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Imua Family Services receives \$29,825 grant to support Organizational Capacity Building

Wailuku, HI – The Robert Emens Black Fund of the Hawaii Community Foundation has awarded Imua family Services \$29,825 for implementation of a technology plan to upgrade computer and information systems at the nonprofit organization. The award is made possible through the Promoting Outstanding Nonprofit Organizations (PONO) Leadership Program sponsored through a partnership between the Case Foundation and the Hawaii Community Foundation.

“Imua Family Services envisions a new way of operating our organization. The funding received will allow us to merge our tradition of comprehensive service delivery with an up-to-date infrastructure. This award will support technical training for our staff in the use of current technology and information systems that will enable the agency to deliver the highest quality service” said Karen Jayne, Executive Director of Imua Family Services. “The PONO Organizational Capacity Building award will allow us to pursue, where appropriate and sustainable, tools that increase the agency’s capacity to support our clients, get vital information to those who need it most, measure and evaluate our work, enable staff to work efficiently, and effectively communicate with our community.”

Imua Family Services provides comprehensive early childhood development services to children and their families with the support and resources needed to achieve their full potential in life. Each year, Imua Family Services serves over 2,400 community members on Maui and Lanai through the Infant & Child Development Program, Early Childhood Development Program, Newborn Hearing Screening, and Camp Imua. For more information about Imua Family Services visit www.imuafamilyservices.org.

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