

# Project Access NOW

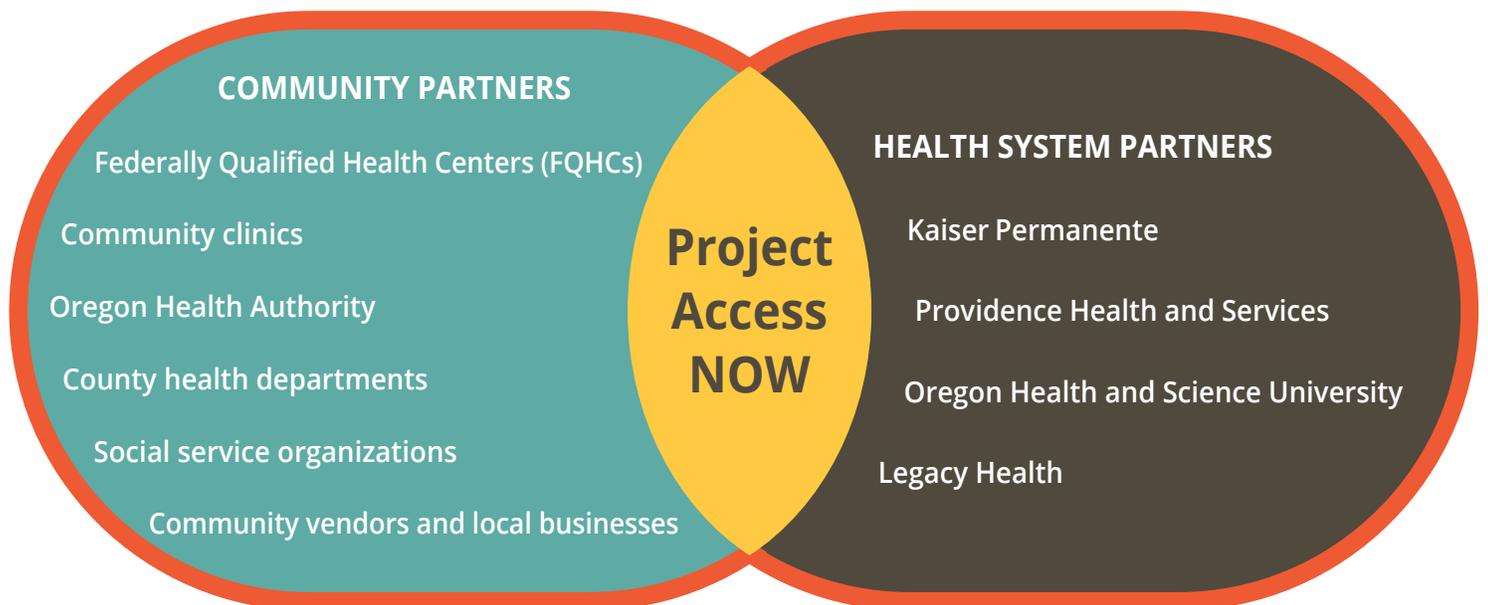
Community | Care | Connection

FOR A STRONGER, UNIFIED REGIONAL NETWORK OF CARE

The mission of Project Access NOW is to improve our communities' health and well-being by creating access to care, services, and resources for those in need.

Project Access NOW provides innovative, integrated support for patients and providers across Oregon and Southwest Washington. We work to increase access to health care and social services and to do so equitably.

Because Project Access NOW combines many multidisciplinary teams under one organization, our programs are much more effective than similar organizations who address only part of the solution.



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## Project Access NOW's suite of programs follow patients throughout their health care journey.

Providing culturally-specific support	➔ <i>More than <b>80%</b> of clients are immigrants, people of color, and/or speak English as a second language.</i>
Reducing emergency room usage and unnecessary hospital stays and supporting patient discharge (so vulnerable patients may avoid unnecessary extended hospital stays)	➔ <i>Last year, <b>1,707 hospital days were avoided</b> because patients had the support they needed to get and stay healthy. Additionally, the organization <b>secured 10,000+ hotel nights</b> for vulnerable individuals and aided in rapid response to crises such as COVID-19 and wildfire.</i>
Increasing access to health care and prescriptions, particularly for those without health insurance	➔ <i>Last year, more than <b>\$5.69 million in prescription drugs</b> were made accessible to low-income clients.</i>
Supporting health care providers so they can focus on providing quality care.	➔ <i>Project Access NOW has <b>30+ staff</b> and more than a <b>decade</b> of experience in the industry.</i>

### AT A GLANCE: Facts & Figures

	Classic Care Coordination	Pharmacy Bridge	Premium Assistance	Outreach, Enrollment, and Access	C3 Community Assistance Program
<b>2020</b>					
Number of uninsured people	2,721	3,000	669	4,033	—
Services Provided	4,374 medical appts, donated care	16,500 prescriptions filled	4,885 premium payments made	5,633 applications for insurance	21,886 services provided
Value of services provided by Project Access NOW	<b>\$8.6 million</b>	<b>\$5.7 million</b>	<b>\$1.1 million</b>	—	<b>\$8.9 million</b>
<b>All Time</b>					
Program Launched	2007	2007	2016	2015	2015
Value of services provided by Project Access NOW	<b>\$72 million</b>	<b>\$16 million</b>	<b>\$4.5 million</b>	—	<b>\$22 million</b>

**THE CHALLENGE** ➡ **EQUITABLE ACCESS TO HEALTH PROMOTING SERVICES**

**THE SOLUTION** ➡ **CONNECT PEOPLE TO THE RESOURCES THEY NEED**

## OUR PROGRAMS

### **CLASSIC CARE COORDINATION**

connects uninsured and low-income individuals with donated primary and specialty care.

### **PHARMACY BRIDGE**

offers low- or no- cost medications to uninsured and underinsured patients.

### **PREMIUM ASSISTANCE**

pays health insurance premiums for clients who earn slightly too much to qualify for Medicaid, but too little to afford premiums and out-of-pocket costs.

### **OUTREACH, ENROLLMENT, AND ACCESS**

helps uninsured Oregonians enroll in health insurance and navigate the federal marketplace and other qualifying state programs.

### **C3 COMMUNITY ASSISTANCE PROGRAM**

connects low-income patients to the resources they need for safe hospital or emergency room discharge and a return to wellness.



# Through life's ups and downs, Project Access NOW contributes to a network of services that support individuals often left behind by our health care system.

