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Equity in aging: What it means to community

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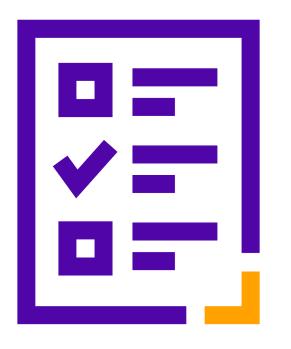


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Our plan for this session



- Introductions
- Point32Health Foundation overview
- Focus and guiding principles
- Examples of equity in aging
- Process for getting funding
- Q&A + survey



Poll #1

What brought you here today?

Our team



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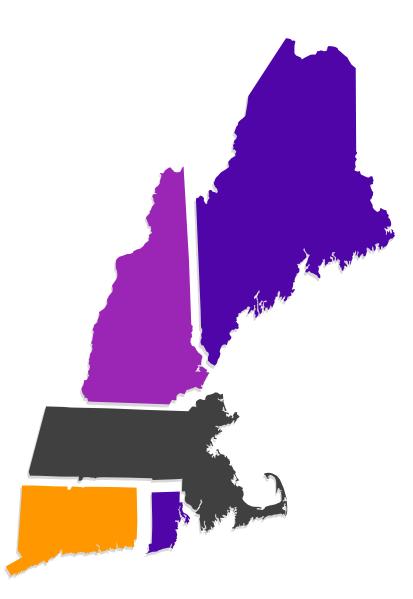


Kristin Lewis Executive Vice President and Chief Public and Community Affairs Officer

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Point32Health Foundation

- Combined Harvard Pilgrim Health Care and Tufts Health Plan Foundations in 2022
- Where we are in our transition
- Equity in aging beginning in 2025



Community informed our process

Address systemic racism

Center community in decisions and activities

Continue roles beyond funder

Implement trustbased strategies

Address root causes of inequities

Foundation focus beginning in 2025

North star

Communities thrive, are great places to grow up and grow old, and everyone experiences equitable health outcomes.

Mission

Together with community, we advance equity in aging.

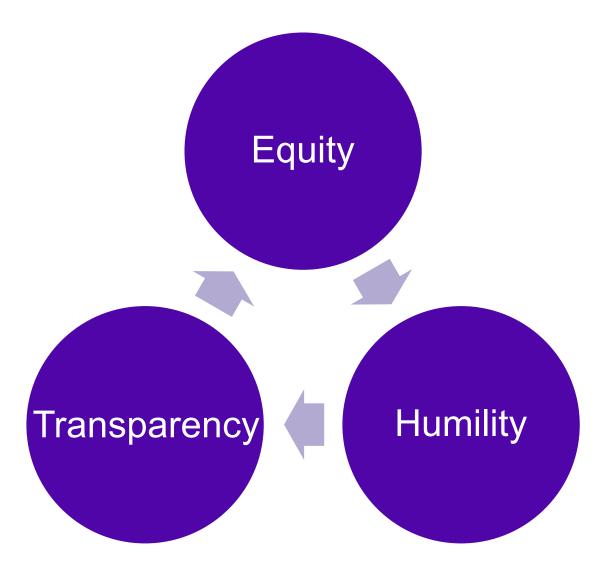


Community inequities accumulate over time and create health disparities.



Principles of grantmaking

Relationships based on



Equity in aging

Social and racial justice grants invest in community power and advance solutions promoting healthier communities



Organizing, policy, advocacy and systems change grants support work to change conditions affecting older people

Addressing social and racial justice issues improves outcomes for everyone as we age. We are investing for today and tomorrow.

Equity in aging

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Social and racial justice

- Supporting and learning from current grantees working for, by and about diverse communities
- Existing grants to organizations advancing social and racial justice working with people of all ages
- Limited new funds in 2025

Current social and racial justice grantee examples



Equity in aging

Social and racial justice grants invest in community power and advance solutions promoting healthier communities Organizing, policy, advocacy and systems change grants support work to change conditions affecting older people in these areas:

- Access to nutritious, affordable food
- Caregiver support
- Civic engagement and social connection
- Community approaches to improved mental health
- Housing
- Transportation

2025 grantmaking

- Equity in aging
- Multi-year investments
- Organizing, advocacy, policy and systems change advancing equity for older people

Definitions

SYSTEMS CHANGE

- Multi-faceted efforts to alter the status quo by shifting the function/structure of an identified system
- Features purposeful interventions
- Requires persuasion and advocacy to change mindsets
- Impacts policies, routines, relationships, resources, power structures and values

Definitions

ORGANIZING

 Deliberate community actions and strategies that build engagement in all processes and promote local community interests

ADVOCACY

- Community-led strategies intended to change policies, regulations, systems
 POLICY
- Administrative and legislative solutions prioritized by community that include diverse people with relevant lived experience informing the issues



Equity in aging grantee examples



Samantha Hamilton

Director of Coalition Building and Community Engagement Public Health Institute of Western Massachusetts Springfield, Mass.



