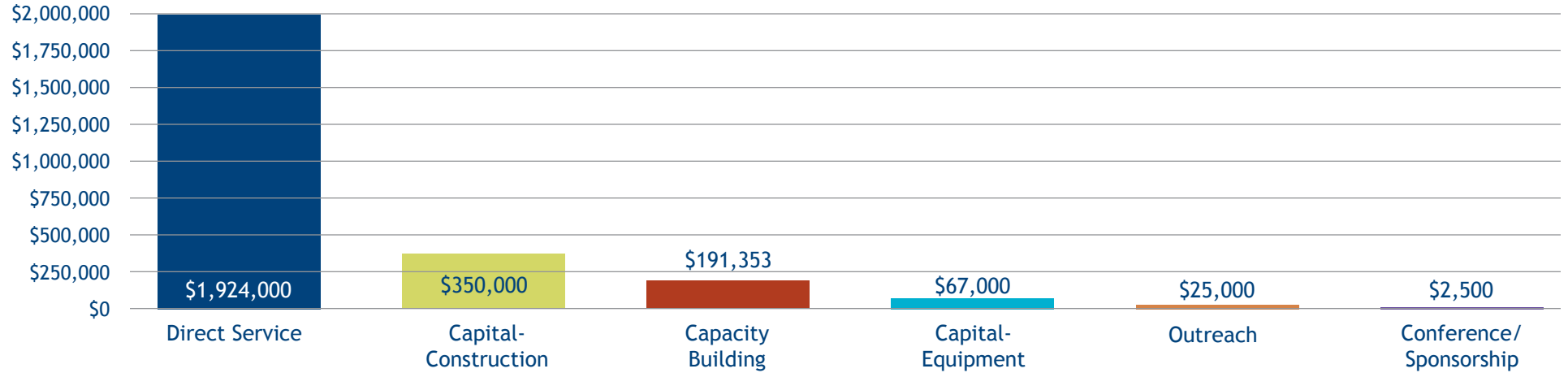
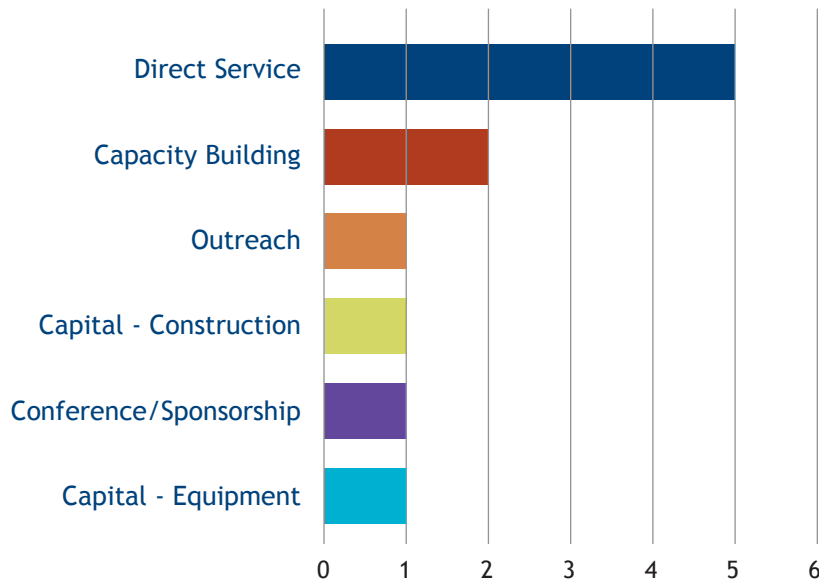


# Trust Authority Grant Summary, October - December 2024

**Total Grant Amount by Category**



**Number of Grants by Category**



**Grant Location**



**Total Grant Amount: \$2,559,853.48**

**Primary Beneficiary Category Served by Grants**

Grantee Name	All Beneficiaries	Alzheimer's Disease and related Dementia	Developmental Disabilities	Mental Illness	Substance Abuse
Alaska Association on Developmental Disabilities					
Alaska Children's Trust					
Anchorage Community Mental Health Services, Inc. dba Alaska Behavioral Health					
Christian Health Associates					
Covenant House Alaska					
Kenai Peninsula Housing Initiatives, Inc.					
MapHabit, Inc.					
New Life Development, Inc.					
Rural Alaska Community Action Program, Inc.					
True North Recovery, Inc.					
United Nonprofits, LLC					

