

PRESS RELEASE

Stamford-Based Women's Mentoring Network, Inc. Receives Grant from Fairfield County's Community Foundation

Women's Mentoring Network, Inc. was awarded with a grant from Fairfield County's Community Foundation. The Stamford-based Women's Mentoring Network is a non-profit organization that serves low-income women and their families in Lower Fairfield County.

The grant from Fairfield County's Community Foundation will be applied to help Women's Mentoring Network to diversify its funding in order to improve upon its programs and services to low-income and their families. The programs and services provided by Women's Network help to develop the skills of women and their families in order to create a stronger workforce. Women's Mentoring Network services include workforce development, financial literacy, Life Skills Workshops, educational services, one-on-one mentoring, and a food pantry. Women's Mentoring Network also offers a First Generation Achievement Program to help prepare the clients' children for their future. For more information regarding Women's Mentoring Network, please go to the website www.wmninc.org.

About Fairfield County's Community Foundation

Fairfield County's Community Foundation promotes philanthropy as a means to create change in Fairfield County, focusing on innovative and collaborative solutions to critical issues impacting the community. Individuals, families, corporations and organizations can establish charitable funds or contribute to existing funds. The Community Foundation is in compliance with the Council on Foundations' national standards, and has awarded over \$207 million in grants to nonprofits in Fairfield County and beyond. For more information, visit www.fccfoundation.org.