Elevate Youth California
Cohort 4 Standard Track 2022-2025

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San Diego County
$958,835.00
To improve health outcomes of Native American youth in San Diego, Riverside, and San Bernardino counties through advocacy programs and activities, Indigenous Clubs, mentorship and youth social justice workshops to address substance use prevention among youth.

Alcohol Justice
Marin County
$999,056.00
To promote the leadership of Latinx youth of the Canal district of San Rafael and Marin County by understanding indigenous and Latinx cultural practices, community organizing and hands-on environmental projects to prevent substance use.

Alliance for Community Transformations
Mariposa County
$655,367.00
To empower youth in Mariposa County through creative arts, goal setting, mentorship and youth activism to holistically approach policy change and reduce substance use.

Antelope Valley Partners for Health
Los Angeles County
$992,292.00
To build the capacity of system-involved Latinx and Black youth in Los Angeles County through youth activism, mentoring and peer-to-peer services to support healthy decision-making skills and reduce substance use.

Arts for Healing and Justice Network
Los Angeles County
$947,789.00
To increase the leadership skills of at-promise, system-impacted Black and Latinx youth in Los Angeles County through healing-informed arts education, leadership development, peer mentorship and youth-led advocacy to empower youth to reclaim their narratives and dismantle oppressive systems.

Asian Refugees United
Alameda County

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$957,990.00
To improve life outcomes for LGBTQIA+ Asian-American and Pacific Islander youth in Alameda County through creative arts-based mentoring, the cultivation of intergenerational wisdom and community healing to increase youth resiliency and impact local school policy.

**California Health Collaborative**
**Tulare County**
**$1,000,000.00**
To improve educational outcomes of Latinx, Black, Asian/Pacific Islander and LGBT+ youth in Tulare County through culturally rooted and healing-centered social support resources and restorative justice approaches to reduce the number of suspensions and expulsions related to youth substance use.

**California Heritage: Indigenous Research Project**
**Butte County, Sierra County, Yuba County, Nevada County**
**$994,319.00**
To improve the behavioral health outcomes of Native American youth in Yuba, Butte and Sierra counties through cultural education, mentoring, peer counseling and leadership development to improve social determinants of health and to prevent substance use.

**California Indian Manpower Consortium**
**Fresno County, San Diego County, Shasta County**
**$1,000,000.00**
To improve the leadership skills and empower Native American youth in California through peer-led support groups, traditional practices and leadership programs to combat generational trauma and reduce substance use in Tribal communities.

**California Youth Connection**
**Los Angeles County**
**$1,000,000.00**
To strengthen the civic engagement and decision-making skills to increase youth power of system-impacted youth in California through regional boot camps, summer leadership and policy conferences, and peer-led community organizing to shift harmful policies that affect system-involved youth.

**Changeist**
**San Joaquin County**
**$1,000,000.00**
To improve the leadership and civic engagement skills of youth in San Joaquin County through peer-led team-based experiences, community organizing, mentorship, and storytelling to advance equity and reduce substance use.

**Central Valley Empowerment**
**Kern County, Tulare County**
**$892,598.00**
To empower BIPOC youth in Tulare and Kern counties through experiences that embrace local history, leadership summits, fellowships, mental health supports and photography to discover the power within their stories and reduce substance use.

**Children's Hospital Los Angeles**
**Los Angeles County**
**$1,000,000.00**
To strengthen the agency and self-determination of youth of color in Los Angeles County by creating a youth-led collective that impacts health, policy change and access to opportunities access to

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opportunities for young people through training and mentorship to address substance use and social justice issues.

**Community Agency for Resources, Advocacy and Services**
Santa Clara County  
$997,339.20  
To support Latinx youth in rural Santa Clara County to become agents of change through youth-led coalitions, mentoring, coaching, and leadership development to decrease disproportionate suspension rates and bring awareness to youth substance use disorder.

**Community Health Councils**
Los Angeles County  
$854,983.00  
To increase social equity and well-being of diverse youth in Los Angeles, Fresno, San Bernardino, San Diego and San Francisco counties by building community capacity for civic engagement to address youth-identified community needs and reduce substance use.

