DC KinCare Alliance Named ‘One of the Best’ Nonprofits by the Catalogue for Philanthropy

As it Celebrates its 18th Anniversary Working in the Greater Washington Region, the Catalogue for Philanthropy is Proud to Honor DC KinCare Alliance

WASHINGTON, D.C.—5.28.2021—After an intentional application and selection process, the Catalogue for Philanthropy: Greater Washington has selected DC KinCare Alliance to be part of the Class of 2021-22. DC KinCare Alliance has undergone a rigorous review process conducted by a team of 170+ local community advocates, and has been found to be a critical local nonprofit. Potential donors can be confident that the nonprofits in the Catalogue are worthy of their support. DC KinCare Alliance’s mission is to support the legal, financial, and related service needs of relative caregivers (predominantly women) who step up to raise at-risk DC children in their extended families in times of crisis when the children’s parents are not able to care for them due to mental health and substance use disorders, incarceration, death, abuse and neglect, and/or deportation.

This year, the Catalogue’s volunteer review team helped select 87 nonprofits to feature in the print edition, almost half of which are new to the Catalogue this year. Over 70% of the organizations are women-led, and over 40% are BIPOC-led. The network now includes 400+ vetted nonprofits working in the arts, education, environment, and human services sectors throughout Greater Washington.

“People want to get involved in their community—they want to make a difference, close to home. Based on our rigorous review process, we believe that DC KinCare Alliance is a critical local nonprofit in our region,” says Matt Gayer, Co-Executive Director of the Catalogue for Philanthropy.

“We want to thank the Catalogue for Philanthropy for supporting our work to advance legal, racial, and economic equity for DC’s relative caregivers, who are typically Black women living in the city’s poorest wards,” says DC KinCare Alliance Executive Director Marla Spindel. “We appreciate the Catalogue shining a light on small nonprofits like ours that take on the awesome responsibility of helping those most vulnerable in our community, but often operate with fewer resources and recognition than larger nonprofits.”

The Catalogue believes in the power of small nonprofits to spark big change. And they believe in DC KinCare Alliance to continue to further that positive change, working each day to lift up, strengthen, and enrich our local community.

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