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Friday, February, 01, 2013

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

*Greetings!*

We are pleased to forward the following funding opportunities to you. Please see the information provided below:

**NEW INFORMATION!**

➤ **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>

- **Evaluating the Effectiveness of State, Local and Tribal Responses to Violence Committed Against Indian Women Living in Tribal Communities**

**Deadline:** April 22, 2013 (Applicants must register with Grants.gov prior to submitting an application. OJP urges applicants to **register 72 hours prior to** the application submission deadline. The deadline to apply for funding under this announcement is **11:59 p.m. eastern time** on **April 22, 2013.**)

**Amount:** NIJ anticipates that up to a total of \$500,000 may become available for one or two awards made through this solicitation. **All awards are subject to the**



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**availability of appropriated funds and to any modifications or additional requirements that may be imposed by law.** NIJ funding for an individual research project rarely exceeds \$500,000, though total funding for projects requiring multiple years to complete has exceeded \$1 million in some cases.

Applicants should be aware that the total period for an award ordinarily will not exceed 3 years.

**Description:** Title IX, Section 904(a) of the Violence Against Women and Department of Justice Reauthorization Act of 2005 (VAWA 2005), Public Law Number 109-162 (codified at 42 U.S.C. § 3796gg-10 note), calls for the National Institute of Justice (NIJ) to conduct analyses and research on violence against Indian women living in Indian Country. In conducting its analyses and research, this section asks NIJ to, in consultation with the Office on Violence Against Women (OVW), conduct a “national baseline study” focusing on domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault, stalking, and murder, and evaluating the effectiveness of responses to those violations. To date, NIJ has made significant progress in evaluating the effectiveness of federal responses to crimes committed against American Indian and Alaska Native women living in tribal communities. However, State, local, and tribal responses have not been evaluated. This solicitation seeks proposals to conduct evaluations of promising programs that effectively respond to violence against Indian women living in tribal communities managed by State, local, or tribal governments.

<https://www.ncjrs.gov/pdffiles1/nij/sl001032.pdf>

➤ **Healthy Eating Research Announces 2013 Call for Proposals**

**Deadline:** Proposals for Round 8 grants: **February 13, 2013**, April 24, 2013, July 10, 2013 (all by 3 p.m. ET)—Deadlines for receipt of concept papers.

- ❖ April 17, 2013, June 26, 2013, and September 11, 2013 (all by 3 p.m. ET)—Deadlines for receipt of invited full proposals, which correspond to the deadline under which the concept paper was submitted.
- ❖ September 1, 2013, November 1, 2013, and February 1, 2014—Awards begin.



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- ❖ Proposals for RWJF *New Connections* grants awarded through *Healthy Eating Research* (inside back cover): March 27, 2013 (3 p.m. ET)—Deadline for receipt of concept papers.
- ❖ June 26, 2013 (3 p.m. ET)—Deadline for receipt of invited full proposals.
- ❖ November 1, 2013—Awards begin

**Amount:** Approximately \$1.6 million will be awarded under this CFP for the two award types.

**Description:** *Healthy Eating Research: Building Evidence to Prevent Childhood Obesity* is a national program of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF). The program supports research on environmental and policy strategies with strong potential to promote healthy eating among children to prevent childhood obesity, especially among lower-income and racial and ethnic populations at highest risk for obesity. Findings are expected to advance RWJF's efforts to reverse the childhood obesity epidemic by 2015.

This call for proposals (CFP) is for two types of awards aimed at providing advocates, decision-makers, and policy-makers with evidence to reverse the childhood obesity epidemic. The award types are: Round 8 grants and RWJF *New Connections* grants awarded through the *Healthy Eating Research* program.

[www.healthyeatingresearch.org](http://www.healthyeatingresearch.org)

**\*\*NON - HEALTH RELATED\*\***

- **U.S. DEPARTMENT OF LABOR - Employment and Training Administration Notice of Availability of Funds and Solicitation for Grant Applications for YouthBuild Grants**

**Deadline: March 19, 2013.** Applications must be received no later than 4:00:00 p.m. Eastern Time.

**Amount:** The availability of approximately \$75 million in grant funds authorized by the YouthBuild provisions of the Workforce Investment Act [29 USC 2918a]. The final amount available depends on the amount of funds appropriated for YouthBuild in Fiscal Year (FY) 2013.



