



Improving the lives of Iowa's women and girls

October 2022

We Met the MATCH!

We did it! With your help, we raised more in one day for Iowa's women and girls than ever before in IWF's history: \$90,000 from 190 donors. Your generous support made this possible, and we are honored you chose to be part of this success.



Special thanks to our Match Sponsor Lois James and Jeremy James for their continued support of the Iowa Women's Foundation. Together we are improving the lives of Iowa's women and girls!

\$25,000 Grant Recipients Announced



25 Years of Grantmaking!

In recognition of 25 years of grantmaking, the Iowa Women's Foundation is awarding six \$25,000 grants for 2023 programs that are shattering the barriers to women's economic self-sufficiency: Employment, Child Care, Housing, Education/Training, Transportation and Mentoring.

2023 Grant Recipients and barriers they are working to shatter are:

- **Girls Inc. of Sioux City** - Education/Training
- **Hawkeye Community College Foundation** - Child Care
- **Iowa City Sober Living** - Housing
- **Iowa's Jobs for America's Graduates (iJAG)** - Employment
- **NewBo City Market** - Mentoring
- **Oakridge Neighborhoods** - Transportation

To learn more about these programs, visit the IWF website: [Grant Partners | Iowa Women's Foundation \(iawf.org\)](#)

Making History



Join IWF as we make history for Iowa's women and girls!

For more information: [Legacy Campaign | Iowa Women's Foundation \(iawf.org\)](#)

Child Care, Workforce and Legislation

The Iowa Women's Foundation is partnering with communities across the state to advocate for businesses, child care providers and families who are struggling with child care issues. Together, we are hosting legislative sessions this fall to share the work that has been accomplished and take the next steps to shatter the child care barrier.

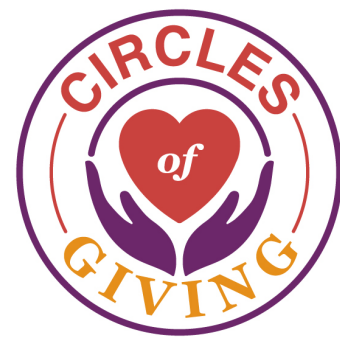
Sessions are currently being held in these communities:

- October 25 - 9:00 am - Des Moines
- November 1 - 1:00 pm - Sioux City
- November 9 - 2:00 pm - Council Bluffs

If you would like more information regarding these sessions, or would like to host a session in your area, please contact ann@iawf.org

Welcome to the many new Circle of Giving donors

who committed at this year's Annual Luncheon! And to those of you who are already generously participating, please keep your eyes out for your pledge reminder or renewal request. These three-year commitments are invaluable as IWF plans ahead and forecasts resources – *thank you* for enabling a more responsible and dependable fiscal future for Iowa Women's Foundation! If you have questions about your gift or Circles of Giving in general, please contact lori@iawf.org.



THANK YOU to our generous donors and corporate sponsors. It is because of you, the Iowa Women's Foundation is able to grow our grantmaking and improve the lives of Iowa's Women and Girls!!!

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