Authority Grant Type	Project Title	Name	Grant Amount
Partnership	Strengthening Services by Sharing Stories of Lived Experience (FY25)	Alaska Association on Developmental Disabilities	\$25,000.00
<b>Project Description</b>		<b>Other Funding Partners (Secured and Pending)</b>	
Alaska Association of Developmental Disabilities (AADD) will use Trust funds for their Strengthening Services by Sharing Stories of Lived Experience project, which supports individuals with developmental disabilities (DD) and/or intellectual developmental disabilities (IDD) and their families in learning advocacy skills, to build their confidence in advocacy, and to improve access to and the quality of Alaska’s home and community-based services. The Key Campaign is an annual fly-in event to Juneau, which the Key Coalition of Alaska coordinates. This will be the 37th year of this event, where individuals with DD and IDD and their families meet in Juneau to learn how to share their stories with legislators and advocate to ensure the community-based system of care has the resources it needs. This year marks a return to in-person events after four years of virtual advocacy due to the global pandemic. Trust funding will primarily cover travel expenses for beneficiaries and their families to participate in the fly-in. During the event, participants will receive orientation and training activities to learn to tell their stories, articulate system gaps, challenges, and personal experiences with community-based services, and attend legislative events where they can share their stories.		Governor’s Council on Developmental Disabilities & Special Education, Mat-Su Health Foundation, Alaska Association on Developmental Disabilities admin support, Multiple Partner Organizations	

Authority Grant Type	Project Title	Name	Grant Amount
Partnership	Alaska Out-of-School Time Conference (FY25)	Alaska Children’s Trust	\$2,500.00
<b>Project Description</b>		<b>Other Funding Partners (Secured and Pending)</b>	
Trust funds will support the Alaska Children’s Trust’s 2024 Alaska Out-of-School Time (OST) Conference. This conference (Nov. 2024) provides essential training to a broad range of staff who work within the before and after-school and summer programs for school-aged children/ youth, bringing together over 150 after school and summer program staff from communities state-wide. The conference provides training on cultural protective factors, family engagement, social-emotional learning, self-care, coping skills, behavioral health strategies to support children, youth, and families, STEM, literacy, math, and more. With the youth mental health crisis, OST programs are a lifeline for kids, providing a familiar environment for children to develop life skills and coping mechanisms. Through positive relationships with the OST staff, those children/youth who need additional services can also get help accessing needed services in their communities. Trust funds will specifically support travel and accommodation costs for participants from underserved and remote areas, ensuring broader statewide representation.		Mat-Su Health Foundation, Alaska 529, thread, The Resource Basket, Recover Alaska, The Mott Foundation, Department of Health, Alaska Children’s Trust	

Authority Grant Type	Project Title	Name	Grant Amount
Focus Area Allocation - Mental Health and Addiction Intervention	Fairbanks Mobile Crisis Team (FY25)	Anchorage Community Mental Health Services, Inc dba Alaska Behavioral Health	\$850,000.00
<b>Project Description</b>		<b>Other Funding Partners (Secured and Pending)</b>	
Alaska Behavioral Health (AKBH) will use Trust funds for the continuing operations of the 24/7 mobile crisis team (MCT) based in the Fairbanks region. Mobile crisis response is a key component of the Trust and partners' initiative to improve behavioral health crisis response across Alaska using the nationally recognized Crisis Now model as a framework. This is the fourth year of operational funding for Fairbanks MCTs, and AKBH will continue to build on the relationships with the Alaska State troopers as MCT response expands outside of the Fairbanks area to include the jurisdiction of North Pole. In the last year, the Fairbanks MCT responded to 744 Trust beneficiaries out in the community and successfully stabilized 85% of them, which lowers the utilization of the emergency room and jail in the continuum of care. Fairbank's 911 operator dispatches the MCT, which works with Trust beneficiaries to stabilize them in the community. Only 2% of the calls required a law enforcement resolution. Prior to the operation of the AKBH MCT, 100% of 911 dispatch calls involved law enforcement and emergency responders.		Alaska Behavioral Health	

Authority Grant Type	Project Title	Name	Grant Amount
Partnership	Anchorage Project Access Pro Bono Counseling Program (FY25)	Christian Health Associates	\$100,000.00
<b>Project Description</b>		<b>Other Funding Partners (Secured and Pending)</b>	
Anchorage Project Access (APA) is Alaska's healthcare safety net for Trust beneficiaries, ensuring access to donated specialty medical, dental, and mental health services. APA has many years of experience connecting people who need care with healthcare professionals who are interested in donating care. Using APA as a clearinghouse for donated behavioral health care makes it easier for counselors to offer pro bono services and for Trust beneficiaries to obtain them. APA will use Trust funds to support personnel and administrative costs to maintain a mental health counseling program manager position. This project will primarily serve low-income, uninsured beneficiaries who have a mental health condition, though all beneficiary categories may be served through the project.		State of Alaska Department of Health, State of Alaska Oral Health, United Way of Anchorage, Rasmuson Foundation, Fundraising, Individual and Corporate Donations, Providence Alaska Foundation, Program Support Funds	

