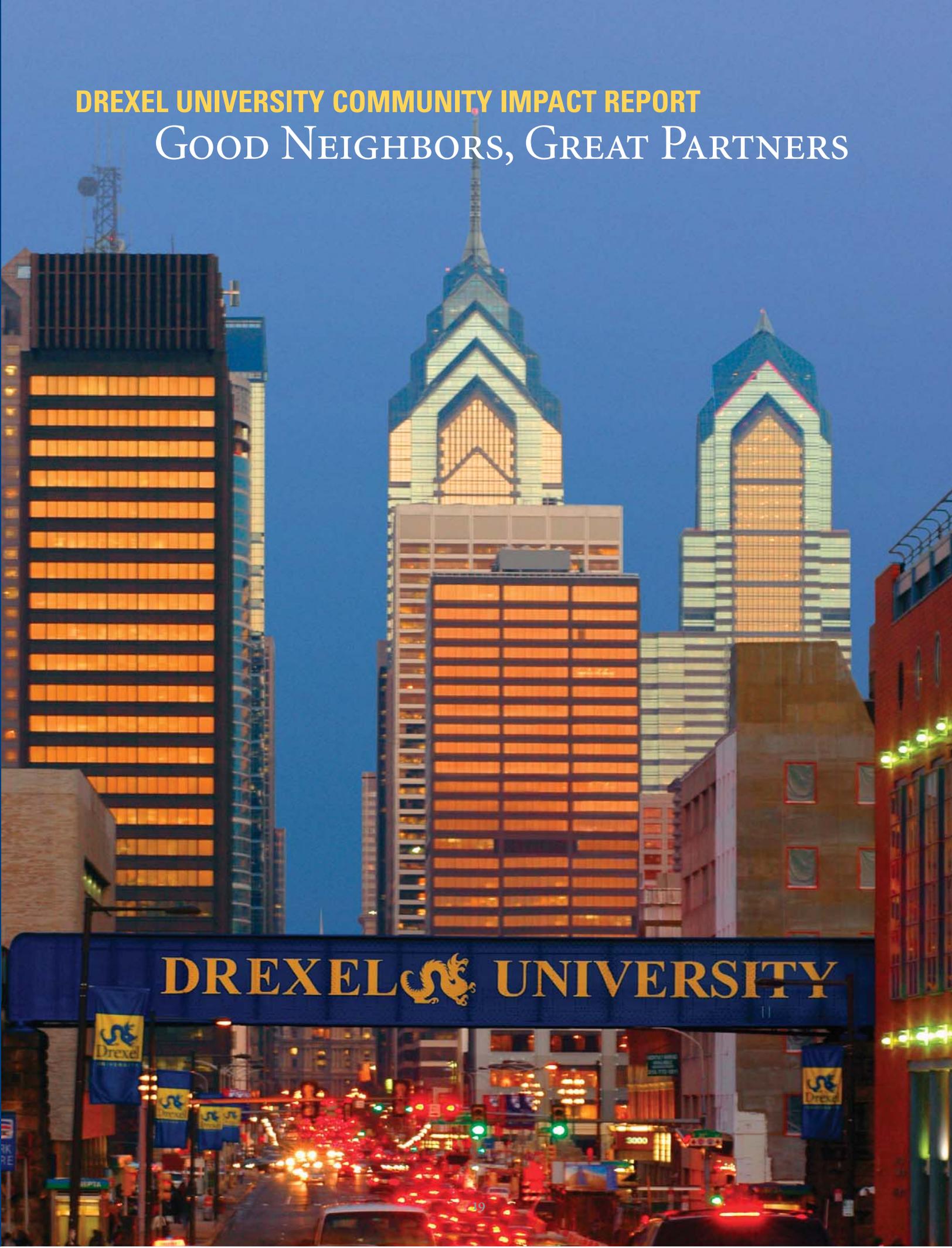


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GOOD NEIGHBORS, GREAT PARTNERS



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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



Drexel University's Mission: To serve our students and society through comprehensive integrated academic offerings enhanced by technology, co-operative education and clinical practice in an urban setting, with global outreach embracing research, scholarly activities and community initiatives.

Drexel is proud to be a good neighbor. We work hard to ensure that we have a positive impact on Philadelphia and our region. Our involvement in the community is so important, we have made it part of our mission statement, which guides everything we do at Drexel.

This report highlights the wide breadth of community-building, outreach and service activities undertaken at our University. Drexel and its students, faculty and staff commit thousands of hours and millions of dollars to projects that directly impact people and institutions throughout Greater Philadelphia, including young people, medically underserved populations, elementary and secondary students and teachers, public policy makers and many others.

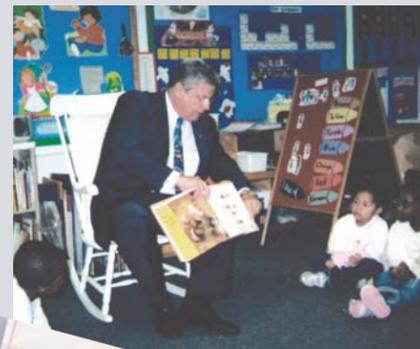
As part of a Drexel education, we endeavor to instill the values of service and civic responsibility in our students. We have integrated community service into our curriculum, and created the Center for Civic Engagement to act as a clearinghouse for service opportunities at Drexel. As we have expanded our academic mission into medicine and law, we have expanded our community outreach accordingly through patient care and pro bono legal service.

We also connect our students to the political fabric, bringing noted figures to campus including Senator Arlen Specter, President Bill Clinton and Chinese president Jiang Zemin. We have played host to events in conjunction with the 2000 Republican convention, Philadelphia mayoral debates and just this fall a national Democratic presidential debate.

