

GRANT OPPORTUNITIES

OFFICE OF YOUTH SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY & HUMAN SERVICES

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EDUCATION

Grant: Comprehensive School Safety Initiative

Purpose: To fund rigorous research that produces practical knowledge that can improve the safety of schools and students. The initiative is carried out through partnerships between researchers, educators, and other stakeholders, including law enforcement, behavioral and mental health professionals, courts, and other justice system professionals.

Funder: National Institute of Justice

Eligibility: Educational institutions, public agencies, nonprofit organizations, faith-based organizations, individuals, for-profit organizations willing to waive their fees

Deadline: May 27

Amount: A stipend of \$5,000, plus travel to two national conferences, a presentation slot at a national conference, and priority consideration for publication

Contact: <http://www.sc.edu/fye/research/grant/index.html>

YOUTH WELL-BEING

Grant: Communities Addressing Childhood Trauma

Purpose: To test the effectiveness of innovative approaches to promoting healthy behavior among minority and/or disadvantaged youth at-risk for poor outcomes due to childhood trauma. Successful applicants will serve youth and families who live in communities where they are exposed to repeated traumatic situations such as violence, domestic violence, some forms of physical abuse, sexual abuse, neglect, disasters, or other emotionally harmful experiences. The initiative also promotes the goals of My Brother's Keeper, which works to ensure that all young people can reach their full potential, including boys and young men of color.

Funder: Office of Minority Health

Eligibility: Nonprofits with or without 501(c)(3) status; state and local governments; for-profit organizations (other than small business); small, minority and women-owned businesses; universities, colleges, research institutions; community and faith-based organizations; tribal governments and organizations

Deadline: April 18

Amount: Nine grants of \$325,000 - \$400,000

Contact: <http://www.grants.gov/view-opportunity.html?oppId=281316>

Grant: RE-LINK

Purpose: To support formerly incarcerated individuals ages 18 to 26 as they re-enter their communities. Funded programs will target economically and environmentally disadvantaged re-entrants and provide linkages to health, behavioral health, social, and support services as well as employment, mentoring, and housing.

Funder: Office of Minority Health

Eligibility: State and local governments; nonprofit organizations with or without 501(c)(3) status; for-profit organizations; small, minority, and women-owned businesses; community-based and faith-based organizations; colleges, universities and research institutions; hospitals; tribal governments and organizations

Deadline: April 21

Amount: Six grants of \$300,000 - \$375,000

Contact: <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=281609>

Grant: Create Career Connections through Youth Employment Opportunities

Purpose: To hire local youth to assist with National Park Service (NPS) programs. The interns will work with the visitor services and natural resource program to provide interpretation and education programs to park visitors.

Funder: National Park Service

Eligibility: Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education

Deadline: April 22

Amount: Up to \$61,000

Contact: <http://www.grants.gov/custom/viewOppDetails.jsp?oppId=282972>

Grant: General Support

Purpose: To support organizations that focus on young people outside the reach of mainstream services, operate with community input, and engage children and youth as active participants in their own development

Funder: Global Fund for Children

Eligibility: Small, grassroots organizations (those with budgets of \$200,000 or less) based on their demonstrated potential to produce sustainable improvement in the lives of vulnerable children and youth as well as serve as a resource or model for other organizations

Deadline: Ongoing

Amount: Not specified

Contact: <http://www.globalfundforchildren.org/eligibility-selection/>

Grant: Dare to Dream America

Purpose: To create and implement youth driven projects that promote mental health awareness and well-being, increase mental health awareness, reduce stigma associated with mental health challenges, and promote well-being

Funder: Youth MOVE National

Eligibility: Young people ages 13-25 or youth groups

Deadline: April 29

Amount: \$1,000 or \$2,500

Contact: <http://www.youthmovenational.org/dare-to-dream-america.html>

Grant: Promoting Evidence Integration in Sex Offender Management: Juvenile Treatment Progress Scale Development and Implementation

Purpose: To support the development and validation of a dynamic assessment tool to measure treatment for juveniles who commit sex offenses and assess their progress toward completion

Funder: Office of Sex Offender Sentencing, Monitoring, Apprehending, Registering, and Tracking (SMART)