Authority Grant Type	Project Title	Name	Grant Amount
Focus Area Allocation - Mental Health and Addiction Intervention	Building Capacity for Crisis Intervention and Behavioral Health Support at Covenant House Alaska (FY25)	Covenant House Alaska	\$136,000.00
<b>Project Description</b>		<b>Other Funding Partners (Secured and Pending)</b>	
Through the Building Capacity for Crisis Intervention and Behavioral Health Support at Covenant House Alaska (CHA) Trust funding will support a Training and Support Specialist and a Talent Development & Training Specialist. Through previous Trust funding, Volunteers of America, Alaska (VOAA) provided an on-site Mental Health Clinician at the CHA's Youth Engagement Center (YEC), which conducted a needs assessment revealing that staff burnout was due to inadequate training for managing complex behaviors. In response, CHA has advanced the project to address industry needs by shifting the VOAA contract to include staff training and introducing a new Talent Development & Training Specialist position. As trained personnel at the time of hire become more scarce, additional in-house training resources are necessary to ensure that the direct services staff can therapeutically interact with youth through all services offered. An anticipated outcome is increased retention of the workforce serving homeless youth, who are Trust beneficiaries and to enhance the skillset of staff to best serve youth with mental health and behavioral health challenges.		VOA Alaska (via HUD, DBH CBHTR Peer, NFCS)	

Authority Grant Type	Project Title	Name	Grant Amount
Focus Area Allocation - Housing and Home & Community Based Services	Rainbow Flats & Eagle Heights (FY25)	Kenai Peninsula Housing Initiatives, Inc.	\$350,000.00
<b>Project Description</b>		<b>Other Funding Partners (Secured and Pending)</b>	
Kenai Peninsula Housing Initiatives, Inc. (KPHI) has a mission to provide the low-income, very low-income, senior, and special needs residents of the Kenai Peninsula area the opportunity to take a more active role in their lives and communities by providing various affordable housing options. KPHI is a private non-profit formed through a community-led process to build more affordable housing on the Kenai Peninsula. It owns and manages Homer, Ninilchik, Seward, Soldotna, and Kenai properties. Trust funds will provide gap funding for building two housing developments, Rainbow Flats & Eagle Heights, that have faced increased costs since the original budget was created in 2023. A total of twelve units will be built, with four units set aside for Trust beneficiaries.		HOME (HUD), National Housing Trust Fund (HUD), Senior Citizens Housing Development Funds, Rasmuson, KPHI Mortgage, State Farm Grant, Key Bank Grant	

Authority Grant Type	Project Title	Name	Grant Amount
Partnership	Expanded MapHabit Pilot Project (FY25)	MapHabit, Inc.	\$75,000.00
<b>Project Description</b>		<b>Other Funding Partners (Secured and Pending)</b>	
Trust funds will support the Expanded MapHabit Pilot Project, which provides critical services for ongoing care challenges associated with Intellectual and Developmental Disabilities (IDD), Traumatic Brain Injury (TBI), and Alzheimer’s Disease and Related Dementias (ADRD) through assistive technology. MapHabit uses a care management platform focused on visual map building to improve personal interactions, quality of life, and independence for individuals and their circle of support. This Trust grant will support the technology, a device upon which to use it, and personnel for consultation to offer the MapHabit service to beneficiaries with ADRD, IDD or TBI.		Mat-Su Health Foundation	

Authority Grant Type	Project Title	Name	Grant Amount
Focus Area Allocation/Other Priority Area - Early Childhood Intervention and Prevention	Safe Families Project (FY25)	New Life Development, Inc.	\$49,000.00
<b>Project Description</b>		<b>Other Funding Partners (Secured and Pending)</b>	
New Life Development, Inc. (NLD) will use Trust funds for the Safe Families Project aimed at addressing adverse childhood experiences that result from homelessness. This initiative supports homeless mothers with young children or expectant mothers, providing essential services such as temporary housing, food security, and case management. Since its launch in 2023, SFP has assisted 15 families, all of whom are Trust beneficiaries, with referrals from various social service agencies. Their Trust grant will support equipment, supplies, facility costs, and beneficiary housing support related to this initiative. The Safe Families Project directly impacts mothers and their children at risk of adverse childhood experiences and aims to mitigate these risks while enhancing social determinants of health. Participants in NDL programs undergo an integrated behavioral assessment and must comply with conditions if involved with the Office of Children’s Services or the courts. The program includes requirements like parenting classes, nutrition courses, and CPR certification ensuring mothers gain new life skills. NLD partners with Partners in Progress for ongoing case management and provides rental support for up to a year post-program.		Municipality of Anchorage, Anchorage Health Department ATAX Grant, Providence Alaska Foundation 2024, Providence Alaska Foundation 2025	

