



Community Partnerships: Increasing Access to Vaccines and Testing

Neighborhood Health engaged with over 150 community partners to make sure COVID vaccines and home test kits were available to all. Partner organizations referred tens of thousands of people for vaccines, hosted vaccine clinics, invited our communications team to present to their clients, put up flyers, provided incentives to encourage vaccine uptake, and distributed thousands of at-home test kits.



COMMUNITY BASED ORGANIZATIONS

- Alexandria YMCA ★
- Arlington Blvd. Community Development Org ▶ ★
- Arlington Food Assistance Center (AFAC) ▶ ■
- Arlington Heights Civic Association ▶
- Arlington Schools Hispanic Parents Association (ASHPA) ▶
- Asian American Community Center ▶
- Boat People SOS ▶ ◆ ■
- Bridges to Independence ▶ ■
- Buddhist Tzu Chi Foundation ▶
- BU-GATA ▶
- Casa Chirilagua ▶ ■
- Chinese American Community Health Services ▶
- Clarendon House ▶
- Court-Appointed Special Advocate (CASA) ▶
- Culmore Clinic ▶ ★ ■
- Doorways ▶ ■
- Emerson Community Clinic ▶
- ENDependence Center of Northern Virginia, Inc. (ECNV) ■
- Enroll-Virginia/Legal Services of NOVA ▶
- Enterprise Community Development ▶
- Ethiopian Community Development Council ▶ ◆ ■
- Friends of Guest House ▶ ■
- Gum Springs Civic Association ▶ ★
- HACAN - Hispanics Against Child Abuse & Neglect ▶
- Justice for All ▶
- La Cocina VA ▶
- Legal Aid Justice Center ▶ ■
- Lorton Community Action Center ▶ ■
- LULAC Council 4609 ▶
- Lutheran Social Services ■
- Medical Care for Children Program (MCCP) ▶
- Nepal America Society ▶
- Nepali American Community Clinic ▶
- New Gum Springs Civic Association ▶ ★
- Northern Virginia Dental Clinic ■
- Northern Virginia Family Service ▶
- NovaSalud, Inc. ▶ ■
- Offenders Aid & Restoration (OAR) ▶ ■
- PathForward (formerly A-SPAN) ▶ ■



At the time we began the clinic at Alfred Street, we were aware of numerous barriers to vaccination in our congregation and in our local community. Some of our members were skeptical, and even fearful about getting the vaccine. Others in our community faced obstacles regarding transportation or language barriers. This partnership showcased the best of great unions: a shared mission, people committed to that vision, with hearts to serve some of our most vulnerable citizens. It was a personal highlight of my career, and a mountaintop experience in the history of Alfred Street Baptist Church.

– Lolita Youmans, Church Administrator, Alfred Street Baptist Church



- Second Story ▶
- Senior Services of Alexandria ◆
- Shirlington Employment and Education Center ▶ ■
- Silver Light Seniors Association ▶
- Tenants and Workers United ▶ ◆ ■
- Together We Bake ▶ ◆
- United Community ▶ ★ ◆ ■
- Virginia Coalition of Latino Organizations (VACOLA) ▶
- Virginia Hospital Center Pediatrics ▶

PARTNERSHIP EFFORTS

- ▶ Recruited People for Vaccines
- ★ Hosted Pop-Ups/Mobile Clinics
- ◆ Hosted Vaccine Clinics
- ◆ Collaborated on Vaccine Clinics
- Distributed At-Home Self-Test Kits
- ◆ Funded Work
- ◆ Hosted Outreach Staff for Education Session

EDUCATION

- Annandale Child Development Center ■
- aspire! Afterschool Learning ▶ ■
- Braddock Elementary School ▶
- Campagna Center ▶ ★
- City of Alexandria Family Day Home Providers ■
- Creative Play School ▶
- Edu-Futuro ▶
- Groveton Elementary School ▶ ★
- Head Start- Fairfax County ▶ ❖
- Higher Horizons South County ■
- Hopkins House ▶ ■
- Jefferson Houston K-8 School ▶ ★
- Mount Vernon High School ▶ ★
- Parklawn Elementary School ▶
- The Child and Family Network Centers ▶

