



NORTHWEST PORTLAND AREA INDIAN HEALTH BOARD

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Friday, August 23, 2013

To: Idaho Delegates, Oregon Delegates, Washington Delegates, Tribal Chairs and Tribal Health Directors

Greetings! The NPAIHB - Funding Opportunity is provided on the basis that when there is pertinent announcements that we are made aware of, received and researched for as part of our commitment to the health and well-being of our tribal members it is posted here for you. Fridays, new posts will be available (unless there is nothing **“new”**).

If you have a specific targeted goal, or urgent community needs and find yourself not knowing where to start looking our assistance is available anytime and we would be very excited to assist you. Also, at the end of this announcement there are several funding organizations that do not have deadlines and do accept proposals all year round. Thank you for your time, please do not hesitate to contact me:

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“NEW” Funding Opportunity Information!

- **Health Promotion Among Racial and Ethnic Minority Males (R01) – New**

DEADLINE: October 5th and apply, by 5:00 PM local time of the applicant organization. (This means “East Coast time” and it will be submitted to the eRa commons website to review before it is accepted “Officially” -- so please submit early at least two days prior to the deadline.)

AMOUNT: Requests of \$500,000 or more for direct costs in any year - Applicants requesting \$500,000 or more in direct costs in any year (excluding consortium F&A) must contact NIH program staff at least 6 weeks before submitting the application and follow the Policy on the Acceptance for Review of Unsolicited Applications that Request \$500,000 or More in Direct Costs as described in the SF424 (R&R) Application Guide.

DESCRIPTION: This initiative seeks applications from applicants that propose to stimulate and expand research in the health of minority men. Specifically, this



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<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-13-328.html>

➤ **Health Promotion Among Racial and Ethnic Minority Males (R21)**

DEADLINE: October 16th and apply, by 5:00 PM local time of the applicant organization. (This means “East Coast time” and it will be submitted to the eRa commons website to review before it is accepted “Officially” -- so please submit early at least two days prior to the deadline.)

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[WASHINGTON DELEGATES ONLY]

**FWD: Criminal Street Gang Prevention RFP and APPLICATION
REVISED/EDITED**

The Washington State Criminal Street Gang Prevention and Intervention RFP that was released on August 5th has been slightly revised for ease and clarity. Both forms are available on our website (www.dshs.wa.gov/ojj) and attached to this email.

The revisions allow a place to report on the source and amount of the 25% match requirement as well as add a form to fill out for the logic model.

Questions and answers from the Bidders Call that was held on Monday, August 12th are also available on our website.

Thank you.

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➤ **Tribal Transportation Program Safety Funds
DOT Federal Highway Administration**

Deadline: Sep 19, 2013

Amount: Award Floor: \$7,500 and Award Ceiling: \$8,600,000

Description: For all those who may be interested in applying for Tribal Transportation Safety Funds (TTPSF), you will **NOT** have to apply through Grants.gov, although the grant opportunity is posted at <http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html> (search under CFDA # 20.205).

This also means you do **NOT** have to register through SAM.gov. Instead, you will send your application/s directly to FHWA at ttsf@dot.gov.

Please note that the NOFA does direct applicants to use Grants.gov; please disregard the NOFA instructions that tell you to submit only through Grants.gov. ***Instead, you will send your application, which includes an SF-424, a narrative as the attachment, along with any supporting documentation directly to FHWA at ttsf@dot.gov.***

Please see the Federal Highway Administration website for complete application instructions, Details for registration can also be found on our website: <http://flh.fhwa.dot.gov/programs/ttp/safety/ttsf-2013.htm>.

For complete instructions on preparing and submitting an application for TTPSF, please see <http://flh.fhwa.dot.gov/programs/ttp/safety/ttsf-2013.htm>.

AGAIN, Please submit your application directly to FHWA at ttsf@dot.gov.

Please contact for further information contact:

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[OREGON DELEGATES ONLY]

➤ Oregon Health Authority (OHA) - FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES POSTED FOR COMMUNITY PARTNERS

Description:

Oregon Health Authority (OHA) posted two Requests for Grant Proposals (RFGPs) seeking community partner organizations to help reach out to and enroll Oregonians into health insurance.

In addition, OHA posted a Request for Applications (RFA) seeking volunteer organizations to provide enrollment assistance to Oregonians applying for health insurance through Cover Oregon.

Cover Oregon and OHA are working together to administer the community partner program focused on helping Oregonians get the health insurance they need. More information is available below for each opportunity.

FUNDING OPPORTUNITIES:

Two RFGPs are now posted on the state's procurement website, the **Oregon Procurement Information Network (ORPIN)**.

<http://orpin.oregon.gov/open.dll/welcome>

Grantee organizations will be chosen through a formal RFGP process. OHA will evaluate proposals and award funds based on a proposed work plan and budget. Both grants will remain open until August 28, 2013. OHA anticipates that final agreements will be signed by October 1, 2013.

