

**News Brief - For Immediate Release**

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**Fred Lang Foundation Presents \$73,155 Check to Charlotte Behavioral Health Care**

**PUNTA GORDA, Fla. (October 17, 2019)** – The Fred Lang Foundation recently presented Charlotte Behavioral Health Care (CHBC) with a check for \$73,155 to provide mental health programs and services within our community.

Commonly referred to “the fundraising arm” of CBHC, the Fred Lang Foundation has funded programs such as: a crisis unit therapist; trauma therapy; suicide education, prevention, intervention, and postvention; a violence prevention program; a part-time walk-in therapist to provide immediate access to services for patients; and an annual therapeutic art and dance Summer Camp for kids with mental illness who may not integrate well into traditional camps.

Upcoming fundraisers include the popular “Dine with a Star at the Burg’r Bar” event on February 19, 2020 and their largest annual fundraiser, the Fred Lang Foundation Summer Ball on July 18, 2020. For more information, visit [www.cbhcfi.org/fredlangfoundation](http://www.cbhcfi.org/fredlangfoundation).

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In photo L-R: Miranda Fields, Paul Lioon, Marjorie Benson, Teri Ashley, Jill Ferguson, Heather Lanning, Debi Trenholm, Board President Liz Green, Tara Fabiano, Beverly Back, Patti Guerzo, Gwen Zanakos, Sherri Dennis, Kelly Pomerville, and Keith Callaghan.