Drexel strengthens the city, state and region via our economic power. We are among the 10 largest private employers in Philadelphia, with 7,300 employees, and through wages, capital expenditures, taxes, research expenditures and the increased productivity of our graduates we have an economic impact in Pennsylvania of more than \$1.6 billion annually.

Since our founding in 1891, Drexel has served our community. We have helped build an educated professional workforce, and we have provided tangible and intellectual resources to improve the quality of life for our neighbors.

Papadakis
Constantine Papadakis, Ph.D.
President



Dear Mr. Constantine,
We, the children at Harrity Head Start in Room 109, thank you for coming to our school to read to us. We loved the story, Pumpkin Soup so much that we drew pictures about it and we actually made and ate real pumpkin soup. We've enclosed the recipe as well as photo momentos of your visit with us.
Thank you for helping to make -Read to me- possible!
Please come back again soon!
Your friends in 108

■ BUILDING COMMUNITY



DREXEL'S INVOLVEMENT WITH THE COMMUNITY IS AS DIVERSE AS THE NEIGHBORHOODS THAT SURROUND OUR CAMPUSES. WE OFFER EDUCATIONAL SUPPORT FOR YOUTH, OUTREACH PROGRAMS FOR FAMILIES, FUNDRAISING INITIATIVES FOR COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS, SERVICE PROGRAMS FOR RESIDENTS, EXTENSIVE DEVELOPMENT EFFORTS AND SIGNIFICANT EMPLOYMENT, ALL OF WHICH TIE DREXEL TO PHILADELPHIA AND THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA. OUR COLLABORATION WITH OTHER EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS AND GOVERNMENTAL AND CIVIC ENTITIES OF EVERY TYPE ENABLES US TO DEVELOP AND SUSTAIN SUCCESSFUL PARTNERSHIPS THAT, IN ADDITION TO SERVING THE COMMUNITY, PRESENT VALUABLE LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES FOR OUR STUDENTS.

◀ Drexel's University City Main Campus in the heart of Philadelphia

KEEP WEST PHILLY WARM

Working with Pennsylvania State Senator Anthony Williams and the Energy Coordinating Agency (ECA) of Philadelphia, Drexel's Office of Government and Community Relations is helping West and Southwest Philadelphia residents learn how to reduce their heating bills. Through Senator Williams' efforts, the University received a \$100,000 grant from the Commonwealth to

organize energy-saving workshops. Drexel engineering students work with ECA members to demonstrate energy conservation techniques to lower home heating and water heating bills. Participants also receive ECA guides and a CD to reinforce workshop learnings, as well as an opportunity to buy a weatherization kit at reduced cost.





“Drexel University is an invaluable community partner in our great city. Specifically, the University has brought needed resources such as health education and the annual Celebrate Health Fair to inform and educate our West Philadelphia residents about healthy living. Drexel’s interaction and support for local community leaders has been steadfast, and President Papadakis’s continued commitment to improving the quality of life for area residents as well as the higher education infrastructure of University City is greatly appreciated by all.”

Jannie L. Blackwell
Philadelphia City Council, 3rd District



FUNDRAISING THAT EMPOWERS COMMUNITY

Black Tie White Coat

The Drexel University College of Medicine’s gala is one of the largest charity events in Philadelphia. Funds raised at the 2006 gala totaled \$700,000 and will support chronic pain research and treatment.

Dragon Drive

Each fall, Drexel’s workplace giving campaign garners a high level of employee support for five major charitable organizations: the AIDS Fund, the Bread & Roses Community Fund, the Environmental Fund for Pennsylvania, the United Way of Southeastern Pennsylvania and Women’s Way. The 2007 Dragon Drive set out to raise \$100,000, pushing the 7-year total of contributions by Drexel employees well past a half million dollars.

AIDS Benefit

For several years, Drexel’s medical students have organized an annual fundraising program to support children with AIDS, known as the Pediatric AIDS Benefit Concert. Faculty and students

take the stage and deliver professional-caliber performances. They sell an average of 600 tickets, and in 2006 they raised more than \$26,000.

March of Dimes Walk

A group of 25 Office of Enrollment Management employees participated in the March of Dimes Walk in the spring of 2006. The initiative was led by Enrollment Management’s Employee Development and Community Building Committee.

Race for the Cure

Drexel field hockey athletes participated in the Susan G. Komen 5K Race for the Cure in the spring of 2006, raising more than \$3,000 for breast cancer research.

SERVING THE PUBLIC ONLINE, ON-AIR AND ON-SITE

Garden Beautification Project

In an effort to beautify community areas in West Philadelphia, Drexel’s Office of Government and Community Relations collaborated with the Powelton Village Community Association and the Neighborhood Garden Association to revitalize the Summer Winter Community Garden on

Race Street. The area received substantial landscaping, cleaning, tree planting, fencing and more to heighten the garden’s appeal. This “green” challenge won the Garden Beautification Contest organized by the University City District as “the most outstanding large community garden.”

Dragon Home Purchase Program

A Drexel-born program, Dragon Home Purchase provides Drexel employees with a grant to purchase homes in the neighboring Powelton Village section of the city. A matching grant is available through the Philadelphia Home Buy Now program. The program encourages Drexel employees to live in the communities they serve.

The Math Forum @ Drexel

This leading online resource is funded by the School of Education and the National Science Foundation. Math Forum @ Drexel is a service for parents, students and math educators who recognize the need to expand student learning and teacher development in math education nationally. A popular destination for online browsers, attracting approximately two million visitors per month, the Math Forum has helped build community over the Internet.