➤ **Public Education & Outreach Grant:**

The Public Education and Outreach Grant Program (grant 3640) is available to community-based organizations, local governments, and coalitions, and is designed to provide targeted outreach and public education to Oregonians who are potentially eligible to access health insurance through Cover Oregon, including people living in geographically isolated areas or with additional barriers. This grant does not fund enrollment assistance. Grant funding is for six months in conjunction with Cover Oregon open enrollment, running from October 2013 through March 2014.



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➤ **Provider Outreach & Enrollment Grant:**

The Provider Outreach and Enrollment Grant Program (grant 3639) is available to providers such as health departments, migrant clinics, medical providers, mental health providers, hospitals, rural health clinics and more. The grant is designed to provide direct enrollment assistance and related outreach to those who are potentially eligible to access health insurance through Cover Oregon. Grant funding is for 12 months.

➤ **VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITY:**

Community partners interested in helping individuals and families apply for health insurance through Cover Oregon's online marketplace can submit an application in response to the RFA and contract with OHA on a volunteer basis. The RFA is now posted on ORPIN, and will also be available on www.coveroregon.com. The RFA is open through November 2014 and may be extended.

➤ **REQUIRED TRAINING:**

In order to provide Cover Oregon enrollment assistance, all individuals within a grantee or volunteer organization must complete an online training course followed by an in-person training session.

Register for online training today.

Questions:

If you have questions about grant opportunities or providing Cover Oregon outreach and/or enrollment services, please contact us at communitypartner@coveroregon.com



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SEPTEMBER - Deadlines

- **!!!Washington State Only!!!**
- **Aetna Foundation Accepting Applications for Regional Nutrition and Physical Activity Programs**

Deadline: September 15, 2013

Award Amount: \$25,000 - \$40,000

Description: The Aetna Foundation is dedicated to the promotion of wellness, health, and access to high-quality health care for everyone, while supporting the communities it serves.

The foundation's Regional Grants program funds community-wellness initiatives that serve those most at risk for poor health - including low-income, underserved, and minority populations -- in Aetna's priority cities and states.

In 2013, grants will target communities where healthy food can be difficult to buy, and where social and environmental factors may limit people's ability to be physically active. The foundation is particularly interested in programs that provide nutrition education and help increase the availability of affordable fresh fruits and vegetables in underserved communities and/or programs that provide opportunities for physical activity in underserved communities.

Typically, grants support school-based and afterschool nutrition and fitness programs that help children learn healthy habits at an early age, community-based nutrition education programs for children and families, efforts to increase the availability or affordability of fresh fruits and vegetables in communities, and community gardening and urban farming activities for children and families.

Priority consideration will be given to programs that focus on healthy food choices and physical activity through a racial and ethnic health equity lens.

<http://www.aetna-foundation.org/foundation/apply-for-a-grant/regional-grants/index.html>



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OCTOBER Deadlines

➤ **Sexually Transmitted Infections Cooperative Research Centers (STI CRC) (U19)**

Deadline: Oct 23, 2013

Award Amount: \$11,000,000

Description: The purpose of this FOA is to solicit applications for the Sexually Transmitted Infections Cooperative Research Centers (STI CRC) program. The STI CRC program facilitates multidisciplinary, synergistic collaborations that will increase our understanding and further our knowledge of co-infections of two or more specific STIs, as well as the interactions between and among different STI pathogens that may cause or enhance polymicrobial infections of the urogenital tract, e.g., bacterial vaginosis (BV), pelvic inflammatory disease (PID), intraamniotic infection (IAI) and non-gonococcal urethritis (NGU). This collaborative effort is expected to catalyze the discovery of new approaches to prevent, diagnose, and treat co-infections, polymicrobial infections and other clinical outcomes that affect reproductive health.

<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-AI-13-043.html>

NOVEMBER Deadlines

➤ **Small Research Grant to Improve Health Care Quality through Health Information Technology (IT) (R03)**

Deadline: Nov 16, 2013

Award Amount: Total costs (direct costs and associated indirect costs) are limited to \$100,000 over a maximum project period of two years.

Description: The purpose of this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is to support a wide variety of research designs in order to improve the quality, safety, effectiveness, and efficiency of health care through the implementation and use of health IT. These designs include: small pilot and feasibility or self-contained health IT research projects; secondary data analysis of health IT research; and economic (prospective or retrospective) analyses of health IT implementation and



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use. Through economic analyses estimates of health IT implementation and use costs and benefits will be generated.

<http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-08-268.html>

NO DEADLINE - GRANT RESOURCE INFORMATION:

➤ **The National Children's Alliance**

Deadline: <http://www.nationalchildrensalliance.org/>

Amount: See website

Description: The National Children's Alliance has a Request for proposals to help support the development of CACs and Multidisciplinary Teams. NACA encourages all tribal communities to apply. They can offer FREE technical support to help you with your application.

