

GRANT OPPORTUNITIES

OFFICE OF YOUTH SERVICES, DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY & HUMAN SERVICES

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EDUCATION

Grant: K-12 Science, Math, Art and Music

Purpose: To support science, math, art, and music programs that benefit K-12 youth; specific focus areas are academic programs, including tutoring; arts education programs, and environmental education

Funder: Kinder Morgan Foundation

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations, public schools, and private schools

Deadline: May 10

Amount: Not specified

Contact: <http://www.kindermorgan.com/community/>

Grant: STEM Education

Purpose: To support STEM programs and the empowerment women in the United States and India

Funder: Saxena Family Foundation

Eligibility: 501(c)(3) organizations, churches, religious organizations

Deadline: Rolling

Amount: \$5,000-\$50,000; initial grants are not necessarily typical of future grants

Contact: <http://www.saxenafoundation.com/guidelines.html>

Grant: Library Grant Program

Purpose: To support the purchase of books by rural, urban, public, and school libraries and agencies that serve children who are economically or socially at risk, have limited book budgets, and demonstrate real need

Funder: The Lois Lenski Covey Foundation

Eligibility: School libraries, public libraries, or nontraditional libraries (youth or family resource centers, detention centers, and organizations serving young people with mental or physical health challenges)

Deadline: May 13

Amount: \$500 - \$3,000

Contact: <http://www.loislenskicovey.org/index.html>

Grant: Go! Grants

Purpose: To fund the purchase of gear and equipment for new classroom and playground programs; projects should designate a specific target population such as special needs students, students with health issues, or students in a specific grade

Funder: Kids in the Game

Eligibility: Elementary schools serving K-5 that are enrolled or willing to enroll in the Let's Move! Active Schools program, schools with little or no organized physical activity, and public and charter schools

Deadline: June 1

Amount: \$1,000 - \$5,000

Contact: <https://www.kidsinthegame.org/go-grant-school-activity-grants/>

Grant: Science Lab Makeovers

Purpose: To provide public middle schools with an opportunity to turn their dream of a state-of-the-art science lab into reality

Funder: Northrop Grumman Foundation

Eligibility: Teachers, principals, and school administrators of public middle schools. After semi-finalist schools are chosen, their videos will be posted online for the public to vote on.

Deadline: June 17

Amount: Five grants of up to \$100,000; winning schools will team up with Fab School Labs contest partner Flinn Scientific, Inc. to design a state-of-the-art lab with all the tools, resources, and furnishings needed

Contact: <http://www.fabschoollabs.com/>

Grant: Lyle Spencer Research Awards

Purpose: To support intellectually ambitious, large-scale education research projects by scholars across a variety of disciplines and fields

Funder: Spenser Foundation

Eligibility: Principal investigators and co-PIs must have an earned a doctorate or have appropriate experience in an education research-related profession. In addition, the PI must be affiliated with a college, university, school district, nonprofit research facility, or nonprofit cultural institution that is willing to serve as the administering organization.

Deadline: Letters of Intent due July 1

Amount: Up to \$1 million

Contact: <http://www.spencer.org/lyle-spencer-research-awards>

YOUTH WELL-BEING

Grant: Practitioner-Researcher Partnership in Cognitive Behavioral Mentoring Program

Purpose: To develop and research mentoring practices that can be implemented with youth at high risk of delinquency and/or who have experienced victimization or trauma

Funder: Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention

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

Deadline: June 13

Amount: As many as two awards for as much as \$250,000 per award for a project period of 12 months

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

Grant: Safe and Thriving Communities: Uniting and Enhancing Community-Based Violence Prevention, Defending Childhood, and National Forum Approaches

Purpose: To fund localities that will embrace integration of the strategies and approaches of OJJDP's three youth violence prevention initiatives to achieve well-being and positive outcomes

Funder: Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention

Eligibility: Units of local government, state agencies proposing local initiatives in collaboration with community-based organizations, and federally recognized tribal governments

Deadline: June 21

Amount: Six awards for a maximum of \$1 million each for a 24-month period

Contact: <http://www.ojjdp.gov/grants/solicitations/FY2016/Safe&Thriving.pdf>

Grant: Community Grants

Purpose: To address the education and welfare needs of at-risk children and youth

Funder: Ober|Kaler

Eligibility: 501(c)(3) organizations in the Baltimore and Washington, D.C. metro areas that provide clothes, education, food, or shelter to children and youth in need

Deadline: August 1

Amount: A single grant of \$15,000 and two \$10,000 grants. In addition to financial support, organizations may apply for a special Volunteer Supplement (ten to twenty of Ober|Kaler's employees volunteer their time to selected grant recipients).

