

# ANNUAL REPORT 2020

### 25 YEARS Serving St. Johns County

Friends and Supporters,

This past year has been a challenge for Wildflower Healthcare as well as our community. Despite the worldwide pandemic our doors remained open to fulfill our mission of delivering free, highquality, compassionate healthcare. Along with our services we achieved a significant milestone this year celebrating our 25th anniversary by holding our first virtual auction and fundraising event. In 2020 Wildflower Healthcare earned a Silver Rating from the National Association of Free and Charitable Clinics Quality Standards Program signifying our commitment as a nonprofit to provide quality care to patients.

As COVID-19 continued to affect the community, our staff and volunteers were persistent and determined to ensure patient care and information were readily accessible. As people lost their jobs and more of them needed our services, Wildflower Healthcare was there for them. We thank our staff and volunteers who continue to be on the front line every day, providing free medical and dental services for uninsured low-income residents of St. Johns County.

Of course, none of this would have been possible this year without the thoughtful and generous contributions from our supporters. As we transition into 2021, we hope you will continue to recognize and support this important work, needed by our friends and neighbors more than ever before.

Thank you.

Board of Directors Wildflower Healthcare





#### WILDFLOWER HEALTHCARE IS A 501(C)(3)

#### MEMBER OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF FREE CLINICS AND FLORIDA ASSOCIATION OF FREE AND CHARITABLE CLINCS

## 1995-2020

#### VISION

TO BE RECOGNIZED AS A SIGNIFICANT AND VALUED CONTRIBUTOR TO THE HEALTH AND WELLBEING OF THE PEOPLE WE SERVE IN OUR COMMUNITY.

#### MISSION

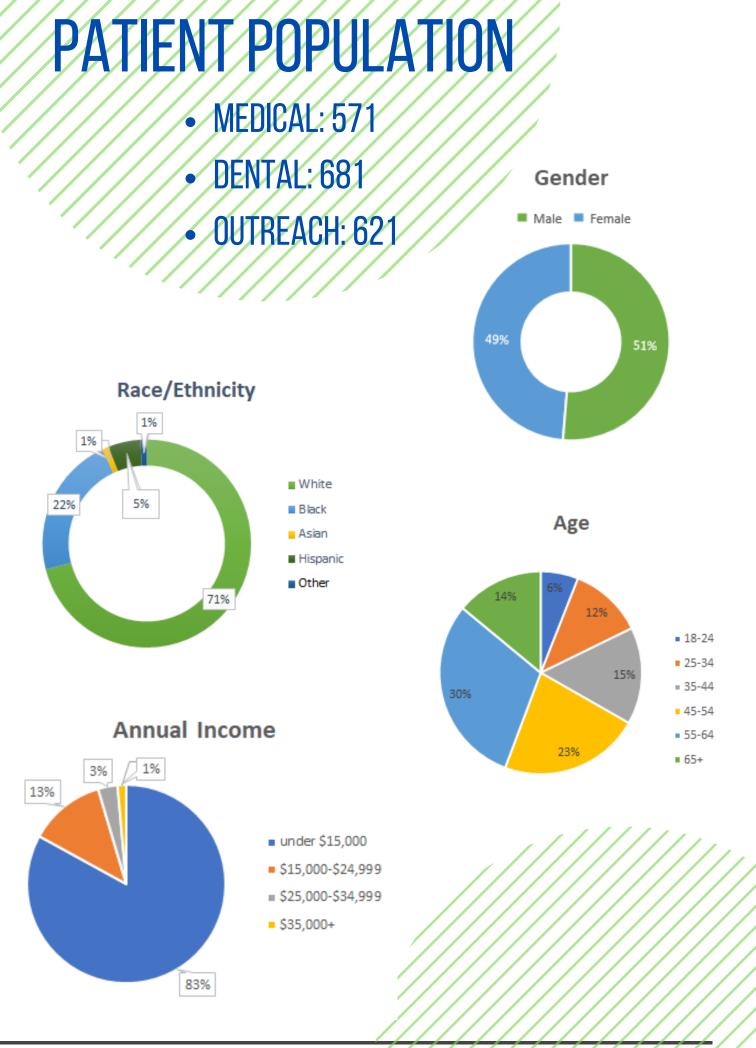
TO ENSURE FREE ACCESS TO HIGH-QUALITY, COMPASSIONATE HEALTHCARE THAT IMPROVES THE LIVES OF UNINSURED ADULT RESIDENTS IN ST. JOHNS COUNTY.

