



# COLLABORATIVE CORNER

Nonprofit Executives' Network

★ Collaborative Opportunity

June 2011

## ★ **ANIMAL-RELATED**

### **Short Term Research Career Enhancement Opportunities for Established Veterinarians**

Awards under this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) will provide a short-term, specialized research career opportunity for established veterinarians (DVM, VMD or equivalent) with an interest in comparative medicine and translational research. The term of the award may range from 6-24 months. Awardees are expected to be at the Associate or Full Professor level (or equivalent in a non-academic setting). The focus is to support the research career enhancement for established veterinarian researchers (DVM, VMD or equivalent) using animal models in translational research. The intent of this FOA is to provide grantees with protected time to achieve a shift in the focus of their research direction or to learn new research techniques and/or procedures relevant to their ongoing research projects and to the NCRR mission. This FOA is not intended as a substitute for ongoing research project support.

**Deadline: June 14, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-RR-11-002.html>

### **American Humane**

American Humane offers Foreclosure Pets Grants to help shelters care for the influx of pets arriving due to foreclosures. Grant monies must be used to offset expenses already incurred in providing direct care to animals that have been impacted by a foreclosure situation. Animal welfare organizations interested in applying for a Foreclosure Pets Grant should email the following information to [grants@americanhumane.org](mailto:grants@americanhumane.org) with "Foreclosure Pets Grant" in the subject line: Organization name and mission statement. American Humane member number, Desired use of funds. The maximum grant amount is \$2,000 per organization, and availability is highly limited; however, selected organizations will be notified by email and invited to submit a formal application.

**Deadline: Open**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.americanhumane.org/protecting-animals/shelter-professionals/grants/foreclosure-pets/>

### **Support for Animal Rescue Groups**

United Animal Nations: Lifeline Crisis Relief Grants Lifeline Crisis Relief Grants, offered by United Animal Nations (UAN), provide support to grassroots and rescue groups nationwide that need to act quickly to ensure safe lifetime care for a group of animals who are being rescued via large-scale criminal seizure or surrender. Funded situations must involve rescuing a minimum of

ten equines or farmed animals, or a minimum of 30 dogs, cats, or other small animals. Grants are given to projects that are one-time in nature. Visit the UAN website for examples of funded projects as well as grant application guidelines.

**Deadline : Open**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.uan.org/index.cfm?navId=165>

## **ARTS & CULTURE**

### **Digitizing Historical Records**

The National Historical Publications and Records Commission seeks proposals that use cost-effective methods to digitize nationally significant historical record collections and make the digital versions freely available online. Projects must make use of existing holdings of historical repositories and consist of entire collections or series. The materials should already be available to the public at the archives and described so that projects can re-use existing information to serve as metadata for the digitized collection.

**Deadline: June 9, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.archives.gov/nhprc/announcement/digitizing.html>

### **Publishing Historical Records**

The National Historical Publications and Records Commission seek proposals to publish historical records of national significance. Projects may focus on the papers of major figures from American life or cover broad historical movements in politics, military, business, social reform, the arts, and other aspects of the national experience. The historical value of the records and their expected usefulness to broad audiences must justify the costs of the project. Grants are awarded for collecting, describing, preserving, compiling, editing, and publishing documentary source materials.

**Deadline: June 9, 2011**

**Maximum Grant Amount: \$250,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.archives.gov/nhprc/announcement/publishing.html>

### **Preservation and Access Education and Training Grants**

The Preservation and Access Education and Training program is central to NEH's efforts to preserve and establish access to cultural heritage collections. Thousands of libraries, archives, museums, and historical organizations across the country maintain important collections of books and manuscripts, photographs, sound recordings and moving images, archaeological and ethnographic artifacts, art and material culture collections, electronic records, and digital objects. The challenge of preserving and making accessible such large and diverse holdings is enormous and the need for knowledgeable staff is significant and ongoing. Preservation and Access Education and Training grants help the staff of cultural institutions, large and small, obtain the knowledge and skills needed to serve as effective stewards of humani-

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ties collections. Grants also support educational programs that prepare the next generation of conservators and preservation professionals, as well as projects that introduce the staff of cultural institutions to new information and advances in preservation and access practices.

**Deadline: June 30, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.neh.gov/grants/guidelines/pet.html>

#### **Center for Craft, Creativity and Design—Craft Research Fund - Project Grants**

To support innovative research on artistic and critical issues in craft theory and history; To explore the inter-relationship among craft, art, design and contemporary culture; To foster new cross-disciplinary approaches to scholarship in the craft field in the United States; To advance investigation of neglected questions on craft history and criticism in the United States Proposals are welcome from academic researchers, independent scholars, and museum curators. General overhead (indirect administrative expenses) is not eligible for university-based projects. No capital equipment purchases are eligible for support. Proposals must identify intended audiences and/or publishing opportunities. These may include stand-alone publications, peer-reviewed journals, papers presented at a scholarly conference, university colloquium or public forum, or a museum catalogue.

