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Impact 100 Redwood Circle Announces \$100,000 Impact Grant for 2022 Awarded to Jewish Free Community Clinic

November 7, 2022 — Santa Rosa, CA — Impact 100 Redwood Circle, a Sonoma County women's giving circle, announced the recipient of their 7th Annual \$100,000 Impact Grant was awarded to Jewish Community Free Clinic (JCFC). They also awarded \$10,000 Merit Grants to two finalists Vital Immigrant Defense Advocacy and Services (VIDAS) Legal and KBBF Public Radio.

JCFC will use the grant to implement an electronic health records (EHR) system over a two-year grant period. The Impact Grant supports the adoption, training and on boarding of the EPIC platform, used by most health care providers in Sonoma County. This will mean that JCFC clients' health data will be transferable, both to and from, any clinics and hospitals using EPIC, ensuring easy and efficient access to their records. Bringing JCFC's record keeping system into the digital age will elevate its ability to champion health equity for all well into the future.

The 260 members of Impact 100 Redwood Circle voted on three finalist proposals in October and announced the results of the vote at a celebration event at Sally Tomoates in Rohnert Park on Saturday, November 5. KBBF's proposal was to create a new app to bring their content to a younger generation. The bilingual radio station will be celebrating their 50th anniversary next year. VIDAS Legal proposed adding specialized advocacy expert to help those facing deportation without legal representation.

This is a momentous year for Impact 100 Redwood Circle as their members will have made 61 grants totaling \$1.21 million dollars to Sonoma nonprofits since their inception in 2016, passing the million dollar mark in 2022.

About Impact 100 Redwood Circle

Impact 100 Redwood Circle is a giving circle of women of all ages and backgrounds who are passionate about making our community a better place. Members are committed to making an annual donation of \$1,000 either individually or shared. Award recipients are selected each year by the membership. Currently the group 260 members. More information is available at www.impact100redwoodcircle.org