Who We Are

Arnold Ventures is a philanthropy dedicated to tackling some of the most pressing problems in the United States. Founded by Laura and John Arnold in 2010, our core mission is to improve lives by investing in evidence-based solutions that maximize opportunity and minimize injustice.

OUR WORK IS GUIDED BY > EVIDENCE-BASED POLICY, RESEARCH, AND ADVOCACY.

Viewing philanthropy as an engine of innovation, we identify problems, rigorously research them, and search for answers. Once an idea is tested, validated, and proven effective, we fund policy development and technical assistance to create lasting change.

WE SUPPORT WORK IN NUMEROUS AREAS OF CRITICAL IMPORTANCE TO SOCIETY:

Health
- Drug Prices
- Commercial Sector Prices
- Provider Payment Incentives
- Complex Care
- Medicare Sustainability
- The Opioid Epidemic
- Contraceptive Choice & Access
- Organ Donation

Criminal Justice
- Policing
- Research on Gun Violence
- Crisis Response
- Community Safety
- Violence Reduction
- Pretrial Justice
- Bail Reform
- Prosecution
- Public Defense
- Community Supervision
- Prisons
- Reintegration
- Fines and Fees

Public Finance
- Tax Policy
- Retirement Policy

Higher Education
- Effective Student Success Practices
- Higher Education Quality and Accountability
- Data in Higher Education

Other Areas
- Affordable Housing
- Climate and Clean Energy
- Democracy
- Journalism

10+ YEARS of giving
$2.5B given so far
3,200+ Projects Funded
100+ Employees

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