**Deadline: July 1, 2011**

**Maximum Grant Amount: \$15,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://craftcreativitydesign.org/pdf/2011CraftResearchFundProjectGrant.pdf>

#### **Music Grant Program -ASCAP**

The ASCAP Foundation is a publicly supported charitable organization dedicated to supporting American music creators and encouraging their development through music education and talent development programs. The foundation is accepting Letters of Intent for new 2012 grant funding from nonprofit 501(c)(3) organizations engaged in music education and talent development programs for aspiring songwriters and composers. The foundation does not consider requests for general operating or administrative support or annual giving campaigns, capital purposes, endowments, deficit operations, recordings, marketing efforts, or performance and production funding. The foundation does not purchase advertisements, sponsor events, or donate equipment.

**Deadline: August 1, 2011**

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

**Grant Link:** <http://www.ascapfoundation.org/grants.html>

#### **Bridging Cultures Implementation Grants**

In setting forth its vision for the National Endowment for the Humanities, Congress declared that the humanities reflect the high place accorded by the American people to the nation's rich cultural heritage and to the fostering of mutual respect for the diverse beliefs and values of all persons and groups. To help Americans better understand our own rich cultural heritage, while enhancing public knowledge of and respect for others both here and abroad, NEH has launched the Bridging Cultures initiative. The initiative encourages projects that explore the ways in which cultures from around the globe, as well as the myriad subcultures within America's borders, have influenced American society. With the aim of revitalizing intellectual and civic life through the humanities, NEH welcomes projects that ex-

pand both scholarly and public discussion of diverse countries, peoples, and cultural and intellectual traditions worldwide. As part of its Bridging Cultures initiative, NEH welcomes proposals to implement a national or regional program for broad and diverse public audiences on one of two humanities themes: "Civility and Democracy" or "The Muslim World and the Humanities."

**Deadline: August 2, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$500,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=Vd5dNggDjTbVL7GBh5SdFDqpcTCQbKy5WGF TkvvVPBH47z8z10X8!756542808?oppld=96733&mode=VIEW>

#### **NEA Arts in Media, FY 2012**

Through this category, the National Endowment for the Arts seeks to make the excellence and diversity of the arts widely available to the American public through every available media platform including television, radio, the Internet, interactive and mobile technologies, digital games, and satellite. By increasing the accessibility and impact of the arts, the Arts Endowment aims to strengthen the creativity of our nation. Grants are available to support the development, production, and national distribution of innovative media projects about the arts (e.g., visual arts, music, dance, literature, design, theater, musical theater, opera, folk & traditional arts, and media arts including film, audio, animation, and digital art) and media projects that can be considered works of art. The NEA is seeking and will give priority to artistically excellent projects that have the potential to reach a significant national audience, through their primary platform, regardless of the size or geographic location of the applicant organization. Only projects of the highest artistic excellence and merit, in both media production and subject matter, will be funded. Projects may include high profile multi-part or single television and radio programs (documentaries and dramatic narratives); media created for theatrical release; performance programs; artistic segments for use within an existing series; multi-part webisodes; installations; and interactive games. Short films, five minutes and under, will only be considered in packages of three or more. Projects may deal with any subject matter or art form, and those targeted to children and youth are welcome. The agency encourages innovative, entertaining, compelling, and artistically crafted media projects that not only increase access to, but also enhance public knowledge and understanding of, the arts. Such projects might be multi-platform or transmedia. They may include the use of radio and television, DVDs, interactive web sites, live streaming, audio- and video-on-demand, podcasts, MP3 files, mobile, or other digital applications including games. Projects may include enhancements such as educational materials and/or foster collaborations with arts organizations, educators, and community groups. Media distribution to schools, libraries, as well as homes, and other substantive public engagement strategies will be given priority. Applications should clearly demonstrate the organization's ability to achieve national distribution. Further, in order to reach the widest possible audience, this category will give priority to projects that include a well articulated social media strategy.