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Executive Director Healthy Peninsula Blue Hill, Maine



Grantmaking logistics

2024 grantmaking

- Transition grants
- Multi-year, general operating support for organizations in equity in aging focus
- Funds have been allocated

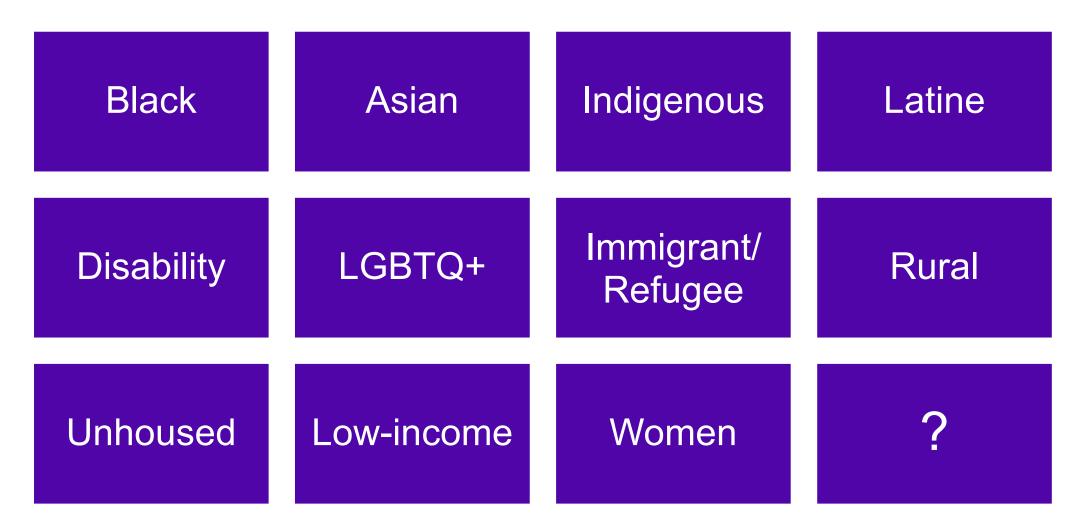
2025 grantmaking process

- Inquiry form on our website
- We will respond within 3 weeks
- Grants \$100k+ go to the board twice a year
 - June and December
- Staff authority grants
 - Throughout the year

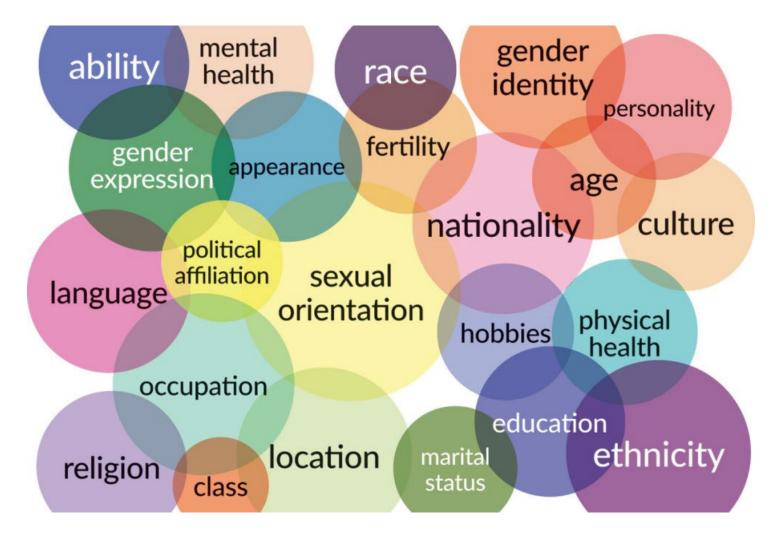
We will support organizations that

- Work on community-based interventions
- Engage in initiatives with the potential to dismantle racist systems
- Work in communities historically disinvested—especially people of color and others experiencing systemic barriers—and connected to the people they serve
- Use disruptive approaches to influence systems beyond individual organizations
- Collaborate to expand impact
- Show promise; they may be unproven—and take risk

Historically disinvested communities



Intersectionality



We do not fund

- Research (except healthy aging data reports)
- Underwriting of medical expenses
- Initiatives addressing specific diseases
- Capital projects and/or equipment
- Development activities, such as fundraising events, capital campaigns, or annual fund drives



Poll #2

Based on what you've heard, where does your organization fit?

Key take-aways

- Primary focus in 2025: equity in aging
- Social and racial justice
- Organizations doing organizing, policy, advocacy and systems change affecting older people.
- Continuing to listen and learn
- Strengthening trust-based philanthropy practices

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Questions



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