➤ **Common Wealth Fund**

The Commonwealth Fund encourages and accepts unsolicited requests on an ongoing basis. The Fund strongly prefers grant applicants to submit letters of inquiry using the online application form. Applicants who choose to submit letters of inquiry by regular mail or fax should provide the information outlined in a two-to three-page document.

They fund:

- **Delivery System Innovation and Improvement**
- **Health Reform Policy**
- **Health System Performance Assessment and Tracking**

<http://www.commonwealthfund.org/Grants-and-Programs/Letter-of-Inquiry.aspx>



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➤ **Kaboom! Invites Grant Applications to Open Previously Unavailable Playgrounds**

Deadline: KaBOOM! is inviting grant applications from communities anywhere in the United States working to establish joint use agreements to re-open playground and recreational facilities previously unavailable due to safety and upkeep concerns. (No specific deadline.)

Amount: Let's Play Land Use grants of \$15,000 and \$30,000 will support creation of joint-use agreements between local governments and school districts that address cost concerns related to safety, vandalism, maintenance, and liability issues to re-open previously unavailable playgrounds and recreational facilities. The \$15,000 grants will support the opening of at least four playgrounds in cities with populations of less than 100,000 people. The \$30,000 grants will support the opening of at least eight playgrounds in larger communities.

Description: Grants can be used for training and technical assistance, utilities and other building related to the extra use of the facility, legal fees, contract security services, and marketing campaigns related to the joint-use agreement. Grant recipients must commit to opening the playgrounds within twelve months of the grant decision.

Complete grant application guidelines are available on the KaBOOM! website:

http://kaboom.org/about_kaboom/programs/grants?utm_source=direct&utm_medium=surl

➤ **Meyer Memorial Trust**

Deadline: Monthly (Except January, April and August)

Amount: Range generally from \$40,001 to \$300,000 with grant periods from one to two (and occasionally three) years.

Description: Responsive Grants are awarded for a wide array of activities in the areas of human services, health, affordable housing, community development,



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conservation and environment, public affairs, arts and culture and education. There are two stages of consideration before Responsive Grants are awarded. Initial Inquires are accepted at any time through MMT's online grants application. Applicants that pass initial approval are invited to submit full proposals. The full two-step proposal investigation usually takes five to seven months.

<http://www.mmt.org/program/responsive-grants>

➤ **Kellogg Foundation Invites Applications for Programs that Engage Youth and Communities in Learning Opportunities**

Deadline: No Deadline

Amount: No Amount Specified

Description: The W.K. Kellogg Foundation is accepting applications from nonprofit organizations working to promote new ideas about how to engage children and youth in learning and ways to bring together community-based systems that promote learning. The foundation will consider grants in four priority areas: Educated Kids; Healthy Kids; Secure Families; and Civic Engagement.

Educated Kids: To ensure that all children get the development and education they need as a basis for independence and success, the foundation seeks opportunities to invest in early child development (ages zero to eight) leading to reading proficiency by third grade, graduation from high school, and pathways to meaningful employment.

Healthy Kids: The foundation supports programs that work to ensure that all children grow and reach optimal well-being by having access to fresh, healthy food, physical activity, quality health care, and strong family supports.

Secure Families: The foundation supports programs that build economic security for vulnerable children and their families through sustained income and asset accumulation.

Civic Engagement: The foundation partners with organizations committed to inclusion, impact, and innovation in solving public problems and meeting the needs of children and families who are most vulnerable.



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See the Kellogg Foundation Web site for eligibility and application guidelines.

http://foundationcenter.org/pnd/rfp/rfp_item.jhtml?id=411900024#sthash.8WbcfjRk.dpuf

➤ **W.K. Kellogg Foundation**

Deadline: The Kellogg Foundation does not have any submission deadlines. Grant applications are accepted throughout the year and are reviewed at their headquarters in Battle Creek, Michigan, or in our regional office in Mexico (for submissions focused within their region).

Amount: NO LIMIT (Please read restrictions/What they won't fund.)

Description: What to Expect

Once they receive your completed online application, an automated response, which includes your WKKF reference number, will be sent to you acknowledging its receipt. Their goal is to review your application and email their initial response to you within 45 days. Your grant may be declined or it may be selected for further development.

As part of review process you may be asked to submit your organization's financial reports and/or IRS Form 990. While this information may be required, it is not intended to be the overall determining factor for any funding. You will not be asked to provide any financial reports or detailed budget information during this initial submission. They will only request this information later if needed as part of the proposal development.

If you would like to speak with someone personally, please contact the Central Proposal Processing department at (269) 969-2329. <http://www.wkkf.org/>



AHRQ Research and Other Activities Relevant to American Indians and Alaska Natives

<http://www.ahrq.gov/research/findings/factsheets/minority/amindbrf/index.html>



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Kind Regards,

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