**Deadline: September 1, 2011**

**Maximum Grant Amount: \$200,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.arts.gov/grants/apply/AIM/index.html>

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### Wyeth Foundation for American Art

The Wyeth Foundation for American Art supports the publication of books on American art through the Wyeth Foundation for American Art Publication Grant, administered by CAA. For purposes of this grant program, "American art" is defined as art created in the United States, Canada, and Mexico prior to 1970. Application is by the publisher, not the author. Applications are considered only for book-length scholarly manuscripts in the history of American art that are under contract for publication. Awards are open to publishers of all nations; authors need not live or work in the United States. Commercial, university, and museum presses are all eligible. Applicant authors and presses must be institutional CAA members, although on a case-by-case basis CAA may waive that requirement upon request for non-US-based independent presses. Excluded from consideration are excavation or other technical reports, articles, previously published works (including collections of previously published essays), and congress proceedings. Museum exhibition or collection catalogues containing substantial scholarship are eligible. High scholarly and intellectual merit is the sine qua non for an award; however, the jury is also attentive to the following criteria:

- Topics on art before 1970
  - Topics with a naturally small market or unusually high expenses
  - Works by disadvantaged scholars, including those at the earlier stages of a career, or by younger scholars or curators; or issued by smaller museums; or by or about underserved constituencies
  - Books that break new ground, contribute new scholarship, or publish important primary-source material
- Beautiful books that increase the audience for American art

**Deadline: October 1, 2011**

**Maximum Grant Amount: \$4,000,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.collegeart.org/wyeth/>

### Arts, Education and other Grants for Quality Nonprofits from the Green Foundation

The Green Foundation has ongoing funding for quality nonprofits focusing in a number of areas, including arts and creativity programs for children. The funding is ongoing, and the first steps are 1. see if your nonprofit is eligible, and 2. send in a letter of inquiry. Focus Areas: The Green Foundation's resources are focused on four specific areas - The Arts, Education, Human Services, Medical/Scientific Research, and Special Projects. Preferential attention will be given to institutions exhibiting the following positive factors: A history of achievement, good management, and a stable financial condition; Significant programs with the promise of making a measurable impact; and programs that are self-sustaining and will not necessitate continued dependence on the Foundation.

**Deadline: January 1, 2013**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.cac.ca.gov/othergrants/ogdetail.php?id=313>

### Fender Music Foundation

The Fender Music Foundation accepts information from 501c3 and governmental grant candidates. Qualifying applicants are established, ongoing and sustainable music programs in the United States, which provide music instruction for people of any age who would not otherwise have

the opportunity to make music. The intent of the program must be music instruction, not music appreciation or entertainment, and the participants/students cannot be professional or career musicians. Almost all of the selected programs, to which we award grants, fall into the following categories: In-school music classes, in which the students make music; After-school music programs that are not run by the school; Music therapy programs, where participants make the music.

**Deadline: Open**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.fendermusicfoundation.org/grants/index.cfm?sec=info>

### CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

#### **National Center on Program Management and Fiscal Operations**

The Administration for Children and Families (ACF), Office of Head Start (OHS) announces the availability of \$4,000,000 to be competitively awarded for a National Center on Program Design, Management and Fiscal Operations (the Center). The goals of the Center are to provide a vehicle for the dissemination of a clear, consistent message from OHS about its priorities for identification and mitigation of risks through the development and implementation of sound management systems and strong internal controls. The Center will showcase evidence-based practices in program and fiscal planning that ensure all Head Start organizations have access to the same level of high-quality training and technical assistance in order to produce the best possible outcomes for children. The Center's work will include, but not be limited to, topics such as risk management, internal controls, governance, data collection and analysis, budgeting and cost allocation. The Center will also assist organizations to implement and enhance the infrastructure necessary to support a well-managed system of early care and education.

**Deadline: June 13, 2011**

**Maximum Grant Amount: \$4,00,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foa/view/HHS-2011-ACF-OHS-HC-0199>

#### **Ethnic Community Self Help Program**

The Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR) invites ethnic community based organizations as well as ethnic organizations that are faith-based to submit competitive grant applications for funding of the Ethnic Community Self-Help Program to provide services to newly arrived refugees. The objective of this program is to strengthen organized ethnic communities comprised and representative of refugee populations to ensure ongoing support and services to refugees within five years after initial resettlement. The populations targeted for services and benefits in the application must represent refugee communities which have arrived in the U.S. within the last five years (no earlier than 2005). Applicants should view these resources as a temporary augmentation of funds to meet emerging organizational and other needs of the arriving populations and should plan to move toward non-ORR funding sources beyond the project period.

**Deadline: June 30, 2011**

**Maximum Grant Amount: \$250,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foa/view/HHS-2011-ACF-ORR-RE-0173>

#### **Rosalynn Carter Leadership in Caregiving Award**

The Rosalynn Carter Institute for Caregiving is accepting

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nominations for its Leadership in Caregiving Award. The annual award recognizes leadership in implementing innovative partnerships between community agencies and caregiving researchers to bridge the gap between science and practice. These partnerships help move effective caregiver support programs to widespread use in the community more quickly and efficiently.