**Community Health for Asian Americans**
Alameda County, Contra Costa County  
$996,400.00  
To build the leadership capacity of Asian, Latinx and Black youth in Alameda and Contra Costa counties through youth policy advocacy, youth-led town halls and community activism to strengthen access to mental health and substance use resources and services.

**Coyote Valley Band of Pomo Indians**
Mendocino County  
$998,705.00  
To strengthen the emotional, mental and spiritual wellness of youth and young adult Tribal members in Mendocino County through youth-led engagement, internships and leadership opportunities rooted in the cultural teachings of Tribal values and practices to reduce substance use.

**Education, Training, and Research Associates (ETR)**
Alameda County  
$1,000,000.00  
To strengthen the leadership and advocacy skills of youth of color in Oakland through a trauma-informed youth-centered health design project that identifies policy, systems and environmental change solutions to address youth substance use in their communities.

**Family Assistance Program**
San Bernardino County  
$1,000,000.00  
To empower African American and Latinx youth in San Bernardino County through participation in Youth Advisory Boards, workshops, and youth-led activism for policy, systems and environmental change to reduce substance use.

**FosterHope Sacramento**
Sacramento County, Yolo County  
$872,179.00  
To promote healing of foster youth in Sacramento, Yolo and Yuba counties through innovating models of trauma-informed integrated care, relationship building, community collaboration, and centering youth voices to address trauma and substance use.

**Freedom 4 Youth**

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Santa Barbara County
$880,903.00
To improve the civic engagement and leadership skills of system-impacted Black and Latinx youth in Santa Barbara County through a peer-led credible messenger mentorship and advocacy program to advocate for alternatives to incarceration for substance-related offenses in the juvenile and adult legal system.

Fresh Lifelines for Youth, Inc.
Alameda County, San Mateo County, Santa Clara County
$1,000,000.00
To strengthen the civic engagement skills of youth in Alameda, San Mateo, and San Clara counties through youth-led service-learning projects, mentorship and peer support to become community change agents and reduce substance use disorder.

Fresno Metro Black Chamber Foundation
Fresno County, Madera County, San Joaquin County
$996,720.00
To improve educational and life outcomes of systems-impacted young adults in Fresno, Madera and San Joaquin counties through goal and skills development, vocational training, and career development to reduce substance use.

Gateway Mountain Center Inc
Nevada County, Placer County
$903,000.00
To promote healing and increase the leadership skills of youth in rural Placer and El Dorado counties through nature-based, harm reduction retreats and peer leadership programs to create healthy alternatives and reduce substance use.

Greater Sacramento Urban League
Sacramento County
$994,885.00
To increase civic engagement outcomes and promote the wellness of Black youth in Sacramento County through youth-led participatory action research projects to empower youth to research and formulate solutions to issues that impact them and their communities.

Horn of Africa Community in North America
San Diego County
$999,970.00
To improve leadership and civic engagement skills of refugee youth in San Diego County through community engagement, assessment and education to develop cultural best practices of prevention programming to reduce and prevent substance use.

Humboldt State University Sponsored Programs Foundation
Del Norte County, Humboldt County
$1,000,000.00
To empower Native American youth in Humboldt and Del Norte counties through youth camps, cultural practices, traditional ecological knowledge, and food sovereignty to reduce health disparities and reduce substance use.

Improve Your Tomorrow
Sacramento County
$991,081.00

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To improve the educational and health outcomes of young men of color attending Sacramento community colleges by providing mentorship, leadership development and culturally responsive wrap-around support in preparation for policy internships in Sacramento.

Kings Partnership for Prevention, Inc
Kings County
$579,370.00
To increase the resiliency of youth in Kings County through a youth-led coalition, civic engagement, early intervention and recovery services to reduce youth substance use.

Koreatown Youth and Community Center, Inc.
Los Angeles County
$1,000,000.00
To strengthen leadership and advocacy skills of Asian, Black, and Latinx youth in Los Angeles County through youth-led advocacy efforts to minimize exposure to tobacco and cannabis product waste at local parks and improve community health outcomes.

Latino Center for Prevention & Action in Health & Welfare
Orange County
$1,000,000.00
To increase advocacy skills and empower Latinx youth in Orange County through peer mentoring, creative arts, leadership development and strengthened resource and referral connections to reduce harm and youth substance use disorder.

