



50 YEARS OF FIERCE CARE

2024 ANNUAL
REPORT

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As we celebrate our 50th anniversary, we reflect on a remarkable journey that began in 1974 just after the passage of Roe v. Wade. Our organization has steadfastly upheld feminist values and reaffirmed our commitment to justice, equity, and power-sharing with everyone we serve, regardless of gender identity, sexual orientation, age, race, ethnicity, income, or any other circumstance. Our evolution from a women's health collective to now having three robust, fully integrated primary care community health centers in Santa Cruz, Live Oak, and most recently in Ben Lomond, has been key to our resilience.

This past year, we emerged stronger than ever from the aftermath of COVID-19. We implemented a new electronic health record system that enhances our ability to modernize and streamline patient care, improve communication, and strengthen coordination with our community partners. We proudly welcomed our inaugural class of eight family practice medicine residents in partnership

with Dignity CommonSpirit and Morehouse College School of Medicine and made significant strides toward our vision of an expanded downtown clinic.

As we reflect on these transformative years and look forward to the future, we remain committed to our mission of improving the health of our patients and the community and advocating the feminist goals of social, political, and economic equality. Our journey is a testament to the power of community, collaboration, and unwavering dedication to social justice and healthcare for all. We are deeply grateful to our founding mothers, patients, staff, and partners who support us on this journey.

Para Atrás Ni Para Coger Impulso
(We Will Not Go Back),



Anita Aguirre, MPH
CEO



Julio Porro, MD
Board Chair

OUR MISSION

IMPROVING THE **HEALTH** OF OUR PATIENTS AND THE COMMUNITY

AND **ADVOCATING** THE FEMINIST GOALS OF **SOCIAL, POLITICAL, AND ECONOMIC EQUALITY.**

1974

Founded as the Santa Cruz Women's Health Collective by a group of UCSC students.

1984

Collective grew to an expanded clinic model: Santa Cruz Women's Health Center.

2004

Became a comprehensive family practice serving 5,000 patients

2012

Became a Federally Qualified Health Center and Healthcare for the Homeless provider.

2014

Opened East Cliff Family Health Center serving over 10,000 patients and expanding pediatrics and behavioral health.

2022

Opened Santa Cruz Mountain Health Center and the new Live Oak Health Center.

2024

Became a Continuity Clinic for Family Practice Residency Program.

IMPACT

32,038

Telephonic
Visits



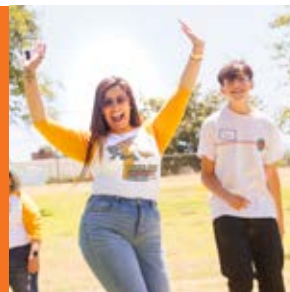
1,725

Optometry
Visits



2,794

Chiropractic
Visits



3,921

Pediatric
Patients



2,368

Unhoused
Patients



88,776

Total Visits



13,246

Total Patients



340

Medi-Cal
enrollments



94,656

Pounds of food
distributed



76

CalFresh
Enrollments

12,423

Behavioral
Health Visits



2,701

Case
Management
Visits



7,664

Acupuncture
Visits



380

Food Deliveries



16

Covered CA
Enrollments



EXPANDING HEALTH IN THE HEART OF SANTA CRUZ

Santa Cruz Community Health is embarking on a transformative journey to dramatically expand healthcare access in downtown Santa Cruz. Through our new facility at Pacific Station South, we will create a vibrant destination for the whole family to access whole-person health care.

This expansion will allow us to serve **3,000 additional patients**, bringing our total Downtown capacity to **7,000 community members** through almost **40,000 patient visits annually**.

This strategic expansion, located next to the county's largest transportation hub, will integrate comprehensive medical care, behavioral health and social services under one roof.

More than a medical facility, this new health center represents our commitment to addressing the critical healthcare gaps in our community. By combining healthcare services with proximity to over 70 new affordable housing units, we're creating an innovative model that recognizes health happens where people live, work and play.

This investment in our community's future will ensure that our most vulnerable neighbors—including children, seniors and families—have access to high-quality, comprehensive healthcare in a location that's accessible to all. As we've done for over 50 years, Santa Cruz Community Health continues to pave the way toward a healthier, more equitable Santa Cruz County.



FINANCIALS

July 1 2023 through June 30, 2024 (Unaudited)

ASSETS	Cash and Equivalents	6,458,617
	Investments	2,457,956
	Accounts Receivables	3,062,951
	Due from Medi-Cal	1,125,895
	Fixed Assets	18,102,040
	Other Assets	2,757,468
	Total Assets	33,964,927

LIABILITIES	Accounts Payable	1,142,798
	Accrued Liabilities	2,075,431
	Due to MediCal	397,398
	Deferred Revenue	112,000
	Notes Payables	4,711,686
	Other Long Term Liabilities	1,292,313
	Total Liabilities	9,731,626

NET ASSETS	Equity	24,233,301
	Total Equity	24,233,301

ANNUAL BUDGET

\$30,013,583

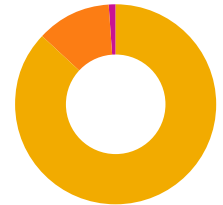
SOURCES OF FUNDS

Program Services	68%
Grants, Contracts, Fundraising	26%
Quality Care Awards	6%



USES OF FUNDS

Program Services	86%
Administration	12%
Fundraising	2%



CHARITABLE

In fiscal year 2023-24 we subsidized the cost of 4,978 visits, totaling \$1,152,667.



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