**Deadline: July 1, 2011**

**Maximum Grant Amount: \$20,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.rosalyncarter.org/Leadership%20Award/>

#### **National Center on Health**

The Administration for Children and Families (ACF), Office of Head Start (OHS) announces the availability of \$3,000,000 to be competitively awarded for a National Center on Health (the Center). The goal of the Center is to provide a vehicle for the dissemination of a clear, consistent message from OHS about its priorities for Head Start and Early Head Start programs and their partners to develop and implement effective practices in the areas of health; nutrition; health promotion; disease prevention; access to medical and dental care; mental wellness for staff, children, and families; safe environments; health literacy; emergency preparedness; oral health; and obesity prevention. The Center will showcase evidence-based practices that ensure all Head Start and Early Head Start programs have access to the same level of high quality information in order to produce the best possible outcomes for children. Evidence-based practices are defined as those that demonstrate a strong level of effectiveness that result in positive outcomes for low income children and families. Applications from institutions of higher education and consortia of organizations are encouraged. Eligible applicants, county, city, nonprofit, applicants may also include, as part of a consortium, nonprofit and for-profit organizations that have a history of increasing the quality of effective practices in the areas of health, oral health, dental health, and nutrition. Faith-based and community organizations that meet eligibility requirements are eligible to receive awards under this funding opportunity announcement. Individuals and foreign entities are not eligible for awards made under this announcement.

**Deadline: July 6, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$3,000,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foa/view/HHS-2011-ACF-ACYF-CY-0166>

#### **Improving Service Delivery to Youth in the Child Welfare System**

The purpose of this funding opportunity announcement (FOA) is to develop and evaluate programs that promote the safety and well-being of children and families and that allow youth, where safe and appropriate, to return to families from which they have been removed, by building relationship skills to mitigate risk and to promote protective and resiliency factors in youth who have experienced trauma or abuse. Projects will target youth in the child welfare system, or those at risk of entering the child welfare system, including LGBTQ, pregnant and parenting teens, and other youth with significant risk factors.

**Deadline: July 7, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$500,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foa/view/HHS-2011-ACF-ACYF-CW-0186>

#### **Early Head Start Replacement Grantee - Riverside County, California**

The Administration for Children and Families solicits applications from public or private non-profit organizations, including faith base organizations or for profit organizations that wish to compete for funds that are available to provide Early Head Start services to infants, toddlers, and their families residing in Riverside County, California. The intent of this announcement is to provide for the continuation of services as previously provided by the former grantee, Ahmium Educational Association. Funds in the amount of \$427,474 annually will be available to provide Early Head Start program services to eligible infants, toddlers, and their families. The former grantee was funded for a total enrollment of 50 infants, toddlers, and their families. Interested applicants must call the OHS Operations Center at (866) 796-1591 to receive pre-application materials and additional information. Pre-application materials for this service area are also available at [www.headstartgrants.org](http://www.headstartgrants.org).

**Deadline: July 12, 2011**

**Maximum Grant Amount: \$427,474**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foa/view/HHS-2011-ACF-OHS-CH-R09-0249>

#### **Early Head Start University Partnership Grants: Buffering Children from Toxic Stress**

The Administration for Children and Families (ACF) announces the Early Head Start University Partnership Grants: Buffering Children from Toxic Stress. These grants fund research activities to implement promising parenting interventions which augment ongoing Early Head Start services, in order to improve outcomes for the most vulnerable infants and toddlers. The purpose of this announcement is to report the availability of grant projects to promote knowledge of how Early Head Start programs can buffer children from the effects of toxic stress by supporting parenting/caregiving. Grantees will be required to demonstrate a partnership or partnerships with Early Head Start programs as an integral part of the research plan development and execution. They will implement a promising parenting interventions model, augmenting existing Early Head Start services, for those children and families at the highest levels of stress. The evaluation component will include a validation of the selected risk factors as indicating a risk for toxic stress, an implementation study of the parenting intervention, as well as a rigorous test of the effectiveness of the intervention. While many caregiving relationships can provide buffering effects, the focus of this announcement is on the parental (or primary caregiver, foster parent, or guardian if biological parents are not available) relationship.

**Deadline: July 18, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$400,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foa/view/HHS-2011-ACF-OPRE-YR-0204>

