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OASIS Institute, College Bound and Wyman named to Social Impact 100 Index

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Three local nonprofits were named to the first-ever Social Impact 100 Index, a list of nationwide organizations that have demonstrated the ability to make a calculated difference and the potential to impact more individuals in need.

The OASIS Institute, College Bound and Wyman center made the list, which was compiled by the New York-based Growth Philanthropy Network, in partnership with the Center for Strategic Philanthropy and Civil Society and the Center for Advancement of Social Entrepreneurship.

The Social Impact 100 index is meant to resemble the S&P 500.

College Bound is recognized for efforts over the past seven years to help low-income students graduate college by providing them with social and academic support programs. Almost all seniors in the College Bound program are accepted to a college, and 75 percent of those students are on track to graduate from college. College Bound had 2012 revenue of \$1.6 million, according to GuideStar, a website that tracks nonprofit financial information.

The OASIS Institute was named to the list for its work on aging-related issues since 1982. It serves individuals in 40 cities. One initiative that helped land the center on the list was helping the participants more than double their physical daily activity, which led to a significant decrease in depressive symptoms and perceived stress. OASIS reported a total revenue of \$5.6 million in 2010, according to a 2010 Form 990.

Wyman Center, a group committed to youth development, made the list for its efforts on a teen outreach program that has impacted 18,000 teens through 46 partners throughout the nation. Wyman Center is hoping to reach 240,000 teens by 2014. Teens at the Wyman Center have a 60 percent lower risk of dropping out of school. Also, the teens in the program have a 53 percent lower risk of pregnancy, or becoming fathers. The Wyman Center reported revenue of \$3.7 million, according to a 2010 Form 990.

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