE Center for Girls participate in activities during the school day that focus on academics, self-esteem, positive decision-making and teen pregnancy prevention.

24. **Peaceful Paths**  
2100 NW 53rd Ave., Gainesville, FL 32653  
Office Tele: (352)377-5690; Hotline: (352)377-8255 or 1-800-500-1119  
Website: [http://www.peacefulpaths.org](http://www.peacefulpaths.org)  

**Category:** Housing  
**Funding Award:** $92,600  

**Program Name:** Emergency Shelter  
**Services:** Provides emergency shelter and case management services to victims of domestic violence.
25. Peaceful Paths  
2100 NW 53rd Ave., Gainesville, FL 32653  
Tele: (352)377-5690  
Website: http://www.peacefulpaths.org

**Category:** Safety for Abused/Neglected/Domestic Violence Children  
**Funding Award:** $48,000

**Program Name:**  
Child & Youth Services

**Services:**  
Intervention services for children and youth exposed to family violence. Also provides prevention education in Alachua County middle and high schools.

26. Planned Parenthood of South, East & North Florida  
914 NW 13th St., Gainesville, FL 32601  
Tele: (352)377-5690  
Website: http://www.ppsenfl.org

**Category:** Medical  
**Funding Award:** $31,317

**Program Name:**  
Teen Time Medical Teen Clinic

**Services:**  
Provides reproductive-related medical examinations, STI testing, counseling and education services to teens

27. Rebuilding Together North Central Florida  
4550 SW 41st Blvd., Gainesville, FL 32608  
Tele: (352)692-4973  
Website: http://www.rebuildingtogetherncf.org

**Category:** Housing  
**Funding Award:** $50,000

**Program Name:**  
Critical Housing Repair

**Services:**  
Repairs sub-standard housing of low-income homeowners (preference given to seniors, veterans and physically disabled), where the health and safety of the occupants are at immediate risk.
28. Reichert House
1704 SE 2nd Ave., Gainesville, FL 32641
Tele: (352)334-2321
Website: http://www.reicherthouse.org

Category: Children’s Education Funding Award: $19,500

Program Name:
Tutorial Assistance

Services:
Afterschool homework assistance and tutoring

29. St. Francis House
413 S. Main St., Gainesville, FL 32601
Tele: (352)378-9079
Website: http://www.reicherthouse.org

Category: Food Funding Award: $23,969

Program Name:
Food Distribution

Services:
Provides three meals a day to residents of the emergency shelter and one lunch meal per day to the general public

30. Three Rivers Legal Services
901 NW 8th Ave., Suite D-5, Gainesville, FL 32601
Tele: (352)372-0519
Website: http://www.trls.org

Category: Housing Funding Award: $20,000

Program Name:
Housing Preservation Legal

Services:
Assists low-income elderly and families with children to obtain or maintain housing where legal assistance is called for
31. YMCA North Central Florida  
5201 NW 34th Blvd., Gainesville, FL  32605  
Tele: (352)374-9622  
Website: http://www.ncfymca.org  

Category: Children’s Education  
Funding Award: $30,000

Program Name:  
Y READS!

Services:  
Structured and supervised activities focused on improving literacy/reading skills in 1st – 3rd graders. Each child is assigned his/her own reading mentor

32. YOPP  
6814 NW 43rd Place, Gainesville, FL  32606  
Tele: (352)339-6674  
Website: http://www.yoppinc.com  

Category: Children’s Education  
Funding Award: $21,765

Program Name:  
Yopportunity Tutoring

Services:  
One-on-one homework assistance and tutoring for elementary, middle and high school students. Sessions are held at the Rosa B. Williams Recreation Center.

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**Note:** FPL = 'Federal Poverty Level'

33. Archer Family Health Care (Alachua County Organization for Rural Needs, Inc., ACORN Clinic)  
16939 SW 134th Ave  
Archer, FL, 32618  
Tele: (352) 495-2550  
Website: http://acornclinic.org/  

Category: Medical  
Funding Award: $61, 625
Program Name:
Health Prevention, Promotion, and Education (HPPE)

Services:
Archer Family Health Care Clinic is operated by the University of Florida’s College of Nursing and is located in the city of Archer. Nurses provide treatment and education to underserved residents in that area. Services include management of acute and chronic illness, preventive care and health education. ACORN Clinic contracts with Archer Family Health Care to provide these services.