#### **U.S. Repatriation Program**

The U.S. Repatriation Program (Program) was established in 1935 under Section 1113 of the Social Security Act (Assistance for U.S. Citizens Returned from Foreign Countries), to provide temporary assistance to U.S. citizens and their dependents who have been identified by the Department of State (DOS) as having returned, or been brought from a foreign country, to the U.S. because of destitution, illness, war, threat of war, or a similar crisis, and are without available resources. Upon arrival in the U.S., services for repatri-

ates are the responsibility of the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS). The Secretary has delegated these responsibilities to the Administration for Children and Families (ACF) and to the Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR). Temporary Assistance is provided in the form of a loan that must be repaid to the Federal Government. Temporary assistance, which is defined as cash payment, medical care (including counseling), temporary shelter, transportation, and other goods and services necessary for the health or welfare of individuals is given to eligible individuals in the form of a loan and must be repaid to the U.S. Government. Temporary assistance, which is not an entitlement, is available to eligible individuals for up-to 90-days. Periodic case revisions are performed to determine whether the person remains eligible for services. Repatriates are to collaborate with this periodic revisions, failure to cooperate may result in closing of the case. Temporary assistance is not retroactive. Certain temporary assistance may be furnished beyond the 90-day period if ACF/ORR finds that the circumstances involved necessitate or justify the furnishing of such assistance to repatriates and their dependents beyond the 90 day limit (42 United States Code (U.S.C.) 1313). In order to qualify for an extension of services, repatriates and/or representatives must submit their requests prior to the end of their 90-days of eligibility period in order to qualify. Necessary and timely supportive information must accompany the request for an extension. In addition, under the Program legislation, eligible individuals can apply for debt waivers and deferrals. Appropriate procedures are followed to make this determination. Repatriates should submit timely request for waivers and deferrals. Failure to submit timely requests may result in irreversible garnishment of available resources including federal and state benefits (e.g. SSI).

**Maximum Grant: \$1,000,000**

**Deadline: July 18, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foa/view/HHS-2011-ACF-ORR-RR-0182>

#### **Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) Training and Technical Assistance (T/TA) Program: Leadership Development Center of Excellence**

The Office of Community Services (OCS) within the Administration for Children and Families (ACF) announces that competing applications will be accepted for a new grant to support a national CSBG Leadership Development Center of Excellence (LDCE). The LDCE will serve as a central gateway to high-quality and relevant leadership development T/TA activities, information, and resources, and develop a recommended approach for talent management within Community Action Agencies (CAAs) and other CSBG-eligible entities. The T/TA is intended to help these agencies prepare for transition into the next decade with the strongest talent available. This effort will focus on helping to ensure CAAs and other CSBG-eligible entities develop leadership with the broad range of skills (e.g., public administration, strategic planning, succession planning, financial management, human resource development, community relations, performance evaluation, and cultural competence) necessary for management of complex non-profit and public entities according to the high standards necessary for oversight of public funds. The core functions of the LDCE will be training and continuing education development and coordination, information collection and resource management, and information dissemination. Other key

responsibilities of the LDCE will be to develop a strategy to partner with and support leadership development programs conducted through State CAA Associations and regional consortia.

**Deadline: July 26, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$200,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foa/view/HHS-2011-ACF-OCS-EQ-0189>

#### **National Human Trafficking Victim Assistance Program**

The central purpose of this cooperative agreement is to efficiently fund comprehensive case management services on a per capita basis to foreign victims and potential victims of a severe form of trafficking in persons seeking HHS certification in any location within the United States. Persons qualified for services under this grant (qualified persons) means victims of a severe form of trafficking in persons who have received certification from ORR or, in the case of child victims, letters of eligibility from ORR; potential victims of a severe form of trafficking who are seeking assistance to achieve HHS certification; aliens classified as a non-immigrant under Section 1101 (a)(15)(T)(ii) of title 8 of the U.S. Code; and minor dependent children of victims of severe forms of trafficking in persons or potential victims of trafficking. The Anti-Trafficking in Persons Division within the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR) intends to accomplish this purpose by awarding a minimum of four cooperative agreements for a project period of 36 months (three years) with three 12-month budget periods. The initial award will be made for the first 12-month budget period. Continuation awards for subsequent budget periods will be subject to the availability of funds, satisfactory progress by the grantee and a determination that continued funding would be in the best interest of the Federal Government. Applicants must clearly define the dollar value of the per capita benefit to be provided to each qualified person served under this opportunity. The awarded organization must provide case management and referrals to qualified persons either directly through its own organization or through sub-award(s) to other organizations. The Director of ORR may give priority consideration to applications that demonstrate three or more years of experience in identifying and assisting both foreign victims of sex and labor trafficking, including the provision of, or management and oversight of, case management services, and providing technical assistance and trainings on human trafficking. The Director of ORR will give priority to those organizations with an established provider network for multiple states or metropolitan areas and capacity to provide case management services in locations with a demonstrated need for services. The Director of ORR will give priority to geographic locations with reported high incidence of human trafficking.

**Deadline: July 26, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$4,250,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foa/view/HHS-2011-ACF-ORR-ZV-0148>

#### **Research on Children in Military Families: The Impact of Parental Military Deployment and Reintegration on Child and Family Functioning (12)**

The purpose of this FOA is to encourage interdisciplinary studies on the impact of parental military deployment, combat-related stress, and reintegration with the family on child social and affective development outcomes as well as on family functioning. Longitudinal prospective studies with diverse

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samples would address important gaps in the literature and are highly encouraged. Descriptive studies addressing the particular concerns of early childhood, middle childhood and adolescence are also encouraged.

