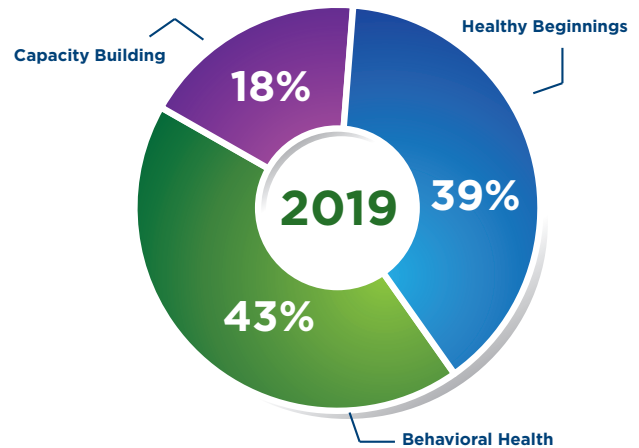


**2019** **\$1,539,200** total invested in the community  
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**15 new grants awarded**

with an average grant size of

**\$60,947**



**\$9.87 MILLION** invested in our community through 85 grants since inception in 2013

## Capacity Building

The Foundation is perpetually working to forge relationships with strong partners to understand and tackle the community's needs. Providing support for partners in the nonprofit sector ensures that funded programs will succeed within highly-effective, sustainable organizations.

In 2019, the Foundation:

- Collaborated with the Guilford Nonprofit Consortium and other local philanthropic partners by providing educational opportunities to assist nonprofit organizations in effective grant seeking.
- Partnered with seven other North Carolina foundations to support the development of future nonprofit professionals through the Nonprofit Internship Program.
- Supported local nonprofits in attending the NC Center for Nonprofits Annual Meeting.
- Invested in two complementary phases of a capacity building program to support the strengthening of nonprofit organizations.

- Phase I: Over a period of six months, six nonprofit leaders deepened their understanding of critical topics such as strategic planning and information technology. These leaders also deepened their relationships with one another, contributing to the creation of a stronger nonprofit community.
- Phase II: Teams at three nonprofit organizations worked with an organizational development coach to identify strategies for impactful change around critical issues facing the organization. Uniting the concepts of design thinking and action learning was an innovation that prepared the nonprofits to address future organizational challenges.



## Our Initiatives

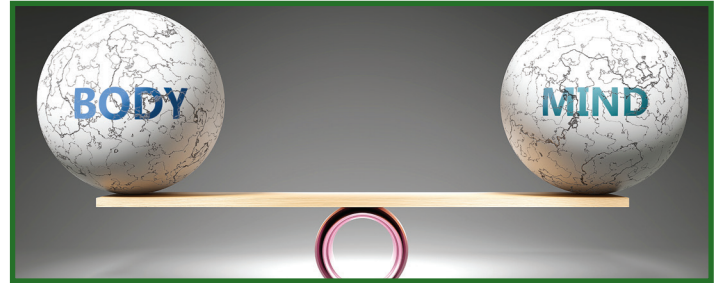


### Healthy Beginnings

*Healthy Beginnings*, the Foundation's first strategic initiative, strengthens families by promoting health and wellness during a child's first years of life.

The Healthy Beginnings Initiative aims to:

- Prevent unintended adolescent pregnancy
- Promote healthy pregnancy & delivery
- Ensure optimal early childhood development



### Healthy Minds

*Healthy Minds*, a developing initiative, aspires to build a system of care in the community that supports strong mental and behavioral health.

The Healthy Minds Initiative aims to:

- Strengthen the capacity of behavioral health providers
- Increase collaboration among behavioral health providers
- Improve access to behavioral health services
- Build resilience among youth and families

## Connections

The Foundation engaged with the High Point community through shared dialogue, skill-building, and listening. In addition to the quarterly **Healthy Beginnings Convenings** and the **Annual Grantee Luncheon**, the Foundation hosted group gatherings around focused topics and new initiatives, consulted one-on-one with partners, and hosted community events.

## New Faces, New Roles

The Foundation welcomed Board Members Kay Miller, Jeremy Moseley, and Rev. Frank Thomas, and Program Officer Whitney Davis.

The Foundation expressed great appreciation to Jim Keever as he concluded his term as Board Chair, having served in this important role since the Foundation's inception. Newly elected Board Chair Leah Price began her role as Chair in early 2020.

## Our 2020 Vision

As the Foundation moves into 2020, it seeks knowledge, best practices, and partnerships to further strengthen the High Point community. The Foundation anticipates:

- Continued investment in the Healthy Beginnings Initiative
- Implementing its Healthy Minds Initiative
- Ongoing support for nonprofit capacity building

## Partnerships

The Foundation forged new partnerships with the following organizations:

- The Foundation for Health Leadership & Innovation and its Center of Excellence for Integrated Care, which assists local health systems in integrating physical and behavioral health care services.
- The Triad Funders Capacity Building Collaborative, which works to combine resources for the purpose of strengthening nonprofit organizations that serve the larger community.

The Foundation remains active in local and statewide partnerships, including:

- Guilford County Community Indicators Project
- Guilford Nonprofit Consortium
- Invest Early NC Funders Collaborative
- Nonprofit Internship Program
- Ready for School, Ready for Life



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