

Delta Dental Community Care Foundation

2021 Delaware Giving

In 2021, the Delta Dental Community Care Foundation granted \$30,000 within the state of Delaware.

The Foundation partnered with local community organizations to increase access to care, support dental education, fund research that advances the oral health field and respond to disasters or other community needs as they arose.

Delaware Partner Spotlight

The Ministry of Caring is dedicated to serving low-income and homeless individuals and families in Wilmington, Delaware. The Ministry has evolved into a comprehensive human services agency providing hunger relief, emergency shelter, transitional and supportive housing, job training, childcare, medical and dental services and case management. The Ministry's 20 programs in 34 locations support individuals and families as they move from poverty to self-sufficiency. The efforts of the Ministry touch the lives of more than 20,000 Delawareans annually.



Since 2011, the Foundation, the philanthropic arm of Delta Dental of California, has awarded more than \$80 million across 15 states and the District of Columbia in the form of:

Access to care grants are awarded to organizations working to increase access to quality dental care for underserved children, seniors and adults.

Education and research grants provide funding for oral health research and scholarships for students pursuing the dental profession.

Community Giving grants support local nonprofits, including organizations promoting social justice, chronic disease and disaster relief.

Delaware organizations the Foundation supported in 2021:

Ministry of Caring Inc.

Wilmington

Food Bank of Delaware

Newark