**Deadline: May 7, 2014**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-200.html>

## **CIVIL and HUMAN RIGHTS**

### **Open Meadows Foundation Offers Support for Community Programs Serving Women and Girls**

Open Meadows Foundation is a grant-making organization for projects that are led by and benefit women and girls, particularly those from vulnerable communities. Open Meadows Foundation funds projects that do not discriminate on the basis of race, religion, national origin, gender identity and expression, sexual identity and expression, age or ability. The organizational budget of an applicant organization should not exceed \$150,000. Small and start-up organizations are strongly encouraged to apply. Proposals from organizations not previously funded by the foundation will be given priority.

**Deadline: August 15, 2011**

**Maximum Grant Amount: \$2,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.openmeadows.org/>

## **COMMUNITY and ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT**

### **Music Grant Program -ASCAP**

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**Deadline: August 1, 2011**

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

**Grant Link:** <http://www.ascapfoundation.org/grants.html>

### **NEA Arts in Media, FY2012**

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**Deadline: September 1, 2011**

**Maximum Grant Amount: \$200,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.arts.gov/grants/apply/AIM/index.html>

### **Albertson's Charitable Giving**

At the heart of Albertson's charitable giving is the idea that being a good corporate citizen is an ongoing responsibility. By helping to create stronger communities, we enhance the quality of life for customers and associates. As a neighbor to our customers in hundreds of communities throughout the Western United States, we know that being a good neighbor means also providing for our customers beyond our store's walls. We are focused on : Hunger Relief: Comprehensive hunger relief, as well as nonprofit food distribution centers. Health: Health and wellness awareness, education and programming, as well as disease management and prevention through diet. Nutrition: Healthy lifestyles and nutrition promotion and education, as well as access to healthy foods. Criteria:

- A clear description of the program
- Quality delivery of a needed service
- Results which are predictable and can be evaluated
- Fiscal and management capability
- Broad-based community support
- Competent, qualified staff and board
- Beneficial to a substantial segment of the community, with particular focus on at-risk or disadvantaged populations

**Deadline: Open**

**Grant Link:**

<https://shop.albertsons.com/eCommerceWeb/CommunityAction.do?action=beginCommunity>

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### **FedEx Grant Program**

The mission of the FedEx Social Responsibility department is to actively support the communities we serve and to strengthen our global reputation through strategic investment of our people, resources and network. FedEx is especially interested in supporting nonprofit organizations that request: 5% or less of a total project budget; contingency grants; or seed monies with the thought that other sources will contribute matching amounts. Organizations must show evidence of competent management, low administrative/fundraising expense ratios, and a nondiscriminatory program benefiting broad segments of the community. We heavily weigh the potential involvement of our employees in groups that seek our financial support. We have three core focus areas that our investments can impact in important and meaningful ways: Emergency and Disaster Relief, Child Pedestrian Safety, and Environmental Sustainability. FedEx has Corporate Neighbor Teams which serve as community service ambassadors. These teams work with many nonprofit organizations and act as a clearinghouse for requests for manpower assistance. They serve the following areas: Arts, Children/Youth, United Way, Adopt-A-School, Junior Achievement, Hearing-Impaired and Civic Affairs. Nonprofits needing volunteers should submit a written request.

**Deadline: Open**

**Grant Link:** [http://about.fedex.designcdt.com/charitable\\_contribution\\_guidelines](http://about.fedex.designcdt.com/charitable_contribution_guidelines)

### **Planning and Local Technical Assistance Programs Opportunity—FY 2011**

The Economic Development Administration's (EDA) mission is to lead the Federal economic development agenda by promoting innovation and competitiveness, preparing American regions for growth and success in the worldwide economy. In implementing this mission pursuant to the Public Works and Economic Development Act of 1965, as amended (42 U.S.C. § 3121 et seq.) (PWEDA), EDA advances economic growth by assisting communities and regions experiencing chronic high unemployment and low per capita income to create an environment that fosters innovation, promotes entrepreneurship, and attracts increased private capital investment. Pursuant to PWEDA, EDA announces general policies and application procedures for grant-based investments under the Planning and Local Technical Assistance Programs. These programs will help communities develop the planning and technical expertise to support communities and regions in their comprehensive, entrepreneurial, and innovation-based economic development efforts. Resulting in increased private investment and higher-skill, higher-wage jobs in areas experiencing substantial and persistent economic distress, these programs are designed to enhance the competitiveness of regions.