Authority Grant Type	Project Title	Name	Grant Amount
Focus Area Allocation/Other Priority Area - Early Childhood Intervention and Prevention	Mental Health Consultation Project (FY25)	Rural Alaska Community Action Program, Inc.	\$55,353.48
<b>Project Description</b>		<b>Other Funding Partners (Secured and Pending)</b>	
Rural Alaska Community Action Program, Inc. (RurAL CAP) will use Trust funding for the Mental Health Consultation Project to continue to expand mental health services through an in-house consultant and expand support for staff in their Family Services team. Previously funded in FY24, the project provided successful infant and early childhood mental health consultation through Alaska Behavioral Health (AKBH), benefiting children with challenging behaviors. Feedback indicated improved staff retention and job satisfaction, with 62% of educators reporting reduced stress and increased skills. In response to workforce challenges, RurAL CAP plans to hire a dedicated mental health consultant to continue supporting the Child Development Center (CDC) and extend services to Family Services Programs. This consultant will provide weekly support, in-classroom coaching, and individual and small group meetings with staff in Anchorage to increase competencies and support the overall social and emotional environment in the CDC and Little Haven classrooms so the educators/staff will become more responsive to the children's needs and respond to behavioral challenges. Little Haven is a drop-in childcare program housed at RurAL Cap's Safe Harbor transitional housing facility. The mental health consultation will also support the Family Services team programs in Toksook Bay and Haines (Parents as Teachers home visiting program).		Key Bank, Municipality of Anchorage (Alcohol Tax Grant)	

Authority Grant Type	Project Title	Name	Grant Amount
Focus Area Allocation - Mental Health and Addiction Intervention	Mobile Crisis Team Year Three (FY25)	True North Recovery, Inc.	\$850,000.00
<b>Project Description</b>		<b>Other Funding Partners (Secured and Pending)</b>	
True North Recovery (TNR) will use Trust funds for the continuing operations of the Mat-Su mobile crisis team (MCT). Mobile crisis response is a key component of the Trust and partners' initiative to improve behavioral health crisis response across Alaska using the nationally recognized Crisis Now model as a framework. Year three of operational funding will support TNR in enhancing services and broadening reach by expanding their two MCT teams and strengthening response capacity through relationships with key partners, including the Alaska State Troopers, Palmer Police Department, Alaska State Park Rangers, and MATCOM dispatch. In the last year, the Mat-Su MCT responded to 583 Trust beneficiaries out in the community and successfully stabilized 85.7% of them, which lowers the utilization of the emergency room and jail in the continuum of care. The MCT also responded to 2,504 direct calls to TNR over their Hope Line, which resulted in 100% support at the community level. To date, TNR has demonstrated strong relationships with regional partners and their MCT response data has consistently surpassed benchmarks in the number of individuals stabilized in the community instead of accessing higher levels of care.		Mat-Su Health Foundation, Medicaid Reimbursement	

Authority Grant Type	Project Title	Name	Grant Amount
Partnership	United Nonprofits Boiler Replacement (FY25)	United Nonprofits, LLC	\$67,000.00
<b>Project Description</b>		<b>Other Funding Partners (Secured and Pending)</b>	
<p>United Nonprofits, LLC (UNP) is the umbrella non-profit entity that will use Trust funds to help support a boiler replacement on the rooftop of their building. UNP owns the building, which houses eight non-profit agencies at below-market office leases in Anchorage. Several of the agencies serve 100% of Trust beneficiaries, such as NAMI (National Alliance for Mental Illness) Anchorage, and Standing Together Against Rape (STAR). STAR and the Alaska AIDS Assistance Association, aka Four As, are the co-owners of UNP. UNP does have a reserve account that is maintained from monthly lease fees from the tenants, however, that has been utilized recently for roof repairs. The boiler replacement would exhaust their reserves and would leave them in a tenuous situation with being able to maintain regular building maintenance should additional issues arise.</p>		Rasmuson Foundation, United Nonprofits	