



BARRY COMMUNITY FREE CLINIC

BREAKING BARRIERS TO CARE

(ESTABLISHED 2008)

Annual Report Fiscal Year 2017-18

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Mission statement: Breaking barriers to care for uninsured and underinsured low-income individuals in our community by promoting access to and reducing financial burdens from medical and dental services.

Board of Directors:

David Parker MD, chairman
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Current Services:

Dental examinations
Dental fillings and extractions
Fitting of partial and complete dentures
Financial assistance for adults in financial distress from medical or dental bills

Target Population: Adults who lack insurance or access to care whose income is below 250% of the federal poverty level.

Letter from the Chair:

Dear Friends of the Barry Community Free Clinic and Freely Given, Inc.,

During the 2017-18 fiscal year, the Free Clinic has provided dental services both in private offices and in the Free Clinic suite at 1230 W State Street in Hastings, Michigan. During this year, Dr. Stacey Garrison, Dr. Kevin Hahn and Dr. Greg Randall provided free services including dental exams, fillings, extractions and fitting dentures. The dentists have received no financial reimbursement for services or materials.

The Free Clinic also continues to break barriers to care through partnering with the Barry County United way to identify local residents in financial distress from medical or dental bills. In these cases, the United Way uses Free Clinic resources to directly pay these bills while additional resources for other needs are provided through the United Way. During the 2017-18 fiscal year, we provided a total of \$5995.58 directly to individuals. Those interested in applying for funds may contact the Barry County United Way.

Due to low overhead, we continued during this fiscal year to do no direct fundraising, but we will thankfully accept donations provided through the Barry Community Foundation. We ask that donations be made into the "spendable" portion of the Barry Community Free Clinic fund so they will be available for disbursement.

With continued thanks for your support,

David Parker MD

Chair, Barry Community Free Clinic and Freely Given, Inc.

The Barry Community Free Clinic Fund is a "Basic Needs" fund of the Barry Community Foundation Mailing Address: PO Box 655, Hastings, MI, 49058