Drexel University Television

DUTV produces “Direct Access,” a program highlighting issues of community interest. The station has aired shows such as “Ecology Today,” “Casino Free Philadelphia” and “Blacks Educating Blacks about Sexual Health Issues.”

CREATING CIVIC ENGAGEMENT AND OUTREACH

UNIV 101 Civic Engagement

Over a period of two years, 2,820 Drexel freshmen participated in community service activities in 262 community-based organizations or schools in the greater Philadelphia area as part of UNIV 101, a first-year orientation course. These services were provided to adult literacy groups, arts and culture centers, emergency relief, health and wellness initiatives, hunger and homelessness relief, athletic organizations and more.

Combating Violence Against Women on Campus

Faculty and staff from Drexel, the University of Pennsylvania and the University of the Sciences in Philadelphia regularly volunteer to provide confidential emotional support, medical treatment and resource information to survivors of sexual assault and domestic violence on their respective campuses.

Student Volunteers

Drexel fraternity brothers and sorority sisters are generous when it comes to volunteering their time to community outreach programs. On an annual basis, they contribute more than 3,200 hours of service to retirement homes, food drives, soup kitchens, community centers and organizations, including the Ronald McDonald House, Philabundance, the March of Dimes, the Salvation Army, the Philadelphia Zoo, the Boy Scouts, the Special Olympics and many more.

Educational Community

Drexel reaches out to the community of educators with programs geared to teachers of middle and high school students. Below are two examples

from the College of Engineering and the College of Arts and Sciences.

- “Engineering as a Contextual Vehicle to Teach Math and Science” is one of several innovative summer programs for math teachers. It pairs Drexel engineering graduate students and teachers from West Philadelphia middle schools to address math education delivery.

- The Drexel Science in Motion van delivers modern scientific instrumentation to public schools and provides advice, information and materials to local science teachers. Director Dr. Sally Solomon, professor of chemistry in the College of Arts and Sciences, also performs chemical demonstrations for students in classrooms, summer camps, workshops and at special events.

“At Drexel, we enact our belief that we must educate students for citizenship as well as for professional careers. The Center for Civic Engagement makes civic engagement an integral part of a Drexel education.”

Mark L. Greenberg, Ph.D.
Dean, Pennoni Honors College
Director, Center for Civic Engagement

WORKING WITH YOUNG PEOPLE



DREXEL MENTORS, EDUCATES AND SUPPORTS COMMUNITY YOUTH LONG BEFORE THEY ARE COLLEGE-BOUND. THE UNIVERSITY PROVIDES PROGRAMS, SPECIAL EVENTS AND ACADEMIC FORUMS TO HELP TEENS PREPARE FOR THE RIGORS OF HIGHER EDUCATION AND COLLEGE LIFE. WE PARTICIPATE IN NATIONAL INITIATIVES SUCH AS AMERICA READS/AMERICA COUNTS AND PROVIDE DREXEL-SPECIFIC OFFERINGS, INCLUDING THE HEALTH EXPLORERS POST AFTER-SCHOOL PROGRAM, WHICH MENTORS HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS IN HEALTH CAREERS. PHILANTHROPIC PROGRAMS FOR YOUNGSTERS AND TEENS ALSO FIGURE PROMINENTLY IN THE UNIVERSITY'S YOUTH OUTREACH AGENDA.

◀ Local students on campus for High School Day during Drexel Engineers Week

AMERICA READS/AMERICA COUNTS

Helping young people develop good reading and mathematical skills does much to enhance their college and career experiences. That's why Drexel supports and participates in the national America Reads Challenge. The Center for Academic Resources facilitates this year-round partnership with local learning centers and

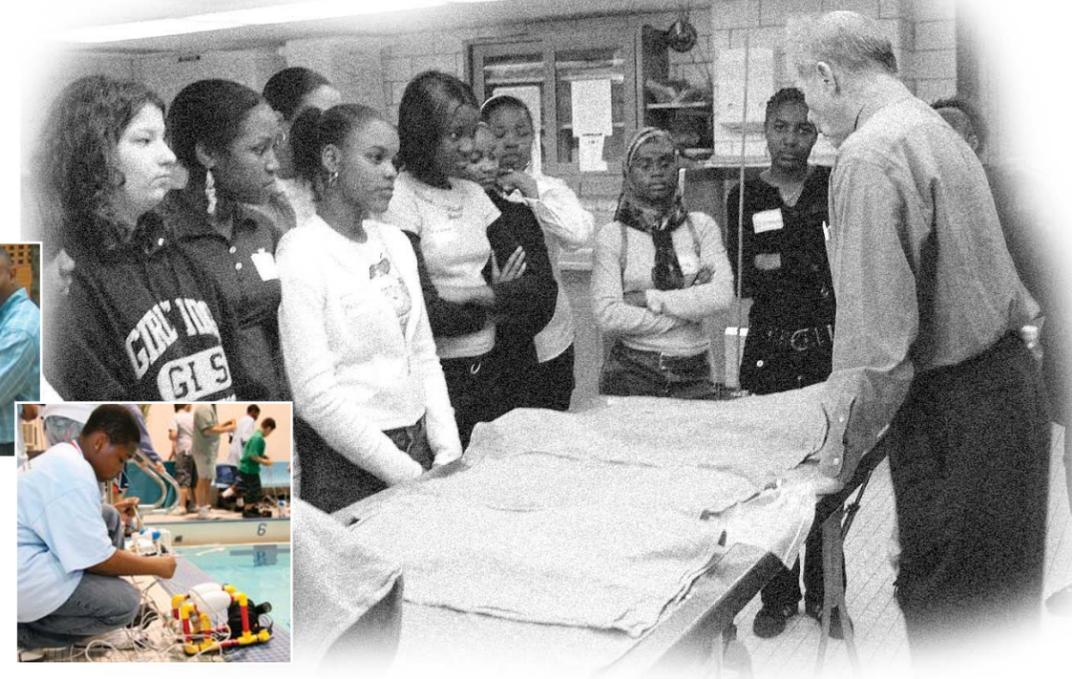
Philadelphia schools. Drexel work-study and volunteer students are trained and provided with the materials they need to help young children with reading, and older children with mathematics. Tutors work individually or with a small group of students, usually for two hours a week.





