

Congregational Homes Inc

Executive Director / CEO

EIN 250965311

PA · NTEE P750

FY ending 2024-12-31

June 10, 2026

This analysis benchmarks the total compensation of **Mrs Desiree Gress, Executive Director / CEO** (\$18,250) against **every comparable organization** that fit the selection criteria — **70** in total — drawn systematically from IRS Form 990 filings, not a hand-picked subset.

Compensation sits at approximately the **27th** percentile of comparable organizations within the typical range

Benchmarked executive: Mrs Desiree Gress — reported title "EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR", a **direct title match** to the Executive Director / CEO role.

How comparable organizations were selected

SECTOR Organizations sharing the subject's NTEE classification (P750).

BUDGET Total revenue between \$0 and \$0 — 0.00x to 0.00x the subject's \$0 (the band tightens as size grows).

GEOGRAPHY Same NTEE major group (P), nationwide + budget 0.67–1.5x revenue.

70 organizations qualified on sector, size, and geography

→ **70** within the band form the benchmarked peer set.

Distribution of comparable compensation



\$6,387

\$16,576

\$32,105

\$46,145

\$65,682

\$18,250



● Comparable organizations

Each figure is Form 990 Part VII columns D + F (reportable pay plus other compensation and benefits; column F may include amounts from related organizations), normalized to PA cost of living (BEA RPP, 2023) and to its filing year (CPI-U); the reported amount is on each linked 990.

| ORGANIZATION | STATE | REVENUE | MATCHED TITLE | COMP (REPORTED) | COMP (ADJUSTED) | FY |
|--|-------|---------|--------------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------|
| Anchor Therapy Clinic | CA | \$0 | Ceo | \$100,000 | \$86,590 | 2024 |
| Sunrise Community Of Maryland Inc | FL | \$0 | President | \$29,126 | \$27,438 | 2024 |
| Abh New Jersey Inc | PA | \$0 | President | \$8,990 | \$8,990 | 2024 |
| Veterans Partnering With Communities Inc | CA | \$0 | President & Ceo | \$4,800 | \$4,156 | 2024 |
| Abh California Inc | PA | \$0 | President | \$21,428 | \$21,428 | 2024 |
| Helpers Of Holland Home | MI | \$0 | Chief Strategy Officer | \$31,282 | \$32,378 | 2024 |
| Senior Services Support Corp | NC | \$0 | President An | \$36,301 | \$37,613 | 2024 |
| Abh Pennsylvania Adult Services Inc | PA | \$0 | President | \$21,815 | \$21,815 | 2024 |
| Organization Of Hispanics Lati | MD | \$0 | Fernandez | \$70,291 | \$65,898 | 2024 |
| Wee Care Daycare Ministries Inc | IN | \$0 | President | \$45,880 | \$48,517 | 2024 |
| Center For Transforming Lives Real | TX | \$0 | Ceo | \$25,402 | \$25,480 | 2024 |
| Kindness Coupons | CA | \$0 | Ceo | \$54,900 | \$46,313 | 2025 |
| Seagull Industries For The Disabled Inc | FL | \$0 | Former Ceo | \$9,345 | \$8,803 | 2024 |
| Childrens Garden Early Learning Center Inc | CO | \$0 | Executive Director (Outgoing) | \$15,947 | \$15,334 | 2024 |
| Boys Town California Inc | NE | \$0 | Director Of Budget - Treasurer | \$35,110 | \$37,868 | 2024 |

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|--|-------|---------|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|------|
| The Natural Goodness Foundation Inc | UT | \$0 | Treasurer | \$400 | \$411 | 2024 |
| The Delaware Public Policy Institute | DE | \$0 | Secretary | \$4,850 | \$4,762 | 2024 |
| Goodex Services Inc | CA | \$0 | Ceo | \$20,683 | \$17,909 | 2024 |
| Arcadia Community Services | HI | \$0 | President & Ceo | \$35,893 | \$32,224 | 2024 |
| Ego Ideal Inc | GA | \$0 | Chief Executive Officer | \$43,656 | \$44,017 | 2024 |
| 108 St Edwards Housing Development Fund | NY | \$0 | Director/chair | \$53,979 | \$48,912 | 2024 |
| Joli Commercial Partners Inc | CO | \$0 | Secretary | \$52,937 | \$50,901 | 2024 |
| Aids For Women Adolescents And Children International Organization Inc | MD | \$0 | Ceo | \$40 | \$37 | 2025 |
| Peer Vision For Mental Health | ND | \$0 | Executive Director | \$52,042 | \$55,794 | 2025 |
| Attendant Services Maine Inc | ME | \$0 | Executive Di | \$22,986 | \$22,486 | 2025 |

