

# Civil Money Penalty Reinvestment Program

## SFY 22 Approved Projects

### Overview

In SFY 2022, nine projects were approved by CMS to use CMP Reinvestment Funds to improve the quality of life or care for residents of Virginia’s nursing facilities. Projects will be implemented over the next one to three years, utilizing a total of \$2,512,750.29 in CMP Reinvestment Funds. The breakdown of the use of funds over the three-year period follows:

Fiscal Year	Number of Projects	Funds Approved
SFY 2022	9	\$1,104,133.60
SFY 2023	5	\$679,526.43
SFY 2024	3	\$729,090.09
<b>Total</b>		<b>\$2,512,750.29</b>

### Java Group Programs

In this cycle, three projects were approved to implement the Java Group Programs. These are resident peer support and mentoring programs that work together to reduce social isolation and loneliness and create opportunities for meaningful participation and emotional engagement.

The three entities approved to use CMP Reinvestment Funds to implement the Java Programs are:

#### Friendship Health and Rehab South

SFY 2022	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Total
\$10,319.40	n/a	n/a	\$10,319.40

#### Birmingham Green

SFY 2022	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Total
\$9,800	n/a	n/a	\$9,800

#### LeadingAge Virginia

SFY 2022	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Total
\$341,640	\$15,000	n/a	\$356,640

### Bridgewater Retirement Community

#### Action Pact Household Model Training

The project partners with Action Pact, a consulting company specializing in culture change, to recalibrate team members on the goals and ideals of culture change and to improve resident quality of life through PersonFirst care.

SFY 2022	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Total
\$69,440	\$59,675	n/a	\$129,115

## LeadingAge Virginia

### Opening Minds Through Art

A three-year training and certification program open to all nursing facilities in Virginia called “Opening Minds through Art” (OMA), a therapeutic group intervention for older adults living with dementia that provides inter-generational person-centered engagement by using the creation of abstract pieces of art to enhance the quality of life for residents.

SFY 2022	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Total
\$253,285.35	\$357,867.76	\$472,229.24	\$1,083,382.35

## Richfield Living

### Culture Change Sustainability at Richfield Living

Richfield Living nursing care residents recently moved from the medical hallways model into the household model of the newly opened Health Center, thus requiring staff training to maximize the benefits for the residents within this new physical environment. The project goal is to perpetuate Action Pact staff training in the household model of care delivery to the point of sustainability and improved quality of resident life.

SFY 2022	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Total
\$100,200	n/a	n/a	\$100,200

## Riverside Center for Excellence in Aging and Lifelong Health

### Positive Approach to Care

This program of interactive training workshops in nursing facilities uses Teepa Snow’s evidence-based Positive Approach to Care® (PAC) philosophy and care partnering techniques, including Positive Physical Approach™ (PPA™) and Hand Under Hand™ (HUH™). Learners will develop new skills related to approach, cueing and connecting with people living with dementia, creating a positive and caring environment. The project aims to 1) certify additional PAC trainers in Virginia and to 2) make sustainable improvements in quality of dementia care in three nursing facilities.

SFY 2022	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Total
\$140,220.85	\$61,740.85	\$61,740.85	\$263,702.54

## VCU Gerontology

### Development of a Trauma-informed Care: Resilience and Well-Being Toolkit for Nursing Facilities

The project will develop the content for a stakeholder designed Trauma-informed Care: Resilience and Well-being Toolkit created with nursing facility provider input using the community-based participatory action research (CBPAR) approach. The final toolkit will be

designed and built as an accessible, user-friendly digital product that will contain various best-practice resources and tools that users can download and apply to their communities.

SFY 2022	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Total
\$172,228	\$185,243	\$195,120	\$552,591

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#### Snoezelen Sensory Items

The Virginia Veterans Care Center plans to create a Snoezelen space for residents living with dementia. The Snoezelen space will incorporate auditory stimulation and sensory activities that have been shown to enhance mood, stimulation and cognition and increase awareness and attention in residents.

SFY 2022	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Total
\$7,000	n/a	n/a	\$7,000

### TMF Health Quality Institute

#### Next Steps in Dementia Care (NSDC)

NSDC is a team-based approach to successfully address behavioral changes in Persons with Dementia using strategies proven to be effective. NSDC uses learning modules which have video vignettes and concept videos to improve staff’s ability to recognize the causes of expressions of distress particular to each individual with dementia. This training will also help staff proactively learn to avoid and/or manage behaviors should they manifest, resulting in an improved quality of life for residents with dementia in Virginia’s nursing homes. TMF is using its Virtual Learning (online) Platform to provide the NSDC education to staff in 60 Virginia nursing homes. Licensed nurses, who complete the program, will receive Continuing Nursing Education Units and non-nurses will receive a certificate of completion.

SFY 2022	SFY 2023	SFY 2024	Total
\$462,929.45	\$219,255.09	n/a	\$682,184.54