

# YSCF Youth Action Board 2022 Grantees

DIRECTED GRANT \$4,400  
FLORENCE RANDOLPH, YSPD  
COMMUNITY OUTREACH  
COORDINATOR

APPLIED GRANT \$4,400  
FEMINIST HEALTH FUND



## Insecurity of Needs - Housing, Food & Personal Hygiene

**HOUSING SUPPORT AND FOOD INSECURITY**  
HALF OF THE YAB GRANT FUNDS AND MATCHING FUNDS  
FROM YSCF TOTALING \$4,400 WERE AWARDED  
THROUGH A DIRECTED GRANT FOR THE WORK OF  
FLORENCE RANDOLPH, YSPD COMMUNITY OUTREACH  
COORDINATOR IN THE YELLOW SPRINGS COMMUNITY.

THESE FUNDS SUPPORTED AND PREVENTED FOUR (4)  
FAMILIES FROM BEING EVICTED FROM THEIR HOMES  
AND PROVIDED UTILITY PAYMENTS AS WELL. IT ALSO  
PROVIDED FOR ADDITIONAL FOOD SUPPORT FOR OVER  
10 YOUTH IN THE VILLAGE.



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## PERSONAL HYGIENE KITS

FROM AN ARTICLE WRITTEN BY LYDIA BICE, SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 5TH, 2023, YELLOW SPRINGS, OHIO (WKFE)

THE FEMINIST HEALTH FUND (FHF) COLLABORATED WITH THE YELLOW SPRINGS COMMUNITY FOUNDATION YOUTH ACTION BOARD (YAB) TO DISTRIBUTE FREE HYGIENE KITS TO YELLOW SPRINGS SCHOOLS, THE JOHN BRYAN YOUTH CENTER, THE YS FOOD PANTRY, AND OTHER COMMUNITY LOCATIONS.

IN MAY OF 2022, THE FHF APPLIED FOR A GRANT THROUGH THE YAB. THE FEMINIST HEALTH FUND WAS AWARDED THE GRANT OF \$4,400 FOR THEIR PROPOSAL TO CREATE HYGIENE KITS THAT WOULD BE DISTRIBUTED THROUGHOUT THE COMMUNITY TO PROVIDE THE ITEMS NEEDED TO KEEP YOUTH, AND THOSE IN NEED, HEALTHY.

THERE ARE TWO SPECIALIZED KITS: A UNISEX HYGIENE KIT AND A PERIOD KIT. THE UNISEX KITS COME WITH A DRAWSTRING BAG CONTAINING: FACE WIPES, BODY WASH, TOOTHBRUSH & TOOTHPASTE, FLOSS PICKS, DEODORANT, COMB, SHAMPOO & CONDITIONER, HAND AND BODY LOTION, PORTABLE TOWEL, RAZOR & SHAVING CREAM, SUNSCREEN, TWEEZERS & NAIL CLIPPERS, AND TYLENOL (WHERE APPROPRIATE).

THE PERIOD KITS INCLUDE THE FOLLOWING ITEMS: AUNT FLO TAMPONS & PAD CASES, SUMMER'S EVE WIPES, AND ADVIL (WHERE APPROPRIATE).



HUNDREDS OF HOURS WERE SPENT BY BOARD MEMBERS BUDGETING, PURCHASING, PACKING, AND DISTRIBUTING THE NEARLY 500 KITS.

THE FOLLOWING LOCATIONS HAVE KITS:

- THE JOHN BRYAN COMMUNITY CENTER
- YELLOW SPRINGS SCHOOLS
- YELLOW SPRINGS PHARMACY
- YELLOW SPRINGS POLICE DEPARTMENT
- METHODIST CHURCH FOOD PANTRY
- ANTIOCH COLLEGE WELLNESS CENTER

THE YELLOW SPRINGS COMMUNITY FOUNDATION, THE YOUTH ACTION BOARD, AND THE FEMINIST HEALTH FUND COLLABORATED TO PROVIDE BASIC HYGIENE PRODUCTS TO THE COMMUNITY'S YOUTH AND UNDERPRIVILEGED MEMBERS.

ALL OF THESE ORGANIZATIONS RELY ON DONATIONS AND GRANTS TO ASSIST YELLOW SPRINGS AND GREENE COUNTY.

## Impact Partners 2022

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