Mayo Clinic is a nonprofit organization committed to improving the quality of life, health and well-being of the communities it serves. The organization builds and sustains relationships while investing in the communities where its patients and staff live and work and where the most unmet health needs exist.

In Arizona, Mayo Clinic contributes to the efforts that align with the priorities identified in the Community Health Needs Assessments in Maricopa County. These include access to care, cancer care and social determinants of health (homelessness).

In 2023, Mayo Clinic in Arizona awarded over $2.3 million to 56 organizations.

COMMUNITY INVESTMENTS
Mayo Clinic in Arizona is proud to invest in local initiatives in the communities it serves, including:

- The American Cancer Society
- The Coalition of Blacks Against Cancer
- American Heart Association Phoenix
- The Scottsdale Juneteenth Celebration Initiative
**COMMUNITY PARTNERSHIPS**

Mayo Clinic in Arizona is proud to work with regional organizations to address needs and further equity, diversity and inclusion. Mayo Clinic in Arizona collaborates to develop and implement programs and participates in activities that improve community health and address social determinants of health. Community partners include federally qualified health centers, community-based organizations, communities of faith, and governmental and civic groups.

**Adelante Healthcare**

Mayo Clinic in Arizona granted $500,000 to Adelante Healthcare, a federally qualified health center to support care to uninsured and underinsured patients. Adelante offers family medicine, pediatrics, women’s healthcare, dental and behavioral health. Mayo Clinic in Arizona provided $221,162 of care to 6 patients referred to Mayo Clinic for breast cancer care as part of charitable healthcare.

**Juneteenth Celebration**

Mayo Clinic in Arizona was a premier sponsor of the 2023 Juneteenth celebration in Scottsdale, Arizona. Mayo Clinic breast cancer physician leaders, breast cancer patients and community members shared their experiences and spoke at the event about healthcare outcomes and disparities. The event attracted more than 2,000 people from the greater Phoenix metropolitan area.

**Free Bikes 4 Kidz**

Mayo Clinic in Arizona started a partnership with Free Bikes 4 Kidz with the goal of furnishing bikes to kids in-need, providing a pathway to health, happiness and opportunity. Through the partnership, 535 donated bicycles were restored and given away to hundreds of underserved children across the Valley and Four Corners region. In addition to providing volunteer support, Mayo Clinic in Arizona purchased 252 helmets to donate.

**KEY INVESTMENTS**

Circle the City received $1 million to support construction of its third respite center in the East Valley. Circle the City provides medical care to men, women, and children experiencing homelessness in Maricopa County.

$400,000 was granted to The Society of St. Vincent de Paul, a nonprofit that provides comprehensive services to individuals and families experiencing homelessness. Services include housing, shelter, medical and dental care, clothing and food.

$100,000 was provided to the American Cancer Society to provide cancer educational outreach and health services to families and individuals affected by a diagnosis of cancer, as well as to support and invest in biomedical cancer research.

Another key investment for Mayo Clinic in Arizona that contributes toward an equitable outcome for minority populations was nearly $105K to the Coalition of Blacks Against Cancer (CBAC). Mayo Clinic funds a part-time employee whose role is to support varying aspects of CBAC community outreach. The part-time Coordinator manages all aspects of programming for CBAC. Mayo Clinic faculty and staff provide 80% of their monthly educational content at the monthly survivor meetings. Two Mayo Clinic staff members founded the organization — a professor of radiation oncology and a partnering Mayo Clinic health care administrator.

**COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT**

Mayo Clinic in Arizona is involved in the community in various ways. A Community Advisory Board continues to serve as a sounding board, to gain insight and input on research, clinical practice, education and health equity initiatives.

The board is composed of the following:

- Five federally qualified health centers.
- Community-based organizations.
- Eight communities of faith.
- Maricopa County Public Health.
- Three community-based hospitals.
- Specialty health care-based organizations.
- Arizona Health Equity Community Advisory Board.