2. Alachua County Organization for Rural Needs, Inc. (ACORN Clinic)
23320 North State Road 235, Brooker, FL 32622
Tele: (352) 485-1133
Website: http://acornclinic.org/

Category: Dental Care for Seniors Funding Award: $30,000

Program Name:
Saving Smiles

Services:
Comprehensive dental services for residents age 60 and over and at or below 100% FPL. Patients pay a co-pay of $10 (ten dollars) per visit. The Clinic will provide up to $1,500 in services, with an extra $1,000 allowable for dental prostheses, such as dentures, bridges, implants and crowns.
3. Alachua County Organization for Rural Needs, Inc. (ACORN Clinic)
23320 North State Road 235, Brooker, FL 32622
Tele: (352) 485-1133
Website:  http://acornclinic.org/

Category: Medical  Funding Award: $35,635

Program Name: Staying Healthy

Services:
Chronic disease management and education. Patients are Alachua County residents who are at or below 200% FPL who are having difficulty managing their chronic health condition, such as high blood pressure and/or diabetes. Each patient’s chronic condition is treated and patients are also educated about their conditions. A software program that assists low-literacy patients maintain their medication routine is utilized.

4. Florida Department of Health- Alachua County
224 SE 18th Street, Gainesville, FL 32641
Tele: (352) 334-7900
Website:  http://alachua.floridahealth.gov/

Category: Medical  Funding Award: $36,986

Program Name: Chronic Disease Management (CDMP)

Services:
In the absence of federal Low Income Pool (LIP) funding, this funding continues the Chronic Disease Management Program (CDMP). The CDMP offers free, comprehensive chronic disease management to uninsured and underinsured residents of Alachua County through two components: (1) Individual Chronic Disease Management and (2) Community Chronic Disease Management Classes.
5. Florida Department of Health- Alachua County
224 SE 18th Street, Gainesville, FL 32641
Tele: (352) 334-7900
Website:  http://alachua.floridahealth.gov/

Category: Dental  Funding Award: $52,500

Program Name: We Care Physician Referral Network

Services:
The We Care Physician Referral Network (WCN) provides dental care services to eligible residents through a network of volunteer dentists.

6. Florida Department of Health- Alachua County
224 SE 18th Street, Gainesville, FL 32641
Tele: (352) 334-7900
Website:  http://alachua.floridahealth.gov/

Category: Medical  Funding Award: $56,250

Program Name: We Care Physician Referral Network

Services:
The We Care Physician Referral Network (WCN) provides medical care services to eligible residents through a network of volunteer physicians, hospitals and ancillary care providers.
7. Helping Hands, Inc.
509 NE 1st Street, Gainesville, FL 32601
Tele: (352) 519-5542
Website: http://hhcg.org/
Category: Medical         Funding Award: $50,636

Program Name:
Healthcare for the Homeless & Uninsured Low Income

Services:
Provides medical care for the homeless and uninsured low income. The services offered on site and through coordinated referrals include primary care, medications and tests, and referral to specialty care, oral health and vision services.

8. Helping Hands Inc.
509 NE 1st Street, Gainesville, FL 32601
Tele: (352) 519-5542
Website: http://hhcg.org/
Category: Mental Health  Funding Award: $24,940

Program Name:
Mental & Behavioral Healthcare for Homeless & Uninsured Low Income

Services:
Mental and behavioral health care for the homeless and uninsured. The program also includes prescribed psychotropic medications.
9. University of Florida
1600 SW Archer Road Medical Sciences Building Suite NG-3, Gainesville, FL 32610
Tele: (352) 262-0162
Website: http://outreach.med.ufl.edu/

Category: Medical  Funding Award: $116,428

Program Name:
Mobile Outreach Clinic

Services:
The Mobile Outreach Clinic is a medically-outfitted bus that travels to various sites near Alachua County neighborhoods/communities where transportation to health care is a barrier. Primary and urgent medical care is provided. Call or visit the website for the Mobile Clinic’s schedule of sites, days and hours at each location.