



The Stollery Charitable Foundation holds semi-annual granting meetings - one in the spring and one in the fall. The chart below outlines the total funds awarded to projects and programs in Edmonton and Kamloops at the Foundation's April 12, 2025 board meeting.

Organization	Project	Total
EDMONTON		
Change Health Alberta: offers evidence-based programs including after-school programs, summer camps, development workshops, family health programs, and Truth and Reconciliation partnerships.	Funding to support the delivery of eight one-week low-cost and no-cost summer camps in 2025 at inner-city schools in Edmonton. The camps focus on nutrition, physical activity, social connection, and mental health.	\$ 25,000
ABC Head Start Society: provides a comprehensive family support and an early learning program.	Funding for renovations to open a new ABC Head Start location in Northgate Mall.	\$ 100,000
Boys & Girls Clubs Big Brothers Big Sisters of Edmonton & Area (BGCBig): provides mentoring and after school programs to support vulnerable children and youth.	Two years of support for the Students Mentoring Students Program, which pairs post-secondary students with youth mentees and provides student mentors a bursary honorarium in recognition for each year of mentoring.	\$ 200,000
Cultural Connections Institute - The Learning Exchange (CCILEX): promotes personal growth for adult learners through English Language instruction and the exchange of cultural knowledge.	Funds to support beginner English language classes for refugee claimants who are ineligible for most funded English programs and face extensive wait times to access English classes.	\$ 25,000
P A L S - Project Adult Literacy Society: creates a community in which all adults are functionally literate so that they can meet their full potential with programs supporting literacy, math literacy, digital literacy, and literacy for English language learners.	Support for the Literacy for English Language Learners (LELL) program, which removes language barriers and improves literacy skills to improve employability and social integration.	\$ 61,200
Free Play for Kids Inc.: provides marginalized kids with the opportunity to play in a safe, accessible, and inclusive environment at no cost to them or their families.	Two years of funding to transform the agency's internally developed Social and Emotional Learning curriculum into a training program that will be offered through a fee-for-service model to create a new sustainable revenue source.	\$ 130,000
The Getting Ready for Inclusion Today (The GRIT Program) Society of Alberta: an inclusive, early childhood program for children with developmental disabilities.	Support to create and implement a fund development plan, incorporating a Customer Relationship Management (CRM) system.	\$ 40,000
Society of Saint Vincent de Paul Edmonton Central Council: help vulnerable Edmontonians access furniture and housewares by accepting donations, assessing family needs, and delivering the items required.	Funding to purchase a new 16-foot delivery truck to replace an aging delivery truck that is experiencing significant downtime and repair costs.	\$ 88,200
United for Literacy: provides free literacy programming across Canada, including tutoring homework clubs, Summer Literacy Camps, support for newcomers and temporary foreign workers, Truth and Reconciliation programs, family literacy workshops, and literacy and life skills programs for adults.	Two years of support to offer free digital literacy and soft skill courses weekly to adult learners out of Edmonton Food Bank's Beyond Food Centre service HUB.	\$ 104,000
Riseup Society Alberta: serves those who are experiencing intimate partner violence and educates and empowers communities to end that abuse.	Extending support for the intimate partner violence counselling pilot program in partnership with the Today Family Violence Centre and Riseup Society.	\$ 50,000
Edmonton Down Syndrome Society: benefits people with Down syndrome and their families by providing information and support, facilitating services, and promoting inclusion through public awareness and advocacy, in collaboration with community partners.	Funding to pilot a new fund development position and implement a new fund development software program to diversify and grow organizational revenue.	\$ 45,000
Operation Friendship Seniors Society: offers housing and drop-in support services without judgement to improve the quality of life for seniors in need over 55 years of age.	Bridge funding for the Volunteer Program, which covers the cost of volunteer training, supplies, transportation, and coordination, so that volunteers can provide supports and services to vulnerable seniors.	\$ 78,700

HIV Network of Edmonton Society: develops educational resources; delivers prevention, health promotion, and support programs; and advocates for individuals affected by HIV and AIDS.	A contribution to bring in a consultant to redevelop the agency's 12-year-old fund development strategy.	\$ 50,000
Edmonton Subtotal:		\$ 997,100
KAMLOOPS		
Interior Community Services: provides integrated family support; individual life skills development; and safe, nurturing home environments designed to assist people to live to their potential in the community.	Funding to renovate and furnish the new Foundry location in Kamloops. Foundry is British Columbia's provincial integrated youth services (IYS) model. IYS offers accessible, culturally sensitive, and evidence-based support for youth to access comprehensive mental health and addictions supports, physical and sexual health care, youth and family peer support, and wrap-around social services.	\$ 200,000
Kamloops Family Resources Society: supports women facing substance use disorders, violent relationships, mental health issues, and physical disabilities through drop-in programs, peer support, skill development, and recovery support.	Support to pilot a new Program Coordinator position, which will manage day-to-day program delivery and supervise frontline staff.	\$ 82,000
Kamloops Sexual Assault Counselling Centre: supports people who have experienced sexualized violence with support services, counselling, advocacy, education, and prevention activities.	Funding to renovate the new Sexual Assault Services HUB in Kamloops. The HUB will provide medical forensic exams, police reporting, and ongoing support services, in a trauma informed and culturally safe location.	\$ 75,000
Hope Air: provides free travel and accommodations for Canadians in financial need who must travel to access the medical care they require.	Funding to support vulnerable Kamloops residents to travel to access medical care.	\$ 35,000
Spirit North: partners with Indigenous communities to overcome barriers to participation in sport and recreation activities.	Expand Indigenous sport access in Kamloops by purchasing new equipment, offering additional programs, and offering programs out of additional school sites.	\$ 50,000
Kamloops Subtotal:		\$ 442,000
TOTAL:		\$ 1,439,100