



2020 Press Releases

Mary's Center Begins Administering COVID-19 Vaccines

December 28, 2020 - Today, Mary's Center will begin administering the Moderna COVID-19 vaccine. The Center is one of four community health centers in the District of Columbia that received the first shipment of vaccines and is authorized to provide it.

Hispanic Heritage Foundation and Mary's Center - through Plantita Power Partnership - Provided Healthy, Sustainable and Quality Food to Immigrant and QTBIPOC Community

November 25, 2020 - The Hispanic Heritage Foundation (HHF) and Mary's Center, through a partnership with Plantita Power, distributed growbags of produce plants including kale, chard and dill to immigrant and QTBIPOC (Queer, Trans, Black, Indigenous, People of Color) communities.

Mary's Center Earns "LGBTQ Health Care Equality Leader" Designation from the Human Rights Campaign Foundation's Healthcare Equality Index

August 31, 2020 - Today, Mary's Center announced their "LGBTQ Health Care Equality Leader" designation from the Human Rights Campaign Foundation (HRC). The designation was awarded in the 13th edition of HRC's Healthcare Equality Index (HEI), released today.

Mary's Center Reopens Two Health Centers Temporarily Closed due to COVID-19 to Address the Great Need for Children's Immunizations and Dental Care

July 13, 2020 - Mary's Center announced today the reopening of the two health centers in the Adams Morgan and Fort Totten neighborhoods of Washington, DC that were temporarily closed since March due to the impact of COVID-19.

Mary's Center to Establish D.C. Child Care Reopening Fund with Support from Five Foundations

July 9, 2020 - Mary's Center announced a partnership with five foundations to establish and administer the D.C. Child Care Reopening Fund to respond to child care providers' urgent need of support as the District of Columbia and surrounding states begin to reopen.

UnitedHealthcare Donates \$1 Million to Nonprofits in Maryland

July 9, 2020 - UnitedHealthcare is awarding \$1 million in Empowering Health grants to eight community-based organizations in Maryland, including Mary's Center, to expand access to care and address the social determinants of health for uninsured individuals and underserved communities.

Mary's Center & Briya Public Charter School Partnership Named One of The Washington Post's 2020 Top Workplaces in Greater Washington

June 16, 2020 - The Washington Post announced that the Mary's Center & Briya Public Charter School partnership has made the list of 2020 Top Workplaces in the Greater Washington, DC area. This is the third time in 4 years that the partnership has received this recognition.

Mary's Center Announces Former Civil Rights Litigator Todd A. Cox as New Board Chair and Appoints 2 New Board Members

June 15, 2020 - Former civil rights litigator and policy advocate Todd A. Cox is the new Board Chair of Mary's Center's Board of Directors, taking the helm from renowned economist Dr. Stuart M. Butler, who served from 2018-2020.

Mary's Center Receives Emergency Funding from Direct Relief to Bolster the Healthcare Safety Net in the Washington, DC Region

May 26, 2020 - Mary's Center announced an infusion of \$50,000 in emergency grant funding from the medical aid organization Direct Relief, in partnership with the National Association of Community Health Centers (NACHC) to continue frontline response efforts serving the most under-resourced individuals and families in the region.

United Way of the National Capital Area Expands the Reach of its Support of the Community During Pandemic in Areas of Health and Financial Stability

May 6, 2020 - United Way of the National Capital Area (United Way NCA) continues to meet the demands of the community in the areas of access to food and basic needs and is now expanding support through its Emergency Assistance Fund to organizations in the areas of health and financial stability, including Mary's Center.

Mary's Center Receives Funding from Bank of America for COVID-19 Response

April 28, 2020 - In response to the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic in the Greater Washington region, Mary's Center will be able to conduct more testing and critical care at its clinics thanks to a grant from Bank of America, it was announced today.

Mary's Center Receives Funding from the Robert I. Schattner Foundation

Jan. 30, 2020 - Mary's Center was announced as the recipient of a \$450,000 grant from the [Robert I. Schattner Foundation](#), a private charitable foundation established by dentist and inventor Dr. Robert I. Schattner in 1992. The grant will support Mary's Center's efforts to expand its service offering in Montgomery County, Maryland, in early 2020. Dental services will be provided at Mary's Center's new location in Silver Spring.