Eligibility: Nonprofit and for-profit organizations; individuals; institutions of higher education; faith-based organizations, and community organizations and consortiums

Deadline: May 9

Amount: One award of up to \$500,000 for a 36-month project period

Contact:

http://www.smart.gov/pdfs/JuvenileTrmt.pdf?utm_source=DynamicsMarketing&utm_medium=Email&utm_campaign=JUVJUST_SMART_IntegrationFunding_040416&ed2f26df2d9c416fbddddd2330a778c6=hekyaejysp-hsydsyya

Grant: Assessing the Impact of Juvenile Justice Reforms

Purpose: To investigate the effectiveness and/or cost-efficiency of juvenile justice system reforms. OJJDP is interested in measuring the impact of policy changes that have been enacted or implemented in states participating in OJJDP's Smart on Juvenile Justice Initiative and reforms in other states and local jurisdictions that are consistent with OJJDP's vision for juvenile justice.

Funder: Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention

Eligibility: States, units of local government, nonprofit and for-profit organizations, and institutions of higher education

Deadline: May 23

Amount: As many as four awards of as much as \$500,000 for project periods as long as four years is expected.

Contact: <http://www.ojjdp.gov/grants/solicitations/FY2016/AssessingJJReform.pdf>

Grant: Evaluations of Trauma-Informed Care in Juvenile Justice Settings/ Girls' Trauma-Informed Programs

Purpose: To support two or more rigorous evaluations focused on the integration of trauma-informed care for youth who have come into contact with the juvenile justice system. Category 1 applicants may propose to evaluate trauma-informed care approaches serving both boys and girls in contact with the juvenile justice system. Category 2 applicants will focus on evaluating trauma-informed gender-specific programming for girls in the juvenile justice system.

Funder: Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention

Eligibility: States, units of local government, federally recognized Indian tribal governments, nonprofit and for-profit organizations, and institutions of higher education

Deadline: May 23

Amount: One or more awards under Category 1 and Category 2 of as much as \$500,000 per award for a project period of as long as five years.

Contact: <http://www.ojjdp.gov/grants/solicitations/FY2016/EvalTraumaJJ.pdf>

Grant: Safe Places to Play

Purpose: To build or enhance field spaces for underserved youth

Funder: U.S. Soccer Foundation

Eligibility: Licensed nonprofits offering soccer programming directly or through partnerships

Deadline: Letters of Interest due May 27; potential applicants must contact one of the foundation's corporate partners to get a project quote at least 15 business days before the deadline

Amount: Up to 10% of Hellas project quote for synthetic turf; typically in the range of 15-30% of project total for lighting, with a maximum of \$25,000 per grant for single fields and \$50,000 for multi-field projects; typically in the range of \$4,000 - \$15,000, with a maximum of \$15,000 per grant for irrigation projects; typically in the range of 15-50% of project total, with a maximum of \$30,000 per grant for installation of a sport court (an innovative, modular sport surface (non-turf) that delivers superior playability, speed, safety, shock absorption, and traction); up to \$50,000 (total for equipment + cash) for program grants

Contact: <http://ussoccerfoundation.org/grants/>

Grant: Juvenile Justice Emergency Planning Demonstration Program Grants

Purpose: To develop, strengthen and implement emergency preparedness plans for juvenile justice facilities. These plans should be based upon the principles outlined in Emergency Planning for Juvenile Justice Residential Facilities, and should address the specific needs of children, youth, and families involved in the justice system during an emergency.

Funder: Office of Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention

Eligibility: Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS (other than institutions of higher education), city or township governments, county governments, for profit organizations other than small businesses, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, small businesses, state governments, private institutions of higher education, Native American tribal governments (federally recognized)

Deadline: May 31

Amount: Six grants of \$50,000 - \$100,000

Contact: <http://www.grants.gov/custom/viewOppDetails.jsp?oppId=282923>

Grant: Youth Athletic Programs and Camps

Purpose: Programmatic Grants will be awarded for community-based athletic programs and to established camps that teach active lifestyle and team-building skills. Legacy Grants will be awarded to support new facilities improvements and/or renovations to existing buildings, grounds, and property. Founder's Grants will be awarded for emergency needs that are keeping the organization from providing current services, such as natural disasters or other unforeseen fiscal circumstances.