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### Cost Sharing or Matching

Cost sharing is required as a condition for application. Applicants must provide new cash or in-kind resources equivalent to exactly 25 percent of the grant award amount as “matching” funds while additional cost sharing above 25 percent may be committed towards the grant as “leveraged” funds.. Please note that neither prior investments nor Federal resources may be counted towards the matching funds threshold. Applicants that do not specify matching funds of exactly 25 percent as part of their application will be deemed non-responsive and will not be reviewed. Construction materials that are acquired without grant funds and are used for approved projects as part of the training for YouthBuild participants may be used in fulfilling the 25 percent match requirement.

To be allowable as part of match, an expenditure must be an allowable charge for Federal grant funds. Determinations of allowable costs will be made in accordance with the applicable Federal cost principles as indicated in Section IV.E. If the cost would not be allowable as a grant-funded charge, then it cannot be counted toward the applicant’s matching funds.

[http://doleta.gov/grants/pdf/pfs\\_sga\\_dfa\\_py\\_12\\_02.pdf](http://doleta.gov/grants/pdf/pfs_sga_dfa_py_12_02.pdf)

### **FEBURARY**

#### ➤ **Cost-Benefit of Incentive-based Smoking Cessation for Pregnant Women**

**Deadline:** Mar 04, 2013 - **Letter of Intent Due Date: February 4, 2013** Application Due Date: March 4, 2013, by 5:00 PM U.S. Eastern Time

**Amount:** \$560,000

#### **Description:**

The purpose of this FOA is to assist applicants with the preparation of an application that aligns with this announcement. The intent is to solicit proposals for a study to assess the cost-benefit of a smoking cessation intervention that targets pregnant smokers. The intent is to evaluate a high intensity and low intensity contingency management (CM) intervention on prenatal smoking



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cessation. The suggested approach is a three-arm randomized controlled trial to assess smoking abstinence at end of pregnancy and cost-benefit of different intensity levels of CM on prenatal smoking cessation. The 3 arms would include: 1) a high intensity CM intervention for smoking cessation during pregnancy; 2) a low intensity CM intervention for smoking cessation during pregnancy, and 3) standard of care.

<http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppId=210373>

➤ **HHS/Health Resources and Services Administration: Small Health Care Provider Quality Improvement Grant Program**

**Deadline:** Mar 04, 2013 **Letter of Intent Due Date: February 4, 2013** Application Due Date: March 4, 2013, by 5:00 PM U.S. Eastern Time

**Amount:** \$2,800,000

**Description:** The purpose of this FOA is to assist applicants with the preparation of an application that aligns with this announcement. The intent is to solicit proposals for a study to assess the cost-benefit of a smoking cessation intervention that targets pregnant smokers. The intent is to evaluate a high intensity and low intensity contingency management (CM) intervention on prenatal smoking cessation. The suggested approach is a three-arm randomized controlled trial to assess smoking abstinence at end of pregnancy and cost-benefit of different intensity levels of CM on prenatal smoking cessation. The 3 arms would include: 1) a high intensity CM intervention for smoking cessation during pregnancy; 2) a low intensity CM intervention for smoking cessation during pregnancy, and 3) standard of care.

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➤ **HHS/National Institutes of Health: NIMHD Trans disciplinary Collaborative Centers for Research on Men's Health (U54) Grant**

**Deadline:** Feb 06, 2013

**Amount:** \$3,000,000

**Description:** The National Institute on Minority Health and Health Disparities (NIMHD) seeks to establish specialized Trans disciplinary Collaborative Centers (TCCs) for Health Disparities Research comprising regional coalitions of academic institutions, community organizations, service providers and systems, government agencies and other stakeholders focused on priority research areas in minority health and health disparities. This initiative is intended to support coordinated research, implementation and dissemination activities that transcend customary approaches and silo organizational structures to address critical questions at multiple levels in innovative ways. The purpose of this funding opportunity is to support the development of TCCs focused specifically on research on men's health.

