

2021 Central Oregon Community Health Projects

Letter of Interest (LOI)

Community Advisory Council, of the Central Oregon Health Council

Overview

Funding Opportunity Description

The Community Advisory Council (CAC) is accepting letters of interest (LOI) for projects addressing Social Determinants of Health and Equity (SDOH-E) through the new Community Health Projects grant program. The CAC is investing in community-level interventions focused on improving community health and wellbeing and reducing health disparities. Priority will be given to projects that serve rural areas and the populations most impacted by system barriers. Grants awarded will range from \$5,000 to \$80,000.

Project Requirements

Applications must meet the criteria below:

- Projects must address Social Determinants of Health and Equity (SDOH-E)
- Projects must apply Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion principles and practices.
- Projects must align with at least one of Aims/Goals in the six focus areas (listed below) in the 2020-2024 Regional Health Improvement Plan (RHIP) Aims/Goals (review full plan and executive summary at cohealthcouncil.org/rhip/).
 1. Address Poverty and Enhance Self-Sufficiency
 2. Behavioral Health Access and Coordination
 3. Promote Enhanced Physical Health Across Communities
 4. Stable Housing and Supports
 5. Substance and Alcohol Misuse Prevention and Treatment
 6. Upstream Prevention: Promotion of Individual Well-Being
- Projects must take place within at least one of the following:
 - Tribal Nations of:
 - The Confederated Tribes of Warm Springs
 - The Klamath Tribes
 - The Cow Creek Band of Umpqua Tribe of Indians
 - Geographic area of:
 - Crook County
 - Deschutes County
 - Jefferson County
 - Northern Klamath County, limited to:
 - Gilchrist
 - Chemult
 - Crescent
 - Crescent Lake Junction

- Applications must be submitted by an organization with an EIN/Tax ID. Both non-profit and for-profit organizations are welcome to apply.

Restrictions

Community Health Projects grants cannot be used for:

- Any product or service that can be billed to any health insurance plan (durable medical equipment, screenings, medicines, etc.)
- Rental assistance, housing assistance, housing construction, and utilities
- Projects benefiting a single individual or single household
- Projects that don't address Social Determinants of Health and Health Equity
- Projects *only* serving undocumented community members

Funding Details and Important Information

Total Award Pool

\$431,000

Award Limit

\$5,000 to \$80,000

Letters of Interest Due Date

August 5, 2021 at 11:59PM PST

Finalist Notification Date

August 23, 2021 via email

Finalists will be invited to complete our full grant application.

Finalist Application Due Date:

October 18, 2021 at 11:59PM PST

Final Award Decision Notification

By November 22, 2021 via email

Finalists may be asked for additional information or to present at the virtual Community Advisory Council meeting in November 2021.

Apply

How to Apply

For instructions on how to apply, please click [HERE](#).

Access Code

2021CHP

Evaluation Criteria

The Community Advisory Council will review your grant application using this [scorecard](#). We encourage you to use it to help build your Letter of Interest.

Questions?

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Resources

Social Determinants of Health

<https://www.healthypeople.gov/2020/topics-objectives/topic/social-determinants-of-health>

Health Equity

<https://www.rwjf.org/en/library/research/2017/05/what-is-health-equity-.html>

Rural Communities

<https://www.ohsu.edu/oregon-office-of-rural-health/about-rural-and-frontier-data>

Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion

<https://ideal.com/diversity-equity-inclusion/>

<https://mmt.org/applicant-resources/diversity>