“The partnership between Drexel University and the YMCA has been invaluable to our ability to deliver a high-quality Y-Achievers Program. We are indebted to Drexel for its generous outreach and look forward to a long, mutually beneficial relationship.”

John Flynn
CEO, YMCA of Philadelphia and Vicinity



EXTENDING A HELPING HAND TO PHILADELPHIA YOUTH

Holiday Gifts

The Office of Government and Community Relations holds an annual Holiday Toy Drive on campus for underprivileged area children. Toys are donated by Drexel students, faculty and staff and distributed to approximately 50 community and civic organizations. Since 1996 more than 38,500 toys have been donated to children in West and North Philadelphia.

The Drexel University College of Medicine also holds a traditional Holiday Book Drive. In 2006, the college collected more than 530 new books for children at Mifflin Elementary School and the West Kensington Boys and Girls Club.

Grief Counseling

Drexel medical students help provide support for children who have experienced recent losses by volunteering their time at Philadelphia's Center for Grieving Children, Teens and Families.

Philadelphia Cares Day

In the fall of 2006, LeBow College of Business first-year MBA students par-

ticipated in this marathon day of service to help provide Philadelphia children with more attractive and functional learning environments. They performed routine maintenance, painting and cleaning and organized fundraisers to help build a lab and library for two elementary schools in West Philadelphia.

Squash Smarts

Drexel Athletics hosts and supports Squash Smarts, a program that combines the athleticism of squash with academic tutoring and mentoring of underserved urban youth, in an effort to develop self-esteem, discipline and sportsmanship. Athletics also provides participants for other community events, including Hoops for Health, the Colonial Athletic Association Blood Drive, Woman in Sports and Drexel's own Dream Day.

ACADEMIC TRAINING FOR THE NEXT GENERATION

Exodus to Excellence Summer Program

Drexel's Department of Mathematics and White Rock Baptist Church have co-sponsored a summer educational

program in West Philadelphia since 1993. Students between grades 8 and 11 take courses in mathematics, communication skills and computer science. Four \$1,000 scholarships are reserved by Drexel's Office of Enrollment Management for the highest performing participants.

Engineers Week High School Day

In 2006, the College of Engineering hosted more than 350 local high school students to celebrate Drexel's 5th annual Engineers Week for High School Day.

The Future is NEAR (Nanotechnology Education and Research)

Michael Boyer of North Penn High School in Lansdale, Pa., a fellow in Drexel's Research Experience for Teachers program, developed the country's first nanotechnology curriculum for high school students. Known as the Future is NEAR, the project's goal is to introduce the fundamentals of nanotechnology and the application of knowledge to high school students while stimulating their interest in engineering and problem solving.

Philadelphia Futures

Drexel's Office of Information Resource Technology co-sponsors an annual computer camp with Philadelphia Futures for 9th graders in the School District of Philadelphia. The lead teachers in these camps are supplied by the School District, and Drexel students serve as teaching assistants.

Scholarships

Many Drexel scholarships are made possible through the generosity of civic organizations. For example, the Drexel University Noyce Scholarship Program, a partnership between Drexel's School of Education, College of Arts and Sciences and School of Biomedical Engineering, Science, and Health Systems and the School District of Philadelphia, was noted during a 2006 U. S. congressional briefing as an "excellent example" of a national effort to strengthen K-12 science and math education. The scholarship encourages undergraduates seeking secondary teacher certification who are committed to teaching mathematics and science in the School District of Philadelphia. It is funded through a grant from the National Science Foundation.

Y-Achievers

For the past five years, Drexel has partnered with the YMCA's nationally acclaimed Y-Achievers program, which attracts high school students from across the region who are interested in pursuing a better life through college education. Drexel hosts the program for the YMCA of Philadelphia and Vicinity and also offers a scholarship to the best of the best students.

PROVIDING MENTORS, PREPARING LEADERS

National Youth Leadership Forum

Through the auspices of the Office of Government and Community Relations, Drexel supports the National Youth Leadership Forum, a non-profit educational organization, which provides summer youth programs that introduce national high school scholars to the fields of medicine, law and national security.

National Urban League Incentives to Excel and Succeed

The School of Education's Center for the Prevention of School Violence, which assists in the design, implementation and evaluation of creative school violence prevention models, hosts NULITIES, the longest ongoing National Urban League youth initiative. These personal and leadership workshops encourage urban youth to become leaders, embrace positive aspects of today's culture and cultivate leadership skills.

“Drexel University students learn, through real-life leadership experiences, that success on the athletic field, in the classroom and in the workplace is directly related to understanding and valuing the diversity in the community that one lives, works and plays in.”

