



Great Grants and Initiatives

Grantor: **Community First Foundation**

Grantee or Initiative: **Jefferson County Department of Health**

Amount: **\$70,000** Period of Grant Award: **2000-2008**

Supporting Women's Health Issues

In support of its devotion to the health and well-being of our communities, Community First Foundation grants funds to organizations striving to enhance the physical health of local citizens.

Since 2000, the Foundation has granted more than \$70,000 to the Jefferson County Department of Health and Environment's Community Health Services Division.

In 2008 alone, a \$10,000 grant funded pathology evaluations on 96 cervical biopsies and 12 diagnostic tests for low-income women in need of cervical cancer screening. This proactive approach to women's health provides low-income women with potentially life-saving information and ultimately enhances the well-being of the community as a whole.