Latino Commission on Alcohol and Drug Abuse Services
Tulare County
$899,898.00
To improve the self-esteem and interconnectedness of Latinx youth in Tulare County through programming that equips youth with healthy coping skills, knowledge, and confidence to build protective factors and improve life outcomes.

Legacy Alliance Outreach
Stanislaus County
$998,709.00
To empower Asian, Black, Latinx and Pacific Islander youth in Stanislaus County through peer-to-peer support and civic engagement opportunities to disrupt familial cycles of generational substance abuse and reduce youth substance use and overdose deaths.

Legacy LA Youth Development Corporation
Los Angeles County
$903,474.00
To increase leadership skills of Latinx youth in underserved Boyle Heights and East LA neighborhoods through mentoring and a youth-led campaign to address the over-saturation of cannabis billboard advertising and increase community understanding of youth substance use disorder.

Level Up NorCal
Butte County, Glenn County, Shasta County, Tehama County
$1,000,000.00
To improve health and social outcomes of Latinx and Southeast Asian youth in Shasta, Butte, Glenn, and Tehama counties through activism, leadership development and mentorship to heal intergenerational trauma and reduce substance use.
LGBTQ+ Collaborative  
Stanislaus County, Tuolumne County  
$999,917.00  
To increase civic engagement skills and amplify the voices of LGBTQ+ youth and young adults in Stanislaus and Tuolumne counties through advocacy, mentorship, community planning and mobilization to achieve inclusion and equity in local policies and improve health outcomes.

Museum of Children's Art  
Alameda County  
$999,921.00  
To empower Latinx and Black youth in Alameda County through transformational youth-led school and community-based interventions, youth activism and mentorship to reduce absenteeism and youth substance use disorder.

TrueCare  
Riverside County, San Luis Obispo County  
$998,168.00  
To empower Latinx/Hispanic youth in San Diego and Riverside counties through leadership development and peer-to-peer education to improve behavioral health outcomes and substance use awareness.

Northern California Indian Development Council, Inc  
Del Norte County, Humboldt County  
$1,000,000.00  
To promote healing among middle and high school Native American students in Humboldt County through culturally rooted lessons, social-emotional learning and youth advocacy to prevent substance use.

Pinoleville Pomo Nation  
Lake County, Mendocino County  
$1,000,000.00  
To improve the behavioral health and educational outcomes of Native youth in Mendocino and Lake counties through culturally rooted practices, leadership development, prevention education and policy advocacy training to promote educational equity and reduce substance use.

Pomona Pride Center Inc.  
Los Angeles County, San Bernadino County  
$1,000,000.00  
To empower 2S/LGBTQ+ youth in Los Angeles and San Bernardino counties through art, mentorship and youth-led activism leading to policy change and strengthened community-based efforts to reduce substance use.

Public Health Institute  
Sacramento County  
$1,000,000.00  
To increase leadership skills of Black youth in Sacramento County through youth-led advocacy campaigns, peer-to-peer learning, leadership opportunities, mentorship, and referral pathways to prevent substance use disorder.

Queer Humboldt  
Del Norte County, Humboldt County  
$999,051.00  
To improve the civic engagement skills to empower and support 2S/LGBTQIA+ and QTBIPOC youth in Humboldt, Del Norte, Mendocino, Siskiyou, Trinity counties, and local Tribal lands through school-level

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advocacy, mentorship, peer-to-peer support, and queer-informed direct services to treat and prevent youth substance use disorder.

**Realistic Education in Action Coalition to Foster Health (REACH LA)**

*Los Angeles County*

*$1,000,000.00*

To improve the leadership skills to empower 2S/LGBTQ+ students of color in Los Angeles, Orange and Riverside counties through substance use prevention campaigns, promotion of healthy relationships and prevention education using multimedia production to improve school climates and reform exclusionary policies.

**Rose Family Creative Empowerment Center**

*Sacramento County*

*$999,118.00*

To improve educational and health outcomes of African American students in South Sacramento through wraparound support, expanded academic services and a youth-driven substance use awareness campaign to inform policymakers on youth substance use issues.