Eric A. Zillmer, Psy.D.
Pacifico Professor of Neuropsychology
Director of Athletics

KEEPING PEOPLE HEALTHY



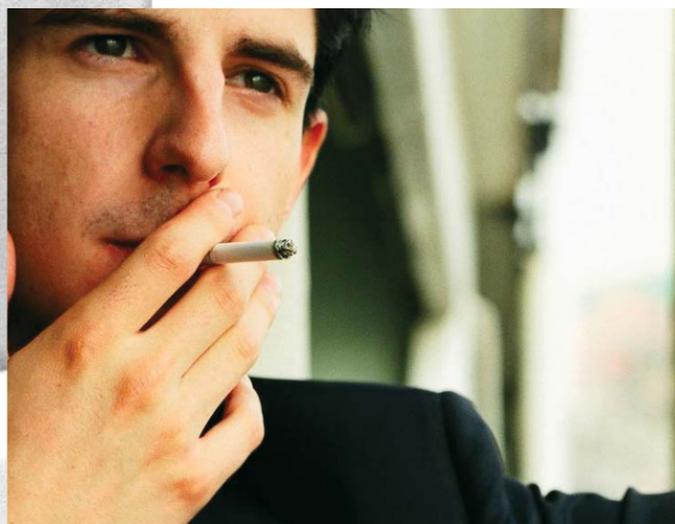
DREXEL'S INVOLVEMENT IN HEALTH CARE IS MULTIFACETED. THE DREXEL UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF MEDICINE IS THE LARGEST PRIVATE MEDICAL SCHOOL IN THE NATION, WITH RENOWNED PHYSICIANS SERVING AS EDUCATORS AND PROVIDING STUDENTS WITH INVALUABLE CLINICAL TRAINING. ALL OUR FIRST-YEAR MEDICAL STUDENTS ARE REQUIRED TO PARTICIPATE IN A COMMUNITY HEALTH PRACTICUM, WHICH GIVES THEM INSIGHT INTO HOW COMMUNITY FACTORS AFFECT HEALTH. THE UNIVERSITY IS ALSO ENGAGED IN THE HEALTH SCIENCES BEYOND EDUCATION, CONTRIBUTING TO PUBLIC POLICY AND MEETING COMMUNITY HEALTH NEEDS.

◀ Dental care at 11th Street Family Health Services of Drexel University

TOBACCO CONTROL PROJECT

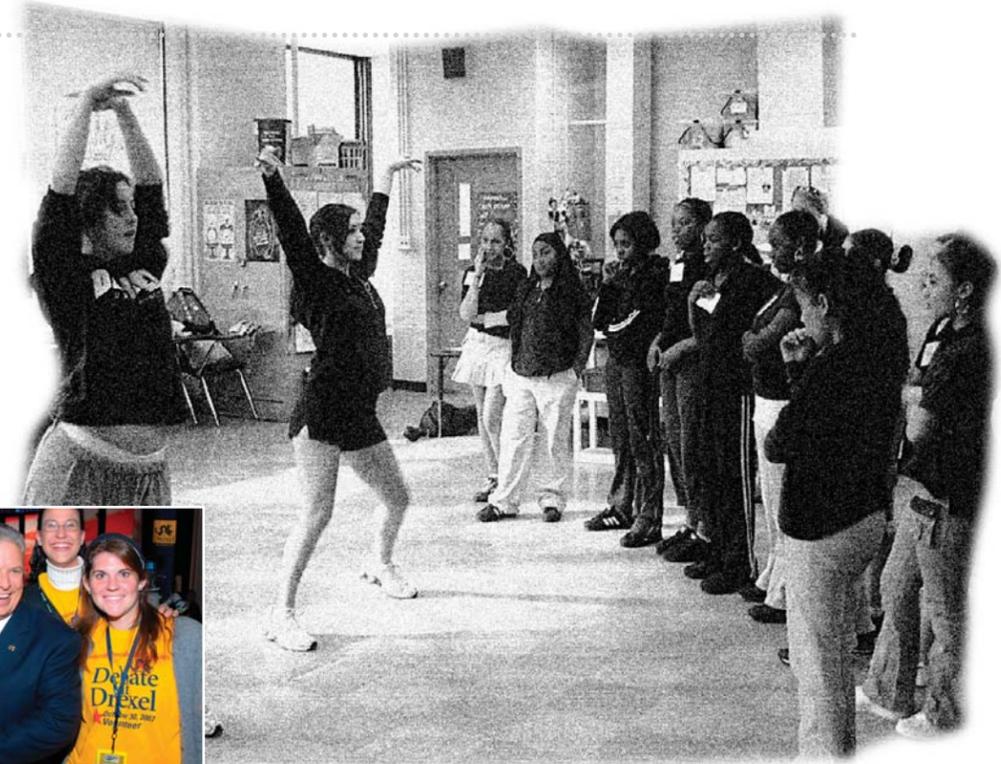
In 2001 and through 2006, the Office of Government and Community Relations (OGCR) received an annual grant from the Philadelphia Department of Public Health to provide gender-specific tobacco programs for women, pregnant women and men. In late 2006, the American Legacy Foundation also provided a grant specifically to reach 18- to

24-year old men not at a university with tobacco interventions. OGCR collaborates with community organizations that focus on working specifically with women or men to effectively reach and assist these populations. The Tobacco Control Project has already helped more than 500 women stop smoking.





Clinical Practice In addition to their teaching duties, our College of Medicine's physicians maintain a local faculty practice (Drexel University Physicians®) in which students work to gain real-world experience. During their years at Drexel, medical students receive clinical education at 25 affiliated hospitals and ambulatory sites, Hahnemann University Hospital being the main clinical affiliate. Students are exposed to the expertise of 600 clinical and basic science faculty as well as more than 1,700 affiliate and volunteer faculty. Drexel's patient-focused clinical service is an invaluable opportunity that emphasizes the importance of community service to students.