Wildflower Healthcare's history has been rich with community support and collaborations focused on providing healthcare for low-income residents.

• 1995: The Good Samaritan Health Center was founded by a joint committee comprised of Rev. Alvin Robinson (St. Cyprian priest), Mrs. Dorothy Israel (PhD. Sociology), and Dr. James Walter (former director of the St. Johns County Health Department). The clinic was staffed by volunteers on Saturdays and housed in a vacant Lincolnville house owned by St. Cyprians Episcopal Church.



- **1998:** The Center was incorporated and the first staff nurse was hired with funding from Buckingham Smith Benevolent Association. Services grew to two medical clinics per week with a monthly dental clinic offered at the Department of Health.
- 2007: Good Samaritan partnered with Anastasia Baptist Church and Emergency Services Homeless Coalition to hold a mobile dental clinic for the uninsured population of St. Johns County. Eighty patients were seen in five days by nine volunteer dentists; over 100 people were turned away.
- 2008: The Board of Directors formed a Dental Task Force and began a very successful capital campaign to raise funds for a new home for Good Samaritan's healthcare services. New Mt. Moriah Christian Ministry generously provided the land in West Augustine where the needs had shifted.
- 2010: Through the tremendous support of local contractors, businesses and individuals, the Herbert Street clinic opened debt-free with 3 dental operatories and 2 medical exam rooms.
- 2011: Good Samaritan responded to a need for healthcare for the homeless population by initiating the Outreach Program where nurses provide healthcare screenings and referrals in the community and on mobile buses with partner, St. Vincent's Healthcare.
- 2018: The Board of Directors engaged in a strategic planning process; hired the first Executive Director; decided on a new name, Wildflower Healthcare; revised the vision and mission statements; rebranded the website and refreshed the strategy to reflect an emphasis on primary care for the uninsured versus urgent care.
- 2020: Wildflower Healthcare earned a Silver Rating from the National Association of Free and Charitable Clinics Quality Standards Program.



### 4,356 PATIENT ENCOUNTERS

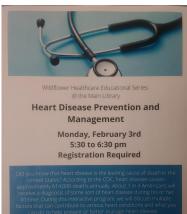
• MEDICAL: 1,068

- DENTAL : 1,424
- OUTREACH: 1,446
- FLU VACCINES: 351
- WORKSHOPS: 67



"I love Wildflower clinic! They provide

the BEST care in all of St. Augustine!"





- 606 CLINICS
- 3,956 DIAGNOSTIC TESTS ORDERED
- 148 COMMUNITY MEDICAL REFERRALS
- 3,660 DENTAL PROCEDURES
- 517 PRESCRIPTIONS VALUED AT \$639,183 DISTRIBUTED



### OUTCOMES



92% of respondents Indicated their primary issue Was addressed.





95% OF RESPONDENTS INDICATED THEY WERE SATISFIED WITH THE SERVICES RECEIVED.

88% OF RESPONDENTS INDICATED THEY RECEIVED HEALTHY LIFESTYLE INFORMATION DURING THEIR APPOINTMENT.





95% OF RESPONDENTS INDICATED THEY WOULD RETURN TO WILDFLOWER HEALTHCARE IN THE FUTURE.

58% OF RESIDENTS SCREENED IN THE COMMUNITY WERE PROVIDED INFORMATION ON THEIR CONDITION OR A REFERRAL FOR HEALTHCARE OR COMMUNITY SERVICES.



