



“Donor investment in Providence strengthens our ability to improve the health of our nation, providing services and programs that positively impact the lives of millions of people in our care by helping them heal and live well.”
— Rod Hochman M.D., President & CEO, Providence



Philanthropy powers progress at Providence.

Philanthropic contributions power meaningful and significant progress for Providence, helping provide access to world-class health care and innovative advances that extend beyond our health system to positively address some of our nation’s most complex and systemic health issues.

Philanthropy helps fund innovation and technology, equipment, facilities, programs and research, allowing our caregivers to deliver the same high level of care to patients in every community we serve across seven states, from rural areas to large cities.

Providence donors share our vision to create health for a better world and provide care that values and nurtures every person—creating health, hope and healing for people in need, especially those who are most vulnerable. Together, we are working to solve some of the most important health challenges of our time.

A few philanthropic initiatives to improve the health of people and communities include:

- Shifting the traditional transactional health care model to person-centered care by understanding each patient’s values, preferences and priorities to deliver a more personalized patient journey
- Using data and technology to make a transformational impact on the future of health care by identifying and addressing some of the most complex problems in health care, including telehealth, genome sequencing, data mapping and scientific investigation

- Leveraging clinical expertise and research to ensure our clinical institutes in all regions have access to world-class centers of excellence to make quality health services accessible in every community we serve
- Working to help remove causes of oppression by treating the social determinants of health—including housing, mental health, substance misuse and emotional and physical abuse—as integral to creating the highest level of health for all people
- Promoting greater equity by reducing disparities in health care to ensure people of all backgrounds, cultures and identities have access to and receive the best, most comprehensive care possible
- Improving our operating practices to become carbon negative by 2030 by mitigating the environmental impacts of our operations in the communities we serve
- Ensuring our caregivers (employees) are supported and provided with the best possible training and work environment, and addressing the critical need for more nurses and other primary caregivers

Providence 2021 philanthropy at-a-glance:

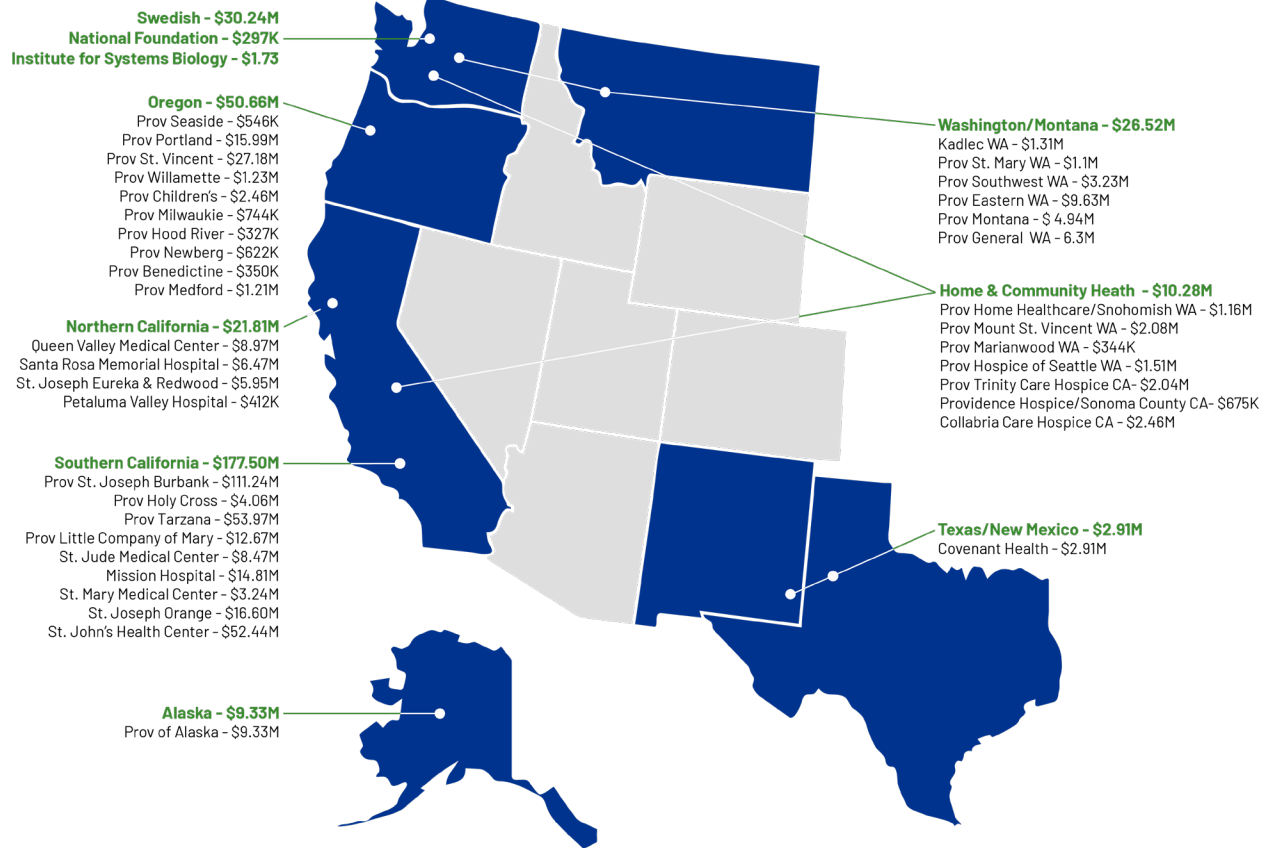


40+ FOUNDATIONS | 53K+ DONORS | 46 DONATIONS OF \$1M+

Providence’s family of 40+ foundations across [Alaska, California, Montana, New Mexico, Oregon, Texas and Washington](#) inspired more than 53,000 donors in 2021 and raised more than \$331 million in critical funding, helping advance care in the communities we serve. Donations ranged from \$1 to \$50M. More than \$1 billion has been raised in the past three years—with nearly 80% of all cancer research funded by philanthropy.

Our local and regional foundations are complemented by [Providence National Foundation](#) and the [Institute for Systems Biology](#), both of which go beyond state borders. This approach to philanthropy ensures we are responsive to local needs while also addressing some of our nation’s most complex and systemic health issues at scale.

2021 marked a record year for Providence philanthropy, totaling more than \$331 million.



A few examples of recent philanthropy-supported advances:

- ALASKA: Providence Alaska House for Ailing Elders who are Experiencing Homelessness
- CALIFORNIA: [A Contemplative, Healing Space Created for Families and Caregivers](#)
- CALIFORNIA: [New Patient Tower with Expanded Emergency Services Planned](#)
- MONTANA: [Advanced Diagnostic Technology for Cardiac Patients](#)
- OREGON: [Advancing Cancer Treatment with Genomic-Science Breakthroughs](#)
- OREGON: [New Heart Transplant Program](#) receives CMS-certification
- NEW MEXICO: [New Hospital Breaks Ground Offering Convenient Care for the Community](#)
- TEXAS: [One-of-a-kind Pediatric Ambulance for Covenant Children's Hospital](#)
- WASHINGTON: [Washington's First Behavioral Health Urgent Care \(BHUC\) Opens](#)



2021 Highlights:
Philanthropy Reaches
New Heights



Read our [2021 Highlights: Philanthropy Reaches New Heights](#) report to learn about some of the ways generous donors are making new progress possible.

“The Sisters of Providence and the Sisters of St. Joseph were our first fundraisers. The legacy of the Sisters in seeking community support to help provide exceptional care has stayed with us and motivates us today.”

– Laurie Kelley, SVP, Chief Philanthropy Officer, Providence



Philanthropy is our legacy and our future.

In 1856, Mother Joseph and four Sisters of Providence began their charitable work, establishing hospitals, schools, and orphanages across the Pacific Northwest to provide much-needed care for those who are poor and vulnerable. Some 50 years later, a small group of Sisters of St. Joseph arrived in California and began listening to the needs of the immigrants and refugees they met. They inspired financial support from the community to begin offering education and health care services.

Sharing a common legacy, Providence and St. Joseph Health came together in 2016, and our Providence family continues to grow, now comprising 52 hospitals and 1,085 clinics with 120,000 caregivers. Connected by our values of compassion, dignity, justice, excellence and integrity—and the founding commitment of our Sisters—caring for those who are most vulnerable continues to be at the very heart of our philanthropic work.

[Learn more about Providence’s 40+ foundations](#) | [Learn more about Providence National Foundation](#)



If you are interested in becoming a part of our vital work to create health for a better world by investing in our communities to ensure everyone receives care that values and nurtures them, helping them heal and live well, please reach out to Laurie Kelley, Providence Chief Philanthropy Officer, at Laurie.Kelley@Providence.org.

Thank you for your interest.