COMMITTED TO COMMUNITY HEALTH

Community Service Curriculum

The Community Education Experience is part of the first-year curriculum for medical students in the Interdisciplinary Foundations of Medicine track. In the 2006-07 academic year more than 200 students provided 4,500 hours of community service to students in elementary, middle and high schools, as well as the elderly. More than 2,000 community members were served through 25 agencies.

Students in the Program for Integrated Learning track also provided services at community sites across the Commonwealth for a period of seven weeks following their first year of medical school classes. They design a community service project while working with a primary care physician in the same area.

More than 50 percent of these students continue their community service projects after the curriculum ends.

The College of Nursing and Health Professions

Members of the college participate in a variety of community events each year. Here is a sample from 2006:

- In March, faculty and students in the Doctor of Physical Therapy (DPT) program spoke at the Franklin Institute during Brain Awareness Week, sponsored by the Philadelphia Chapter of Society for Neuroscience. They addressed school age children on the topic of "What do you know about your brain?"
- In June, faculty and DPT students participated in the Celebrate Health Fair at the McMichael School by measuring body mass index and discussing flexibility, strength, education and planning.

DUCoM Mini-Medical School

This eight-session community education program is offered by Drexel University College of Medicine to anyone interested in better understanding the latest medical advances and their own health care. Drexel physicians deliver lively lectures on important medical topics, followed by a hands-on lab or small-group learning experience. Mini-Medical School is approved for Act 48 continuing education credits for Pennsylvania teachers. The College also offers Mini-Med Summer Camp, an extraordinary five-week experience allowing high school juniors and seniors to spend time with a medical team.

The Department of Performing Arts

Dance students in the Department of Performing Arts, part of Drexel's Antoinette Westphal College of Media Arts and Design, partner with nutrition faculty and the Office of Civic Engagement to introduce dance to children as a part of healthy lifestyles. They have worked with a total of nine local schools. They recently conducted an after-school dance program for grades K-5 at the McMichael School.

HELPING OUT WITH HEALTH CARE

Health Services Administration Program

Every Wednesday evening at the Chinatown Clinic, the College of Nursing and Health Professions partners with the community to provide health care to the medically underserved, regardless of their ability to pay. The clinic strives to create an environment in which students, health care professionals, patients and community members can learn how to work together to address community factors, including language and cultural barriers, that affect health and lack of health care access.

Medical Student Volunteers

Students in the College of Medicine, in collaboration with the community, regularly volunteer to provide health education programs and services for all age groups and serve as mentors to children through schools and other community organizations. In 2006, more than 250 students served 3,000 people in 25 agencies.

11th Street Family Health Services of Drexel University

Under this comprehensive partnership between the community and the College of Nursing and Health Professions, the staff, faculty and students of the College provide primary care, behavioral health, dental services, health promotion and disease prevention programs to patients in the 11th Street Corridor, a federally determined Medically Underserved Area and Health Professional Shortage Area. In 2006-07, the staff provided care for more than 22,000 visits as well as outreach and health promotion programs.

ADDRESSING PUBLIC HEALTH POLICY

Public Policy Forum

The Office of Government and Community Relations sponsors the Public Policy Forum, an interactive meeting of elected officials and other public figures that provides Drexel and the community an opportunity to hear and discuss various viewpoints on issues in today's headlines. The OGCR also arranges for Drexel University to host high-profile events such as the Democratic presidential candidates debate and the Philadelphia mayoral debate.

School of Public Health

Drexel recruits students interested in the health of diverse populations for its School of Public Health, where they have opportunity to work closely with the community and health professionals. The School's curriculum combines knowledge of public health disciplines with practical applications and encourages collaboration with community groups. The goal is to prepare professionals who can effectively develop,

implement and evaluate strategies to address leading health issues such as HIV/AIDS, tuberculosis, teenage pregnancy, substance abuse and violence.

The School of Public Health has four centers, each focused on specific areas of public health practice: the Center for Health Equality, the Center for Public Health Readiness and Communication, the Center for Academic Public Health Practice and the Philadelphia GROW Project initiative,

"The College of Nursing and Health Professions is committed to partnering with the community, and we live that commitment through 11th Street Family Health Services. We're proud that 11th Street has become a hub of activity for residents interested in improving the health of their community."

Gloria F. Donnelly, Ph.D., RN, FAAN
Dean, College of Nursing and Health Professions

ECONOMIC IMPACT

“Drexel is more than a business force. Drexel University is a major contributor in our city, region and Commonwealth. Drexel has one of the largest campus-based service learning programs in the United States, with its students contributing more than 15,000 hours of community service annually. The University as a whole has committed to creating a campus culture that is grounded in significant community engagement. This enables the student body to learn the value of community involvement.”

Mark S. Schweiker
President, Greater Philadelphia Chamber of Commerce
Governor, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania (2001-2003)

SINCE OUR EARLIEST DAYS, DREXEL HAS HELPED FUEL ECONOMIC ACTIVITY IN PENNSYLVANIA. RECENT ECONOMIC IMPACT STATISTICS REFLECT THE TREMENDOUS GROWTH AND REVITALIZATION THAT HAS TAKEN PLACE AT DREXEL OVER JUST THE PAST DOZEN YEARS. SINCE 1996, FOR EXAMPLE, SEVEN NEW COLLEGES WERE ADDED TO THE UNIVERSITY, INCREASING THE ECONOMIC IMPACT ON BOTH PENNSYLVANIA AND THE LOCAL COMMUNITY.

