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## \$1.645 Million in Grants Distributed Through The Denver Post Season To Share presented by DaVita

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### ***54 Denver metro nonprofit organizations have been selected to receive grants***

Denver, CO, April 5, 2019 - Through The Denver Post Season to Share presented by DaVita, \$1,645,000 in grants will be distributed to local nonprofits providing life-changing programs that help low-income children, families and adults move out of poverty toward stabilization and self-sufficiency. On Thursday, April 4, these 54 agencies were celebrated at a Gala hosted by DaVita.

Thanks to 4,000 donors and a generous DaVita matching grant, the 2018/19 Season To Share campaign will make a significant impact on thousands of children, families and individuals through programs focusing on the areas of children and youth, health and wellness, homelessness and hunger. These 54 grants will strengthen metro Denver by preparing children and youth for success in the classroom and in life, protecting children and families in need with medical care, housing families and individuals in need of a permanent home, and helping to nourish those who experience hunger.

“DaVita has a deep commitment to caring for our community, so contributing to Season To Share has been a true honor,” said Kent Thiry, chairman and CEO of DaVita.

“Each year we are proud to announce and support the selected nonprofits through Season To Share that do such great work addressing the vital needs of those struggling in our community,” said Tracy Ulmer, president and CEO of The Denver Post Community Foundation. “We could not be more grateful to the generous donors and to DaVita for making these grants possible for the 54 local agencies.”

A full list of grantees is attached. To learn more, visit [seasonotoshare.com](http://seasonotoshare.com)

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***About The Denver Post Season To Share***

The Denver Post Season To Share is the annual holiday fundraising campaign for The Denver Post Community Foundation, a recognized 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization. Funds raised through Season To Share, support qualified nonprofit organizations with programs that focus on children and youth, health and wellness, homelessness, and hunger. Grants are made possible with the generosity of Denver Post readers, the general public, and corporate donations to the Season To Share campaign, with matching funds from DaVita. For more information, visit [seasonotoshare.com](http://seasonotoshare.com) or [denverpostcommunity.com](http://denverpostcommunity.com).

***About DaVita Inc.***

DaVita is a health care provider focused on transforming care delivery to improve quality of life for patients around the globe. Through DaVita Kidney Care and the DaVita Medical Group, DaVita is pushing for what health care could be by delivering high-quality clinical outcomes and managing the total cost of care. DaVita is committed to bold, patient-centric care models, implementing the latest technologies and moving toward integrated care offerings for all. The company is the largest provider of kidney care services in the U.S. and has been a leader in clinical quality and innovation for 20 years. DaVita currently serves approximately 203,000 patients at 2,664 outpatient dialysis centers in the United States. The company also operates 241 outpatient dialysis centers located in 9 countries across Asia, Europe, the Middle East and South America. DaVita has reduced hospitalizations, improved mortality, and worked collaboratively to propel the kidney care industry to adopt an equitable and high-quality standard of care for all patients, everywhere. Since 2012, DaVita Medical Group has provided primary and ancillary care for approximately 1.7 million patients within medical groups and affiliated physician networks in California, Colorado, Florida, Nevada, New Mexico and Washington. To learn more about how DaVita is leading the health care evolution, please visit [DaVita.com/About](http://DaVita.com/About).

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