DENTURE PROGRAM

In 2020 Wildflower Healthcare was able to reopen the Denture Program thanks to a grant from Edna Sproull Willams Foundation and generous individual contributors. Using the expertise of our dental staff and the affordable services of Loveday Dental Laboratory, patient's lives were transformed; their speech improved, the ability to eat nutritious food returned and, most importantly, they were no longer embarrassed to smile.



"This program has changed my life, it has boosted my self-esteem and confidence. I now feel I can smile again and that makes me so happy again. I can't say enough about the wonderful staff for making this possible for me." Ellen J.

"I can't say enough about the dental program it made me feel better and able to eat foods that I love again."

But the real unsung hero to my story is the Medical Team, my wife and I both would probably be deceased right now if it wasn't for them. You see, we both are diabetics and could not afford our insulin. We learned about Wildflower. They got us in, helped us stabilize our disease, and provided our insulin.

They are a great organization."

### VOLUNTEERS

"All staff members, volunteers, and care providers are extremely friendly, compassionate, and caring."

#### **2020 Healthcare Staff & Volunteers**

#### **PHYSICIANS**

Karlyna Andersen Allain Girouard Stella Hayes Shakira Husain Julie McKay Mark Monroe Krishna Sikaria

#### NURSE PRACTITIONERS

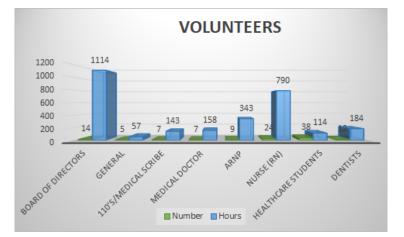
**Marie Bates** Michelle Benefield **Bridget Blake** Marianne Davis-Eriksen Michelle Enz Karen Greenan **Elizabeth Hobbs** Gloria Lelaider Tammie Leydig \* Sonia Remy NURSES, RNs Pamela Bicknell **Michael Bonn Allison Borchert** Anne Bourne Kathleen Caulfield **Christie Collins Kristin Collins** Jan Coraggio **Regina Fields** Marjorie Ford **Celeste Gillespie** Adrienne Lyons Marie Nemec Mary Newman **Marian Patrick** Meri-Kathryn Peed **Kimberlee** Pressly Lori Remensnyder Gail Ryan Julie Taylor **Caroline Volk** Cynthia Ward



DENTISTS Kenneth Baker Tedra Beckton \* Leh -ha Chew Van Cogley Linda Johnson \* Stephanie Kinsey Bill Maroney Alan Martin Ana Rivera Barry Schwein Stephen Velez Michael Versaggi David Wright

#### **DENTAL HYGIENIST** Elizabeth Carlisle \*

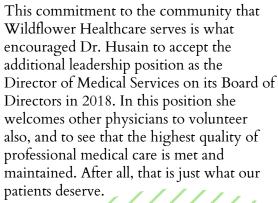
**DENTAL ASSISTANTS** Lucille Bennett \* Meka Holcy \* Charlene Lovell-Sanchez \* 110's & SCRIBES & Clinic Adminstration **Devyn Corrales** Nellie Crlenjak Kennedy Hamm \* Ryan Hossain Gabrielle Keller Paula Michalegko **Mary Frances Mitchell Thom Mitchell** Ashley O'Lena Francisco Rivera Erin Schulte \*Staff Provider





Dr. Shakira Husain has volunteered as an Internal Medicine physician at Wildflower Healthcare since its inception in 1995, just after she moved to the Saint Augustine area. Since she has also been a physician at Flagler Hospital the entire time, she was recently asked what still inflames her passion and commitment to continue volunteering at Wildflower several days a month, almost 26 years later?

"As a result of the current pandemic we have seen many of our community members lose their jobs and health insurances. Fortunately, the Clinic has remained open throughout this time and was able to serve these people. It is times like these that continue to fire my passion for serving at Wildflower Healthcare and to help our community at large."



THANK YOU HEALTHCARE WORKERS



### VIRTUAL FUNDRAISING

#### Safely Supporting the Clinic in 2020

The in-person events of previous years took a back seat in 2020, necessitated by the pandemic. Creative thinking and technology launched Wildflower Healthcare into the realm of virtual fundraising. Two successful events raised much needed funds to keep the doors open for our community and neighbors.



