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## **LogistiCare Foundation Awards \$144,000 in Grants to Organizations Across the U.S.**

**ATLANTA** – The LogistiCare Foundation is pleased to announce that 16 organizations have been awarded program grants totaling \$144,000. The average grant amount is \$9,000.

Foundation funding is focused on programs that benefit the senior, disability and indigent communities, with the ultimate goal being to increase access to healthcare and improve the overall quality of life for these populations.

“In less than two years of existence, The Foundation has touched nearly 6,000 individuals through its giving to program development and/or direct transportation assistance,” said Chanda Forsythe, program director for The LogistiCare Foundation. “We also measure our success by the strategic, ongoing relationships we have developed with the organizations we have helped.”

Grant recipients and a brief summary of their programs are as follows:

\* **St. Mary’s Health Wagon**, Clinchco, Va. – The “Health Wagon” provides free healthcare to residents of rural Appalachia.

\* **H. E. Sandefur Industries**, Henderson County, Ky. – Transportation to work services for disabled clients

\* **LIFE (CIL)**, Savannah, Ga. – Voucher transportation program

\* **Volunteer Transportation Center**, Jefferson County, N.Y. – Volunteer driver program for senior and disability communities

\* **Senior Helpline Services**, Contra Costa County, Calif. – Volunteer driver program

\* **Paraquad (CIL)**, St. Louis – General transportation for disability community – quality of life programs

\* **Ability Resources (CIL)**, Tulsa, Okla. – Nursing home transition program

\* **Sunshine Physically Challenged Camp**, Battleground, Wash. – Transportation to camp for children with disabilities

\* **Castlerock Senior Center**, Castle Rock, Colo. – Transportation for seniors to quality of life programs

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- \* **Madison County Office on Aging**, Madison County, N.Y. – Volunteer driver program for seniors
- \* **Community Caregivers**, Slingerlands, N.Y. – Home delivery services for frail elderly using a team of volunteers
- \* **Johnson City Downtown Clinic**, Johnson City, Tenn. – Enabling transportation (primarily public transit) for people that don't qualify for other social service programs
- \* **Multiple Choices (CIL)**, Athens, Ga. – Transportation of last resort for disability community
- \* **St. Rose Senior Citizens Center**, Detroit – Transportation for seniors to quality of life programs
- \* **Elderhelp of San Diego**, San Diego – Volunteer driver program
- \* **The Kitchen**, Springfield, Mo. – Van purchase for homeless shelter

### **About The LogistiCare Foundation**

The LogistiCare Foundation was established in 2004. It is recognized as a private charitable foundation under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code. As a private foundation, the mission of the LogistiCare Foundation is to increase access to transportation for senior citizens, persons with disabilities and persons living in poverty. LogistiCare is the nation's leading transportation management solution. For more information, visit [The Foundation](#) section of the LogistiCare Web site.

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