**Deadline: Open**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.eda.gov/PDF/EDAP-FFO-Planning\\_Tech%20Assistance-FINAL.pdf](http://www.eda.gov/PDF/EDAP-FFO-Planning_Tech%20Assistance-FINAL.pdf)

### **Wells Fargo**

Wells Fargo continues to serve the community through its broad range community support programs, including Wells Fargo contributions. Wells Fargo has built an internal culture of giving back to our communities through the promotion of volunteerism among our team members. While we make grants in three primary areas: Community Develop-

ment (Affordable housing, Training people to find and retain jobs, Community revitalization and stabilization), Education (educational programs promoting academic achievement by low- to moderate-income students in pre-Kindergarten through the twelfth grade in the key areas of, Math and science, Literacy, History of the American West), and Human Services. Send completed proposals via US mail to: Robin Hought, AVP - Community Support Representative Wells Fargo Foundation, 74199 El Paseo, 1st Floor, Suite 104, MAC E2545-012, Palm Desert, CA 92260-4149. Phone (760) 836-0406.

**Deadline: Open**

**Grant Link:** [https://www.wellsfargo.com/about/charitable/ca\\_apply/sc\\_apply](https://www.wellsfargo.com/about/charitable/ca_apply/sc_apply)

### **EDUCATION**

#### **Technology and Media Services for Individuals with Disabilities--Center on Online Learning and Students with Disabilities**

The purposes of the Technology and Media Services for Individuals with Disabilities program are to: (1) Improve results for children with disabilities by promoting the development, demonstration, and use of technology; (2) support educational media services activities designed to be of educational value in the classroom setting to children with disabilities; and (3) provide support for captioning and video description that are appropriate for use in the classroom setting. Eligible Applicants: State educational agencies (SEAs); local educational agencies (LEAs), including public charter schools that are considered LEAs under State law; IHEs; other public agencies; private nonprofit organizations; outlying areas; freely associated States; Indian tribes or tribal organizations; and for-profit organizations.

**Deadline: June 20, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$1,497,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2011-05-05/pdf/2011-10990.pdf>

#### **Competitive Program for Science and Museums and Planetariums Plus Opportunities for NASA Visitor Centers and Other Informal Education Institutions - 2011**

NASA's Office of Education, Integration Division, Informal Education Program, in cooperation with NASA's Offices of Communications and Chief Technologist and Mission Directorates (e.g., Aeronautics Research, Exploration Systems, Science, and Space Operations), solicits proposals for uniquely NASA informal education projects, exhibits and/or partnerships with K-12 schools to inspire support inquiry-based science, technology, engineering and/or mathematics (STEM) learning education projects led by informal education institutions that feature NASA missions, science, engineering, explorations, or technologies. This NRA or solicitation seeks projects featuring NASA-themed content in space exploration, aeronautics, space science, Earth science, or microgravity, or a combination of these topics to support NASA education outcomes. Technical Content Description for Mission Directorate priorities (IV) sections of this solicitation. This solicitation seeks projects featuring NASA-themed content in space exploration, aeronautics, space science, Earth science, or microgravity, or a combination of these topics (See Section III of this document) to support NASA education outcomes. Proposals also should address substantiated (e.g., through an existing needs assessment) national, regional or local educational needs or challenges and offer solutions with potential

for significant impact. Leadership of the proposed projects must reside at informal education institutions (IEI); partnership relationships are highly encouraged (See Appendix C for partnership discussion). Proposed projects should address the NASA Education Strategic Coordination Framework's Outcome 3, which relates to formal and informal education partnerships, as their primary outcome. Proposals also should address substantiated (e.g., through an existing needs assessment) national, regional or local educational needs or challenges and offer solutions with potential for significant impact. Partnerships with K-12 schools to support inquiry-based education are highly encouraged. Partnerships with Tribal Colleges and Universities and other minority serving institutions are highly encouraged.

**Deadline: June 29, 2011**

**Maximum Grant Amount: \$50,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://nspires.nasaprs.com/external/solicitations/summary.do?method=init&solId={75AAC7BF-2F69-6C73-2980-B1DCF25EA665}&path=open>

### **Rehabilitation Long-Term Training: Rehabilitation Counseling**

The Rehabilitation Long-Term Training program (Training Program) provides financial assistance for-- (1) Projects that provide basic or advanced training leading to an academic degree in areas of personnel shortages in rehabilitation as identified by the Secretary; (2) Projects that provide a specified series of courses or program of study leading to the award of a certificate in areas of personnel shortages in rehabilitation as identified by the Secretary; and (3) Projects that provide support for medical residents enrolled in residency training programs in the specialty of physical medicine and rehabilitation. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number: 84.129B.