Wildflower Healthcare participated in the 2nd Annual St. Augustine Day on May 6th, and raised over \$19,000 from 145 donors, including \$2,000 in prize money for winning five different categories;

- 1st place for most Peer2Peer fundraising, improved money raised, unique donors during Happy Hour
- 2nd place most unique donors,
- 3rd place most money raised



To all who donated to Wildflower Healthcare, your contribution and support is greatly valued by our Board, staff, volunteers & patients.



Broadcasting from the Classic Car Museum of St. Augustine, Wildflower Healthcare supporters Zoomed in for an interview with founder, Dr. Dee Israel, musical numbers by Sailor Jane and the Swell Acoustics and the Morrow Family Band, and a virtual auction hosted by MC, Derek Coghlan. Videography was provided by Aslyn Baringer and the evening was produced by Bagan & Company LIVE.

#### **Auction Donors**

Adventure Landing Aunt Kates Bea & Steve Schrobo BlueTree Marketing Carrabba's Italian Restaurant Carter's Jewelry Cason Photography Dollene Ewing Joint Bagel Company King and the Bear Golf Morse Family Dentistry Palencia Tennis Center SJC Sheriff's Office Surf Station The Palencia Club The Reef World Golf Hall of Fame & Museum Zulu Nyala Game Lodge





Sponsors <u>Platinum</u> Flagler Health+

<u>Gold</u> Burkhardt Distributors Dr. Shakira Husain

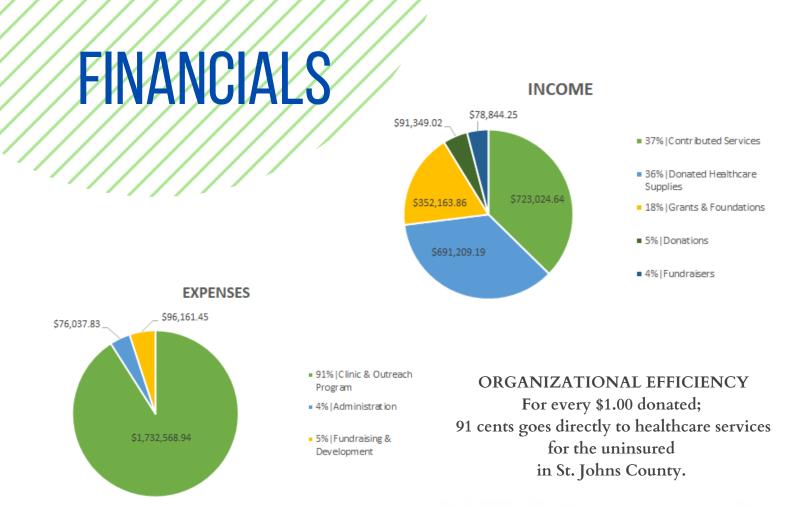
#### Silver

Classic Car Museum, St. Augustine Law Offices of Mark Parsons Mark Parsons Memorial Gift Runk Properties Herbie Wiles Insurance

#### Bronze

Anastasia Medical Group Lisa & Mike Chismark Law Office of John Galletta, Jr. Orthopaedics Associates, St. Augustine Pulmonary Associates, St. Augustine Riverside Cottages Rulan International Sonny's BBQ Dr. Sylvia Spengler

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Challenging as 2020 was, Wildflower Healthcare was fortunate to be blessed with supporters, contributors and funders that enabled us to keep our doors open and safely maintain services.