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**MARCH**

➤ **Planning Grants for Expansion of the Comprehensive Community Mental Health Services for Children and Their Families**

**Deadline:** Mar 01, 2013

**Amount:** \$10,708,000, Ceiling amount is \$800,000 for 13 applicants awarded.

**Description:** The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration's, Center for Mental Health Services is accepting applications for fiscal year (FY) 2013 for Planning Grants for Expansion of the Comprehensive Community Mental Health Services for Children and their Families (System of Care Expansion Planning Grants). The purpose of these grants is to develop a comprehensive strategic plan for improving and expanding services provided by systems of care (SOC) for children and youth with serious emotional disturbances and their families.

<http://www.samhsa.gov/grants/2013/sm-13-001.aspx>



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➤ **JUSTICE DEPARTMENT ANNOUNCES AVAILABILITY OF FUNDING TO FEDERALLY-RECOGNIZED TRIBES AND TRIBAL CONSORTIA**

**Deadline:** Applicants should register early, but no later than Tuesday, March 5, 2013

**Amount:** Funding amount is found in Part F. Section II (Amounts vary depending on what you apply for.)

**Description:** [www.justice.gov/tribal/open-sol.html](http://www.justice.gov/tribal/open-sol.html)

“Through the Coordinated Tribal Assistance Solicitation we have made it easier for tribes to tap much-needed federal funding for critical needs, such as violence against women,” said Acting Associate Attorney General Tony West. “We have made excellent progress in restoring a healthy government-to-government relationship with tribal nations, but we are far from finished with our work.”

CTAS is administered by the Justice Department’s Office of Justice Programs (OJP), the Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) and the Office on Violence Against Women (OVW). The funding can be used to enhance law enforcement; bolster adult and juvenile justice systems; prevent and control juvenile delinquency; serve sexual assault, domestic violence and elder victims; and support other efforts to combat crime. To view the fact sheet on the FY 2013 CTAS, visit [www.justice.gov/tribal/ctas2013/ctas-factsheet.pdf](http://www.justice.gov/tribal/ctas2013/ctas-factsheet.pdf).

➤ **Violent Gang and Gun Crime Reduction Program (Project Safe Neighborhoods) FY 2013 Competitive Grant Announcement**

**Deadline:** Deadline is March 11, 2013.

**Amount:** \$150,000

**Description:** Eligible applicants are PSN Task Force fiscal agents for the U.S. Attorney districts and federally recognized Indian tribal governments as determined by the Secretary of the Interior. All fiscal agents must be certified by the relevant U.S. Attorney’s Office (USAO). Eligible fiscal agents include states, units of local government, educational institutions, faith-based and other community



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organizations, private nonprofit organizations, and **federally recognized Indian tribal governments as determined by the Secretary of the Interior.**

There are categories for small, medium, and large districts as well as for federally recognized American Indian tribes and Alaska Native tribes, and/or tribal organizations. Applicants may only apply to one category. The categories are:

Category 1: USAO district populations of 5 million or more.

Category 2: USAO district populations of 2 million–4,999,999.

Category 3: USAO district populations under 2 million.

**Category 4: Federally recognized American Indian tribes and Alaska Native tribes, and/or tribal organizations. Tribes and tribal organizations must coordinate their application with the local USAO as well as provide a letter of certification from the local USAO for their application.**

<https://www.bja.gov/Funding/13PSNsol.pdf>

**FYI**

- **HHS/Health Resources & Services Administration: MCH Research Network on Promoting Healthy Weight (HW-RN) among Children with Autism Spectrum Disorders (ASD) and other Special Health Care Needs Grant**

**Closing Date is February 04, 2013**

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**ONGOING ~ INFORMATION:**

➤ **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](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>

### ➤ 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/>



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If you would like assistance please do not hesitate to contact me at:

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Kind Regards,

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