**Sacred Generations**

*Madera County, Sacramento County, San Joaquin County, Solano County, Sonoma County*

*$1,000,000.00*

To promote healing of system-impacted Tribal youth and young adults in Madera, San Joaquin, Solano, Sonoma and Sacramento counties by creating art, film, and new media to increase awareness of mass incarceration and the effects of substance use.

**Social Advocates for Youth San Diego, Inc.**

*San Diego County*

*$1,000,000.00*

To improve behavioral health outcomes for system-impacted, homeless youth and young adults of color in San Diego County through referral to substance use treatment, mentoring, counseling and leadership development to advocate for policies that address the criminalization of youth substance use.

**Stockton Service Corps**

*San Joaquin County*

*$996,255.00*

To increase the civic engagement outcomes of Latinx, Asian and Black youth in San Joaquin County through mentorship, wraparound services, a youth-led council and community-based projects to reduce substance use.

**The Cambodian Family**

*Orange County*

*$1,000,000.00*

To empower Vietnamese, Cambodian and Latinx youth in Orange County through mentorship, peer-led activism training and implementation of a culturally and linguistically tailored curriculum to prevent substance use.

**The Church of the Nazarene, Inc. (Liberty Towers)**

*Sacramento County*

*$602,280.00*

To build leadership skills of youth in Sacramento County through advocacy training to make healthy decisions to create solutions in their own lives and address systemic barriers in their community.

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The Race and Gender Equity Project
Sacramento County
$999,961.00
To promote healing and improve health outcomes for Black youth in Sacramento County through performing arts, motivational workshops, life coaching, and mentorship to reduce and prevent substance use.

The Sacramento LGBT Community Center
Sacramento County
$1,000,000.00
To promote healing and life outcomes for BIQTPOC youth in Sacramento County through an educational hub that will foster peer-to-peer support, center youth voice and increase access to culturally responsive mental health to reduce substance use.

The Wall-Las Memorias
Los Angeles County
$1,000,000.00
To support the leadership development of Latinx and LGBTQ+ youth and young adults in Los Angeles through campaign development, mentorship and building public will for substance use disorder prevention policy change.

Underground GRIT
Orange County
$1,000,000.00
To improve the health and social outcomes of youth credible messengers in Orange County through education, advocacy and narrative change to reduce substance use.

United Way of Santa Cruz County
Santa Cruz County
$834,075.00
To promote the well-being of Latinx youth in Santa Cruz County through connection to resources, positive peer-to-peer relationships, decision-making, and leadership opportunities to reduce substance misuse.

Urban Peace Movement
Alameda County
$1,000,000.00
To increase the health and social outcomes of Black and Latinx youth in Alameda County through leadership development, civic engagement and youth-led community organizing to transform the youth justice system and increase awareness of positive coping mechanisms to prevent substance use disorder.

YES Nature to Neighborhoods
Contra Costa County
$826,436.00
To promote healing and strengthen the leadership and civic engagement skills among Richmond’s Black and Latinx male and male-identifying youth and young adults to cultivate change-makers through empowerment activities, advocacy groups, and family camps to strengthen communities and reduce substance use.

Young Invincibles
Los Angeles County, Riverside County, Sacramento County, San Bernadino County
$1,000,000.00
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To strengthen civic engagement outcomes of youth across California through community organizing, advocacy, narrative change, financial literacy, and trauma-informed care to advance health equity and economic security.

**Young Women’s Freedom Center**  
**Alameda County, Contra Costa County, San Francisco County**  
**$1,000,000.00**  
To promote healing and improve health outcomes by developing a collaborative of BIPOC formerly incarcerated, systems-impacted girls, women, and trans people of all genders in Alameda and San Francisco counties through family unity and intergenerational healing practices to advance transformative justice processes and community-based alternatives to incarceration.

**Youth Justice Coalition**  
**Los Angeles County**  
**$1,000,000.00**  
To empower Black and Latinx youth leaders in South Los Angeles communities of South Central, Watts, and Compton through Street C.R.E.D. (Community Resources, Education, and Distribution) to address the overwhelming health and safety impacts of substance use disorder.

**Youth Leadership Institute**  
**Merced County**  
**$1,000,000.00**  
To promote transformational healing of systems-impacted youth in Merced County through creative arts and culturally rooted enrichment activities that foster positive youth leadership development to achieve narrative change and reduce substance use.