Contact: http://www.ober.com/news_events/3174-nonprofit-community-groups-serving-baltimore-city-washington-dc-areas-eligible

Grant: NFL Foundation Grassroots Program

Purpose: To provide nonprofit, neighborhood-based organizations with financial and technical assistance to improve the quality, safety, and accessibility of local football fields

Funder: National Football League Foundation and the Local Initiatives Support Corporation (LISC)

Eligibility: Capital Improvement projects sponsored by 501(c)(3) community-based organizations, middle or high schools located specifically and exclusively within an NFL Target Market (Arizona, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware, the District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Illinois, Indiana, Kansas, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maryland, Massachusetts, Michigan, Minnesota, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, Washington, West Virginia, and Wisconsin)

Deadline: August 15

Amount: Up to \$250,000

Contact: <http://www.lisc.org/our-initiatives/health/sports-recreation/nfl-foundation-grassroots-program/>

COMMUNITY

Grant: Domestic Violence Safe Housing

Purpose: To support the creation of space at shelters to temporarily house the pets of victims of domestic violence. The one-time grants are intended as start-up funding to initiate projects.

Funder: RedRover

Eligibility: 501(c)(3) organizations with the primary mission of sheltering victims of domestic violence

Deadline: May 15

Amount: Up to \$6,000 each

Contact: <https://redrover.org/node/1099>

Grant: Magistro Family Foundation Research Grant

Purpose: To fund and publicize physical therapy research that determines the scientific basis and value of services intended to optimize physical functioning by physical therapists and/or contributes to the development of innovative physical therapy interventions

Funder: Foundation for Physical Therapy

Eligibility: Proposals must be submitted by an individual or a group of investigators through a U.S. sponsoring organization/institution with which they are affiliated. Groups must designate one member as the principal investigator responsible for directing the project. Other members of the group may be physical therapists, physical therapist assistants, or persons from other disciplines that are relevant to the proposed study. Physical therapy PIs at any level, and of any academic rank, are eligible to apply.

Deadline: Letters of Intent must be received no later than June 1

Amount: Up to \$80,000 for 1 or 2 years

Contact: <http://www.foundation4pt.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/10/Magistro-Guidelines-4.14.16-FINAL.pdf>

Grant: Community Health and Well-Being Projects

Purpose: To fund participation in an intensive workshop on applying behavioral science to community health and well-being

Funder: Ideas42 (a project sponsored by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation)

Eligibility: Groups or organizations that are tackling challenging problems in community health and well-being and/or are interested in learning how to use behavioral science in their work

Deadline: June 17

Amount: Travel and accommodation costs; a small number workshop participants will be selected to partner with Ideas42 to design and test specific behavioral interventions in their communities

Contact: <http://www.ideas42.org/blog/project/strengthening-health-well-community-level/>

Grant: Grassroots Environmental Campaigns

Purpose: To support small, grassroots activist organizations that have provocative direct-action agendas and are working on multi-pronged campaigns aimed at preserving and protecting the environment. Grants will be

awarded in support of projects that are action-oriented, build public involvement and support, focus on root causes, and demonstrate a commitment to long-term change

Funder: Patagonia

Eligibility: 501(c)(3) organizations

Deadline: August 31

Amount: Up to \$12,000

Contact: <http://www.patagonia.com/us/patagonia.go?assetid=2942>

Grant: Public Media Campaigns

Purpose: To support projects that advance a targeted innovative media/communications effort, assist in removing the "roadblocks" to better communications efforts aimed at affecting consumers and public opinion, and/or which focus on a media and communications campaign that addresses a specific public policy issue

Funder: Food and Farm Communications Fund

Eligibility: 501(c)(3) organizations

Deadline: Letters of Inquiry due June 15; selected organizations will be invited to submit a full proposal by September 15

Amount: \$10,000 - \$100,000

Contact: <http://foodandfarmcommunications.org/applying.html>

Grant: The Second Chance Fund

Purpose: To support medical procedures for animals who have been victims of abuse or neglect and require medical treatment before being placed for adoption

Funder: American Humane Association

Eligibility: 501(c)(3) animal sheltering agencies and rescue groups

Deadline: Applications are accepted year-round but must be received no later than six months following the date of intake of animal

Amount: Up to \$2,000

Contact: <http://www.americanhumane.org/animals/programs/shelter-services/second-chance-fund/>

Grant: History of Art Grants Program

Purpose: To support projects that create and disseminate specialized knowledge, including archival projects, the development and dissemination of scholarly databases, documentation projects, museum exhibitions and publications, photographic campaigns, scholarly catalogs and publications, and technical and scientific studies. The program also supports activities that permit art historians to share their expertise through international exchanges, professional meetings, conferences, symposia, consultations, the presentation of research, and other professional events.

Funder: Samuel H. Kress Foundation

Eligibility: 501(c)(3) organizations

Deadline: October 1

Amount: \$1,000 - \$100,000

Contact: <http://www.kressfoundation.org/grants/default.aspx?id=142>