Comp (reported) is the figure on each organization's Form 990 (columns D + F); **Comp (adjusted)** normalizes it to PA cost of living and 2024 dollars. Click any organization to verify the figure on ProPublica.

■ Methodology

Comparable organizations were drawn from electronically filed IRS Form 990 returns and matched on sector (NTEE code), budget (a size-adaptive revenue band that tightens as the organization grows), and geography (same-state first, broadening only when too few peers qualify); every organization within the band forms the peer set. To compare fairly across regions and years, peer compensation is normalized to PA cost of living (BEA Regional Price Parities, 2023) and to the subject's filing year (CPI-U). The figure benchmarked is Form 990 Part VII, Section A, columns D + F — reportable pay plus other compensation, benefits, and deferred amounts (column F may include amounts from related organizations) — with the chief executive matched by role. Related-organization amounts (column E) and institutional trustees are excluded. Full methodology: peerbasis.org/methodology.

■ Sample, role match & sensitivity

PEER COUNT 70 organizations. Compensation range \$37–\$1,442,392; filing years 2023–2025.

SIZE BASIS Matched on total revenue (\$0); for reference, expenses \$120,399 and assets \$560,147. **Revenue and expenses diverge this year — revenue may misrepresent operating size; weigh the expense-based view.**

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| ROLE MATCH | Mrs Desiree Gress, reported title "EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR", benchmarked as Executive Director / CEO. The title maps directly to this role. |
| RELATED-ORG PAY | 54 peers report related-organization compensation (column E), which the D + F benchmark does not fully capture; review where material. |
| OUTLIERS | 2 peers fall outside 1.5× the interquartile range — consider whether any reflect one-time payments (severance, deferred-comp payouts). |

Sensitivity — the subject's percentile under alternative compensation definitions:

| BASIS | SUBJECT PERCENTILE |
|---|--------------------|
| Total compensation (D + F), cost-of-living + inflation adjusted — the PeerBasis default | 27 th |
| Total compensation (D + F), as reported (no adjustments) | 27 th |
| Reportable pay only (column D), adjusted | 83 rd |
| All sources (D + E + F), adjusted | 7 th |

If the percentile moves materially across these definitions, the result is sensitive to methodology choices, and the board should weigh which basis best fits its facts.

● Rebuttable presumption of reasonableness • 26 CFR 53.4958-6

Compensation paid by a tax-exempt organization is presumed reasonable — shifting the burden to the IRS — when three requirements are met. This report supplies the comparability data for the second. The board should record the following in its minutes *concurrently* with its decision:

Draft board minutes – executive compensation

1. The compensation of the Executive Director / CEO (Mrs Desiree Gress) was approved in advance by [the Board / Compensation Committee], composed of members with no conflict of interest with respect to the arrangement.
2. Prior to its determination, the authorized body obtained and relied upon appropriate comparability data, namely the PeerBasis Compensation Comparability Determination dated June 10, 2026, comparing compensation against 70 similarly situated organizations (Same NTEE major group (P), nationwide + budget 0.67–1.5× revenue).
3. The authorized body determined that total compensation of \$18,250 is reasonable (approximately the 27th percentile of comparable organizations) and documented the basis for this determination concurrently, on [date], by a vote of [__ for / __ against].

Sources: IRS Form 990 e-file data (apps.irs.gov); IRS Business Master File (NTEE classification). Every figure traces to an original public filing — click any organization above to verify it on ProPublica. PeerBasis is a service of Prismind Analytics; its [methodology is published](#), was commissioned for independent adversarial review, and discloses its own limitations. This report is comparability

data to support a board's good-faith determination under IRC 4958; it is not legal or tax advice. Generated by PeerBasis on June 10, 2026.