

New York Unemployment Project, Inc.
(New York, NY)
Restaurant Opportunities Center of New York
(ROC-NY) – Policy Work & Corporate Campaign

Total Award: \$75,000 over 1 year

Program Contribution
Health Program, \$40,000
Interprogram Initiatives for Social and Economic
Justice, \$35,000

To support the Restaurant Opportunities Center of New York - Policy Work & Corporate Campaign (ROC-NY) to educate the public and policymakers about the need for public and private policies to protect the occupational safety and health of restaurant workers in New York City. Key to the project's work is a strategic public awareness campaign. ROC-NY will complete and release the findings of a study of the restaurant industry that will educate the public and policy makers about the link between restaurant workers occupational safety and health and general public health issues. Also, it will open a cooperative worker-owned restaurant that presents a new model for the industry that demonstrates that restaurants can pay and treat their workers well and still make a profit.

Health Program: *Objective II, Strategy 1*

Interprogram Initiatives for Social and Economic Justice: *Objectives I & II*