



Encompassing Total Care

Access Now's network of specialists reaches far into our community. Our physicians, nurse practitioners (NPs), physician assistants (PAs), therapists and other clinician volunteers provide their time and talents to care for our community's vulnerable uninsured patients.

Our referrals come from 33 primary-care free clinics, health departments, and community health centers whose patients' needs surpass the scope of primary care. Our patients are hard-working people who cannot afford health insurance, yet their income is such that they are ineligible for government assistance.

For 16 years, Access Now has provided

free specialty medical care to Richmond's uninsured and low-income families. Our fundamental belief is that healthy people make a healthy community, and a healthy community thrives.

The Access Now staff function as patient advocates to ensure every patient gets the specialty medical treatment they need, coordinating transportation as well as interpreting services.

Access Now could not survive without the continued generous support of its gracious donors. For every dollar donated to Access Now, we provide \$10.50 in care.

To learn more about Access Now or to make a donation to our life-saving work, go to AccessNowRVA.org.

2023 Highlights

Access Now makes a significant difference in our community by providing specialty medical care to the uninsured.

In 2023:

We referred 2,179 patients to more than 1,150 physicians and other health professionals and four hospital systems for the complex care they needed.

We received 3,258 referral requests for specialty medical care.

Our staff coordinated more than 5,732 office appointments and hospital procedures.

Participating physicians and other health professionals donated care valued at more than \$5.6 million.





“I want to thank Access Now for the help they provide to people who do not have health insurance coverage but need to receive medical attention. More than a year ago I had an accident and they amputated part of my right leg. It has been difficult to walk and be able to find work. Some friends told me about Access Now; thanks to them, I am using my new prosthesis. For me, it is a blessing because I will be able to start leading a normal life.”

—Jackelinnee, Access Now patient

“Access Now has given me excellent care over the last four years. They have always been very kind and gentle with the attention they have given me, especially in those moments when I have been unwell.”

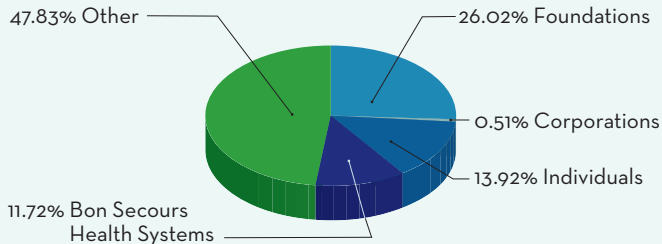
– Jorge, Access Now patient



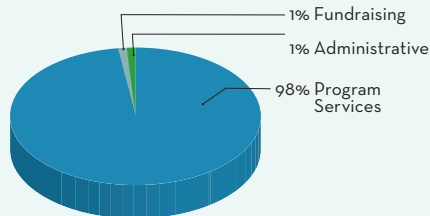
“I am so glad our practice has been able to help improve the lives of the hardworking people who participate...Many are recent immigrants; being an immigrant myself I know that it can be hard adjusting to a new country, but I am happy to help them get the care they need.”

– Ushita Patel, DPM, FACPM, FASPS, physician volunteer and Access Now Board member

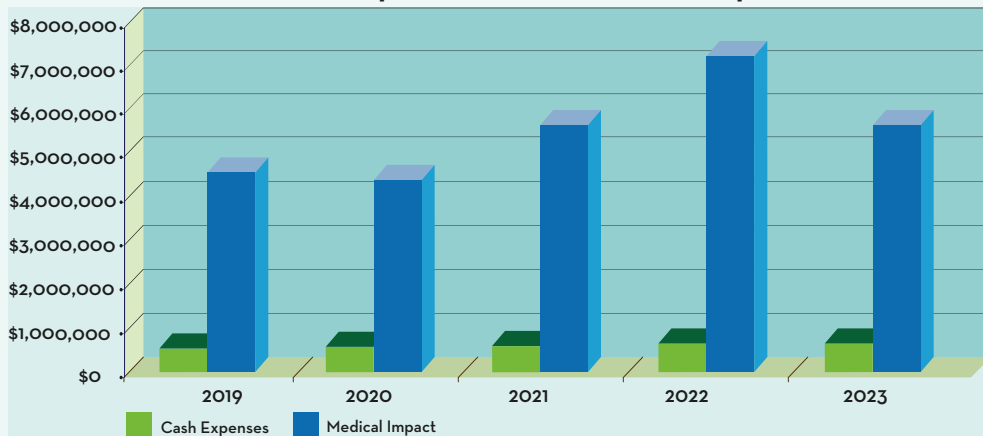
2023 Operating Revenues (audited)



2023 Expenses (audited)

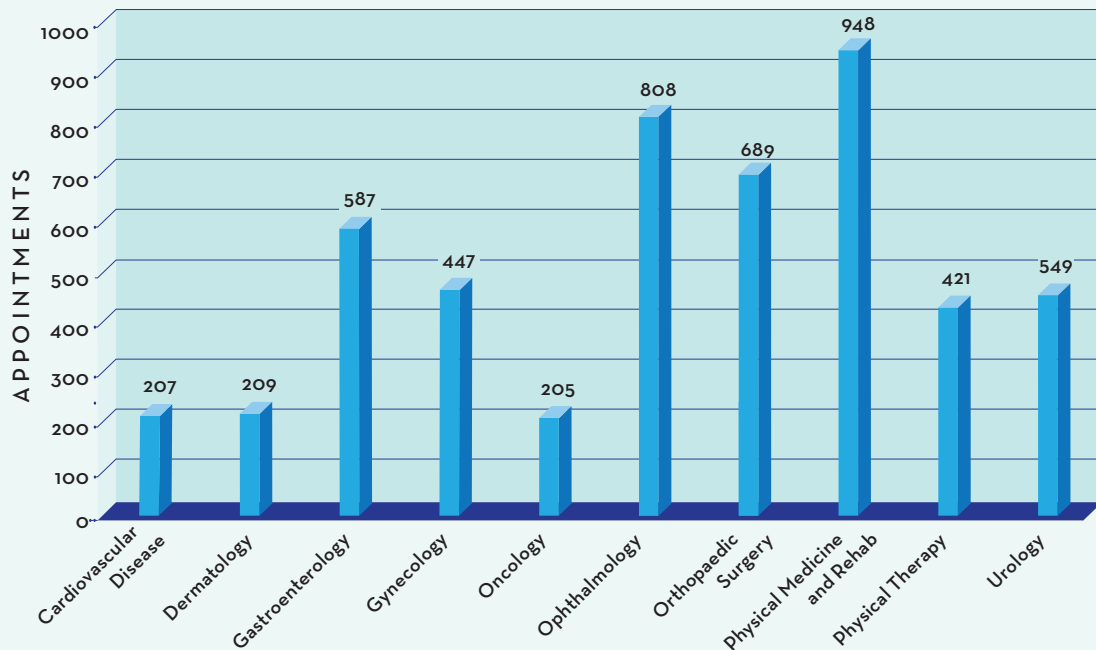


Expenses vs. Medical Impact



Top Ten Needs

Access Now continues to serve thousands of uninsured individuals in the Greater Richmond area who need specialty medical services. We provide access to more than 50 specialties, with the greatest demand shown below.



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