	Penn State* (2003)	Temple (2004)	U of Penn* (1997)	Drexel (2005)	Pitt (2004)	West Chester (2000)
Economic impact	\$6.1 billion ²	\$3.1 billion ¹	\$4.3 billion ²	\$1.6 billion¹	\$1.3 billion ²	\$273 million ²
Enrollment	83,177 ³	30,612 ⁴	21,643 ⁵	17,656	27,190 ⁷	11,173 ⁸
Per-student impact	\$73,338	\$101,267	\$198,679	\$92,656	\$47,812	\$24,434
Employees	35,729 ³	12,759 ⁴	28,169 ⁶	5,608	10,781 ⁷	1,388 ²
Per-employee impact	\$170,730	\$242,966	\$152,650	\$291,715	\$120,583	\$196,686

- More than 5,600 people are employed in the daily operation of Drexel, but there are a total of 18,183 full- and part-time Pennsylvania jobs in nearly every sector, which are necessary to run the University's activities statewide.
- Co-op students, earning taxable co-op salaries, contribute more than \$30 million yearly to the state's economy.
- Drexel spent roughly \$396.3 million on construction and development between 2000 and 2005. That's an average of more than \$79 million per year.
- Research has grown exponentially since 1995, much of it due to our entry into academic medicine. Total research expenditures in 2004/2005 alone amounted to \$101.6 million, an increase of 573% over the 1995/1996 period.
- Drexel alumni provide a good measure of productivity. Employers expect more, gain more and, therefore, offer higher salaries to graduates of this University. The wage premium earned by alumni generates nearly \$173 million in economic activity for Pennsylvania.
- The total economic impact of Drexel University on the Pennsylvania economy is \$1.6 billion, which translates to approximately \$90,000 worth of economic impact per student and \$300,000 per employee. The relative impact of Drexel's contribution is 8.9% of the total economic impact of 94 private universities in the state.

REGARDLESS OF HOW ONE QUANTIFIES OUR ECONOMIC CONTRIBUTIONS, IT IS CLEAR THAT DREXEL IS NOT ONLY AN IMPRESSIVE INSTITUTION OF HIGHER LEARNING, CUTTING-EDGE RESEARCH AND COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT, BUT A LEADING CONTRIBUTOR TO THE ECONOMIC SOUNDNESS OF GREATER PHILADELPHIA AND THE COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA.

*Data include health system.

From "The Economic and Fiscal Impacts of Drexel University," by Econsult Corporation, Philadelphia, Pa., 2005

Sources: ¹Econsult Corporation ²University studies ³Penn State University Factbook ⁴Temple University Factbook ⁵University of Pennsylvania ⁶National Center for Education Statistics ⁷University of Pittsburgh ⁸West Chester University

A VAST REACH

THE DEPTH OF DREXEL'S COMMITMENT TO SERVICE CAN BE GAUGED BY THE AMOUNT OF WORK OUR STUDENTS DO FOR COMMUNITY ORGANIZATIONS. DURING THE PAST TWO YEARS, 2,820 DREXEL FIRST-YEAR STUDENTS PARTICIPATED IN COMMUNITY SERVICE ACTIVITIES IN 262 COMMUNITY-BASED ORGANIZATIONS OR SCHOOLS IN GREATER PHILADELPHIA AREA AS PART OF DREXEL'S UNIV 101 CURRICULUM.



ADULT LITERACY

Books Through Bars
CLC Book Center
Community Education Center - Latin Nation
Free Library of Philadelphia
M. Allan Vogelson Regional Branch Library
North Wales Library
Philadelphia Reads
Red Cross
St. Luke's Folk Dance

ANIMAL LOVERS

Academy of Natural Science - Live Animal Center
Alliance for Philadelphia Animals
APA - People Pet Partnership
Camden County Animal Shelter
Cape May County Animal Shelter
Leatherback Trust
PACCA
SPCA
Tinicum Wildlife Refuge
Vet Surgical and Diagnostic Specialties
Volunteers for Wildlife
Warm Homes for Warm Hearts

ARTS AND CULTURE

Center for the Arts on Main
Classical Yacht Restoration Guild
Community Orchestra
Franklin Institute
Ft. Mifflin
Granite Run Mall

Historical Society of the Somerset Hills
Iron Age Theatre
MACROCK (Music Fest) and Chorale
Opera Company
Philadelphia Boys Choir and Chorale
Philadelphia Film Festival
Philadelphia Flower Show
Philadelphia Regatta
USS Olympia
Washington Crossing Association
West Park Cultural and Opportunity Center
World Caf  Live

ATHLETICS

Philadelphia Marathon
Special Olympics
Spinner Diving
Tigers A.C. Sports
UPS - NYC Marathon

BILINGUAL OPPORTUNITIES

Comunidad Hispana de San Williams
Holy Angels Church

COMMUNITY OUTREACH AND SOCIAL ACTION

Associated Services for the Blind
Boy Scouts of America
Brick First Aid
Committee of 70
The Honorable Curt Weldon
Diversity Days
Emergency Relief

Habitat for Humanity
Malvern Fire Company
Nationalities Service Center
New Orleans Hurricane Relief
Philadelphia Cares
Philadelphia Housing Authority
Project of Easton, Inc.
Salvation Army
Uhuru Furniture
Union Fire Company
United Way
U.S. Voting Booths
Warrington Fire House
Westchester Emergency Volunteer Reserves
WHYY
Yardley Fire Company

ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION

Bala Cynwyd Garden Club
Bethane Elementary School
Borough of Lansdowne Recreational Dept.
Boy Scouts of America
Circle K
Clean Air Council
Community Garden
Energy Coordinating Agency
Fate Assembly of God
Grace Episcopal Church
Green Schools
Horticultural Society
House Rehabilitation
Independent Clean Up
Mantua Haverford Community Center
Maternity Care Coalition

Myers Hall Tree Planting
New York Social Diary - Royal Gardens Associates
Powelton Village Clean Up
Rolston Center
Sierra Club
St. Cecilia's Parish
St. George Coptic Orthodox Church
St. Gregory's Armenian Apostolic Church
Sunny Investments
University City District Clean Up
YuengSang Church

HEALTH AND WELLNESS

AIDS Coalition of Southern NJ
Alzheimer's Association
American Cancer Society
ASIAC (AIDS Services in Asian Communities)
Brain Injury Association of PA
CAAN Auction
Chester County Hospital
Cystic Fibrosis Foundation: Wishes & Dreams Gala
Helping Hands Rehabilitation
Huntington Memorial Hospital, Pasadena, Calif.
Komen Breast Cancer Foundation
Lupus Walk
Magee Rehabilitation Hospital
Mantua Health Fair
Muhlenberg Regional Medical Center
Muscular Dystrophy Association
Red Cross
Robert Wood Johnson University Hospital at Rahway
University of Pennsylvania Health System

HUNGER AND HOMELESSNESS

All Nations Apostolic Tabernacle
Allentown Area Ecumenical Food Bank
Care and Share Shoppe
Caring about Sharing
Eliza Shirley House
Greater Berks Food Bank
Greater Philadelphia Walk Against Hunger
Impact Thrift Stores, Inc.
Indian Valley Opportunity Center
Interfaith Clothing Center
Jewish Relief Agency
MANNA
Meals on Wheels
Missionaries of Charity

PhilAbundance
Philadelphia Coalition Against Hunger
Pottstown Food Pantry
Sarnelli House
St. Agatha - St. James
St. Baldricks Foundation
St. Francis Inn
St. Timothy's Church
University City Hospitality Coalition

SENIORS

Kearsley Retirement Community
Briarleaf Nursing Center
Faggs Manor Presbyterian Church
Independent Aide
Lankenau Hospital
Old Pine Community Center
Rolston Center
Summersville Assisted Living
Winter Wonderland Dinner

TECHNOLOGY

Digital Miracles
FIRST Robotics
NonProfit Technology Resource
NROTC
Tech Serv

WOMEN'S ISSUES

Foundation of Undergraduates for Sexual Equality
Planned Parenthood
Pro Life Coalition
Six Flags - Society of Women Engineers
Women Against Abuse

YOUTH ACTIVITIES/SCHOOLS

Alex's Lemonade Stand
Baptist Children's Services
Berks Christian School
Bethane Elementary School
Big Brothers Big Sisters
Boy Scouts of America
Boyertown HEARTS After-School Academy
Buckingham Elementary School
Camden Catholic High School
Cardinal Bevilacqua Community Center
Caring Center
Caring People Alliance
Central High School
Children's Hospital of Philadelphia
Christian Stronghold Academy
Cincinnati Friar's Club

Circle K
City Year
Cribs for Kids
Don Guanella School
Drew Elementary School
Drexel Diving Invitational
Drexel Dream Day
Eastern Center for Arts and Technology
Ed Snider Foundation
Elijah's Promise
Evangelismos of Theotokos Greek Orthodox Church
Fellowship Baptist Church
First Presbyterian Church Bible School
Future Cities 2006 Competition
Give Back to Lean Back
Grab the Dream (KFC & YMCA)
Growing Concern Montessori School
Guion S. Bluford Elementary School
Gunn High School
Haverford School
Ice Vault
Immaculate Heart of Mary Grade School
JMB Youth
JRA
JT Lambert Intermediate
Just Children - Child Care Center
KIPP Charter School of Philadelphia
Kirkbride Center
Korean School of Southern New Jersey
Lansdale Catholic High School
Largo Kumon Center
Leidy Elementary School
Mantua Haverford Community Center
Martha Washington Elementary School
Mastery Charter School
Monell Chemical Senses Center
Monmouth Linkage/Easter Seals
Musically Speaking
National Youth Leadership Conference
National Youth So Nice Day
NBC Homework Helpline
Neighborhood Bike Works
New Frankford Community Y - Aquatic Program
Northeast Hospital
Nutrition Outreach with Dance Program
Office of Youth and Young Adults

Our Lady of Perpetual Help
People's Emergency Center
Philadelphia Full Gospel Assembly Youth Program
Philippine Community Youth of Southern New Jersey
Powel Elementary School
Princeton French School
Private Tutor
Read-A-Thon
Rhoads Elementary School
Ronald McDonald House
Salinah's Family Daycare
Sheppard School
South Philadelphia High School
SPANNER
Spark the Wave
Squash Smarts
St. Christopher's Parish
St. Demetrius
St. Gregory the Great Elementary School
St. Ignatius
St. John Baptist School
St. Mary's Respite
St. Paul's Preschool
St. Stephen CCD Program
St. Thomas Youth GOYA
Strathaven High School
Tolentine Community Center & Development Corp.
Toys for Tots
Trevor Williams Kids Foundation
Tunkhannock Area School District
United Disabilities Services
United Synagogue Youth
University City High School
Upper Darby Sellers Memorial Free Public Library
Visitation B.V.M. Grade School
Washington Township High School
West Philadelphia Alliance for Children
West Philadelphia Catholic High School
Western Community Daycare
Whittier Elementary School
YMCA of Philadelphia



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