Funder: Finish Line Youth Foundation

Eligibility: Applicants must be a nonprofit organization that provides opportunities for kids to participate in community-based youth athletic programs or a camp that emphasizes active lifestyles, especially programs that serve disadvantaged and special-needs kids. Priority will be given to organizations or programs located near Finish Line retail stores.

Deadline: June 30

Amount: Programmatic Grants of up to \$5,000; Legacy Grants of up to \$75,000; Founders Grants of up to \$25,000

Contact: <http://www.finishline.com/store/youthfoundation/guidelines.jsp>

COMMUNITY

Grant: Programs that Serve Women and Children

Purpose: Funding priorities include improving healthcare, stopping domestic violence, and promoting community involvement in public school systems

Funder: Chico's Foundation

Eligibility: 501(c)(3) organizations

Deadline: Applications are reviewed quarterly

Amount: Not specified

Contact: <https://www.chicos.com/store/page.jsp?id=45300002>

Grant: New Work Grants

Purpose: To support visual artists who are at least 21 years old and under-recognized in their field. Proposals are considered that directly support the production of new work by artists and/or collaborative teams. Productions can happen in the context of an installation, public intervention, residency, or exhibition.

Funder: Harpo Foundation

Eligibility: 501(c)(3) organizations

Deadline: Letters of Inquiry due April 27

Amount: Up to \$10,000

Contact: <http://www.harpofoundation.org/apply/new-work-project-grants/>

Grant: Domestic Violence Shelters

Purpose: To award grants to deserving domestic violence shelters across the United States

Funder: Mary Kay Foundation

Eligibility: Domestic violence shelters

Deadline: April 30

Amount: At least one domestic shelter in every state that applies; any remaining funds are distributed based on state population

Contact: <http://www.marykayfoundation.org/Pages/ShelterGrantProgram.aspx>

Grant: Enhanced Collaborative Model to Combat Human Trafficking

Purpose: To support multidisciplinary task forces that use a collaborative approach to combat human, sex, and labor trafficking. Funding will help communities develop and sustain task forces that use a victim-centered, coordinated approach to identifying trafficking victims, addressing their needs, and investigating and prosecuting cases.

Funder: Bureau of Justice Assistance

Eligibility: State, county, city or township governments; 501(c)(3) nonprofits

Deadline: May 10

Amount: Two awards will be made for each geographic region that receives funds—one for the lead law enforcement entity and one for the lead victim service provider. A total of 15 grants of up to \$1,500,000 will be awarded.

Contact: <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=282071>

Grant: Specialized Services for Victims of Human Trafficking

Purpose: To support inclusive, direct services to all victims of human trafficking, including services for underserved victims such as men and boys, American Indians and Alaska Natives, Latinos, Native Hawaiians and Pacific Islanders, African Americans, Asian Americans, and individuals who identify as lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, or questioning (LGBTQ). Successful applicants will collaborate with law enforcement, service providers, and community organizations to provide victim-centered, trauma-informed approaches to identify, refer, and respond to trafficking victims' needs.

Funder: Office for Victims of Crime

Eligibility: States, units of local government, federally recognized Indian tribal governments, and nonprofit, nongovernmental organizations

Deadline: May 12

Amount: Thirteen grants of up to \$600,000

Contact: <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppId=282567>

Grant: Wetland Restoration Projects

Purpose: To support public-private partnerships dedicated to carrying out projects related to the long-term protection, restoration, and/or enhancement of wetlands and associated uplands habitats in Canada, the United States, and Mexico. Funds support a wide range of conservation activities, including projects aiming to protect, restore, or enhance wetland and associated upland migratory bird habitats throughout the country; promote long-term protection of acquired habitats for birds and other wetland-dependent species; catalyze conservation partnerships, bringing together federal, state, nonprofit, and private organizations and individuals; and support conservation of priority migratory bird species in the U.S., including waterfowl, shorebirds, waterbirds, and landbirds.

Funder: U.S Fish & Wildlife Service

Eligibility: Organizations and individuals

Deadline: July 14

Amount: Determined on a project-by-project basis

Contact: <http://www.fws.gov/birds/grants/north-american-wetland-conservation-act/standard-grants/united-states.php>