FAITH PARTNERS

- Alfred Street Baptist Church ▶ ❖ ❖ ■
- ALIVE! ▶ ★ ■
- Annandale United Methodist Church ▶ ★ ■
- Bangladesh Islamic Center ▶
- Bethlehem Baptist Church of Alexandria ▶ ★ ■
- Catholic Charities of the Diocese of Arlington ▶ ■
- Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints ▶
- Clarendon Presbyterian Church ▶
- Columbia Baptist Church (Culmore) ▶ ★ ■
- Culmore United Methodist Church ▶
- Dar Al-Hijrah Islamic Center ▶ ★ ■
- Debre Medhanit Eyesus Ethiopian Orthodox Church ▶
- First AME Church of Alexandria (F.A.M.E.) ■
- First Baptist Church of Merrifield ▶
- First Christian Church of Falls Church ▶ ★ ■
- Good Shepherd Catholic Church ▶
- Greenbrier Baptist Church ▶ ★ ■
- Groveton Baptist Church ▶ ★
- Harvest Chinese Christian Church ▶
- ICNARelief/Muslims for Humanity ■
- Iglesia Santa Maria ▶
- Kidist Selassie Ethiopian Orthodox Church ▶ ★
- Kingdom Fellowship Church ▶
- Light of the World Church ▶
- Macedonia Baptist Church ▶ ❖
- McLean Bible Church ▶
- Mount Zion Baptist Church ▶
- My Father's House Christian Church ▶
- Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Church ▶
- Ressurrection Church ▶
- Rising Hope United Methodist Church ■
- Salvation Army Arlington ▶ ★
- St Charles Catholic Church ▶
- St Joseph Catholic Church ▶ ★

- St Mark's Lutheran Church ▶
- St Teklehaimanot Ethiopian Church ▶ ❖
- The Church at Clarendon ▶
- Unitarian Universalist Church of Arlington ▶
- Vienna Presbyterian Church ▶ ★
- Virginia Theological Seminary ❖

HOUSING

- AHC, Inc. ▶ ★ ■
- Alexandria Housing Development Corporation ▶ ★
- Alexandria Redevelopment & Housing Authority (ARHA) ▶ ★
- Arlington Partnership for Affordable Housing (APAH) ▶ ★ ■
- Audubon Estates ▶ ★ ■
- Community Lodgings ▶ ★ ■
- Creekside Village Apartments ▶ ★
- FACETS ▶
- Fairmont Gardens ▶ ★
- Gates of Ballston ▶ ★
- Ladrey Senior High Rise Apartments ▶ ★
- Lerner Morningside Properties ▶ ★ ■
- Mason at Van Dorn ▶
- Oakview Garden Apartments ▶ ★
- Sacramento Neighborhood ▶ ★
- Stony Brook Apartments ▶ ★
- The Pavillion at Mark Center ▶ ★
- Wesley Housing ▶ ★ ■
- Woodlawn Apartments ▶ ★

LOCAL GOVERNMENT

- Alexandria Department of Community & Human Services ▶
- Alexandria Department of Recreation, Parks & Cultural Activities ▶
- Alexandria Health Department ▶
- Arlington County Behavioral Health Department ▶
- Arlington Department of Human Services ▶ ❖
- Bailey's Community Center ▶ ❖
- City of Alexandria Community Outreach ▶
- City of Alexandria Community Services Board ■
- City of Alexandria Community Shelter ■
- City of Alexandria Domestic Violence Shelter ■
- City of Alexandria Opioid Treatment Program ■
- Culmore/Springfield Resource Center ▶ ★ ■
- Fairfax County Community Services Board ▶
- Fairfax County Health Department ▶ ❖
- Fairfax County Neighborhood & Community Services ▶
- Fairfax County School Readiness Team ▶
- Gum Springs Community Center ▶ ★
- James Lee Community Center ▶
- Leonard "Chick" Armstrong Rec Center ▶ ★
- William Ramsay Rec Center ▶ ★
- Woodrow Wilson Library ▶ ★



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OTHER PARTNERS

- Aetna Better Health of Virginia ▶ ❖
- Anthem HealthKeepers Plus ▶ ❖
- Consular Section of the Embassy of Mexico ▶
- Consulate of Colombia ▶
- Consulate of Guatemala ▶
- Consulate of Honduras ▶
- Expobol Bolivian Festival ▶ ★
- Knights of Columbus ❖
- Magellan Complete Care of Virginia ▶ ❖
- United Way of the National Capital Area ❖ ❖

Neighborhood Health has made every effort to include all partners who collaborated in any way with us in our COVID-19 efforts.

If an error or omission has been made we apologize. To let us know, please contact us through jkrops@nhva.org.