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#### Wildflower Healthcare Board of Directors

- Lisa Chismark, PhD, RN, President Julie Watson, PhD, OTR/L, Vice President Bea Schrobo, CAPT, NC, USN, Secretary Catalina Usina-Morse,CPA, Treasurer Shakira Husain, MD Director of Medical Services Michael Versaggi, DDS, Director of Dental Services
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### WILDFLOWER HEALTHCARE

#### **Community Partners**

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#### **Healthcare Partners**

Ascension St. Vincent's Mobile Health Outreach Ministry A Girourard, LLC **Anastasia Medical Group Borland Groover Cardiovascular Consultants of St. Augustine Coastal Foot and Ankle Wellness Dental Specialists of North Florida** Dr. Ken Snyder, Harbour Dental Care Flagler Health+ Gastroenterology Associates of St. Augustine Loveday Dental Laboratory **Northeast Florida AHEC** North Florida Center for Otolaryngology **OB/GYN Associates of St. Augustine Orthopaedic Associates of St. Augustine Oceanside Endodontics Oldest City Family Dentistry Oxford Dental Pink Up the Pace** PT Club, University of St. Augustine **Pulmonary Associates of St. Augustine** St. Augustine Foot, Ankle & Vein Smiles by Glenos & Hadgis Orthodontist St. Augustine Neurology **Towne Center for Dermatology** University of St. Augustine for Health Sciences





### PARTNERS



#### **Grantors & Foundations**

All American Air Charitable Foundation American Endowment Fund - Big Drawer Fund Buckingham Smith Benevolent Association Delta Dental Foundation Edna Sproull Williams Foundation Florida Assoc. of Free & Charitable Clinics Florida Breast Cancer Foundation Florida Dental Association Mayo Clinic Community Giving Riverside Hospital Foundation Rotary Club of St. Augustine St. Johns County Government Trinity Episcopal Parish United Way of St. Johns County

#### Partners in Faith

Anastasia Baptist Church Christ the King Anglican Church Family Worship Center First United Methodist Church Women Grace United Methodist Church Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church Memorial Presbyterian Church New Mt. Moriah Christian Ministry St. Anastasia Parish St. Cyprian's Episcopal Church St. Johns River Baptist Association The Golf Village Church Thrivent Grant Trinity Episcopal Church Unitarian Universalist Fellowship

#### **Education Partners**

First Coast Technical College St. Johns County WorkStarter Program St. Johns River College

#### **Individual Giving**

<u>\$5000 +</u> Elsa M. Brader Estate William & J.A Yancy Lisa A. Gerlach Denis Cunningham

\$1000 + **Thomas Anderson Effie Antonatos** Lisa & Mike Chismark **Bradley Cooper** Susan Cowperthwaite **Howard Entman** Dr. Bill & Susan Foody **Bernard & Michelle Grobman Diana Justice** Susan Lloyd **Ronald & Helen Moore Frank and Marie Nemec** Vicky Oakes Steve & Allison Pryor **Stephen & Bernice Schrobo** Dr. Sylvia Jean Spengler **Thomas Wolfe** Albert & Caroline Volk

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### **BECOME ENGAGED**

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Wildflower Healthcare in St. Augustine, FL

#### DONATE

- Become an annual Heart of Giving donor
- Celebrate a colleague, friend or family member through Honor or Memorial Gifts
- Contribute a non-taxable direct donation through your 401k distribution
- Make a gift through your estate plan
- Become a *Gift of Health* sponsor
- Host a Wildflower party/ fundraiser
- Host or participate in a "Wish List Drive" (list updated regularly on the website)

director@wildflowerhealthcare.org

#### VOLUNTEER

There is always a place for your time & talents

- Provide medical or dental care in the clinic or community as a licensed provider
- Support the clinical team as a medical scribe or eligibility evaluator
- Assist in office support with data entry
- Share your party planning skills with the fundraising/development team
- Lend a hand in facility maintenance

#### volunteer@wildflowerhealthcare.org

#### WILDFLOWER HEALTHCARE 2020 COORDINATION TEAM

Chris Mastoridis, Executive Director JoAnn O'Leary, LPN, Clinical Coordinator Matthew Harris, Medical Data/PAP Coordinator Robin Gren, RN, Outreach Coordinator Bess Freeman, Office Coordinator Cyndy Dailey, Grants Coordinator Michelle Colee, Volunteer Coordinator Andi Manrique-Mariano, Finance Coordinator



#### 25 YEARS OF PROVIDING HEALTHCARE IN ST JOHNS COUNTY 1995-2020



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