**Deadline: July 6, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$150,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2011-04-20/pdf/2011-9625.pdf>

### **Technology and Media Services for Individuals with Disabilities--Center on Online Learning and Students with Disabilities**

The purpose of the Technical Assistance and Dissemination to Improve Services and Results for Children with Disabilities program is to promote academic achievement and to improve results for children with disabilities by providing technical assistance (TA), supporting model demonstration projects, disseminating useful information, and implementing activities that are supported by scientifically based research.

**Deadline: July 11, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$1,000,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2011-05-26/pdf/2011-13098.pdf>

### **LEGO Children's Fund Grants**

The Foundation awards grants to qualified tax-exempt organizations (as determined under section 501(c) (3) of the Internal Revenue code) including educational organizations as defined in USC 26 170 (C) with specific, identifiable needs primarily in these areas of support: 1. Early childhood education and development that is directly related to creativity 2. Technology and communication projects that advance learning opportunities The LEGO Children's Fund Will Provide Quarterly Grants For Programs, Either In Part

Or In Total, With A Special Interest Paid To Collaborative Efforts And In Providing Matching Funds To Leverage New Dollars Into The Receiving Organization. We Will Give Priority Consideration To Programs That Both Meet Our Goals And Are Supported In Volunteer Time And Effort By Our Employees.

**Deadline: July 15, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$5,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.legochildrensfund.org/Guidelines.html>

### **Lois Lenski Covey Foundation**

Lois Lenski, Children's Book Author And 1946 Newbery Medalist For Strawberry Girl, Had A Life-long Concern That All Children Have Access To Good Books. In Pursuit Of This Goal She Established A Foundation To Provide Grants To Agencies Serving Disadvantaged Populations. The Lois Lenski Covey Foundation, Inc. Annually Awards Grants For Purchasing Books Published For Young People Preschool Through Grade 8. Public libraries, school libraries, and non-traditional libraries operated by 501(c)(3) agencies are eligible. The Foundation provides grants to libraries or organizations that serve economically or socially at-risk children, have limited book budgets, and demonstrate real need.

**Deadline: July 15, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$3,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.loislenskicovey.org/6.html>

### **Technology and Media Services for Individuals With Disabilities**

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**Deadline: July 20, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$1,500,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=G3GKNFxD8CS2dTWyJdXdjD3yy265cQsgGtbBvn57HRJGKwTSzBNq!354298477?opId=91653&mode=VIEW>

### **Technology and Media Services for Individuals With Disabilities--Research and Development Center on the Use of Emerging Technologies To Improve Literacy Achievement for Students With Disabilities in Middle School**

The purposes of the Technology and Media Services for Individuals with Disabilities program are to: (1) Improve results for children with disabilities by promoting the development, demonstration, and use of technology; (2) support educational media services activities designed to be of educational value in the classroom setting to children with disabilities; and (3) provide support for captioning and video description that are appropriate for use in the classroom setting.

**Deadline: July 25, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$1,996,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2011-05-26/pdf/2011-13107.pdf>

### **Earth Sciences: Instrumentation and Facilities**

The Instrumentation and Facilities Program in the Division of Earth Sciences (EAR/IF) supports meritorious requests for

infrastructure that promotes research and education in areas supported by the. EAR/IF will consider proposals for: 1) Acquisition or Upgrade of Research Equipment that will advance laboratory and field investigations, and student research training opportunities in the Earth sciences. The maximum request is \$1,000,000. The maximum request for upgrade of research group computing facilities is \$75,000; 2) Development of New Instrumentation, Analytical Techniques or Software that will extend current research and research training capabilities in the Earth sciences. The maximum request is \$1,000,000; 3) Support of National or Regional Multi-User Facilities that will make complex and expensive instruments or systems of instruments broadly available to the Earth sciences research and student communities; 4) Support for Early Career Investigators to facilitate expedient operation of new research infrastructure proposed by the next generation of leaders in the Earth Sciences. This opportunity allows for submission of a proposal for Acquisition or Upgrade of Research Equipment that includes budget line items associated with support of a new full-time technician who will be dedicated to manage the instrument(s) being requested. Any request for technical support under this opportunity is limited to three years duration. The maximum request is \$1,000,000. Planned research uses of requested instruments, software, and facilities must include basic research on Earth processes SUPPORTED BY THE DIVISION OF EARTH SCIENCES. Support is available through grants or cooperative agreements awarded in response to investigator-initiated proposals. Human resource development and education are expected to be an integral part of all proposals submitted to EAR/IF. Efforts to support participation of underrepresented groups in laboratory and/or field instrument use and training are encouraged. All proposers to EAR/IF are invited to consider Support of Outreach and/or Broadening Participation Activities. Proposals submitted to the EAR/IF Program may request up to \$20,000 for such activities (please refer to Sections V.A Proposal Preparation Instructions and V.B Budgetary Information). Proposals requesting equipment, infrastructure or personnel that will also serve disciplines outside the Earth sciences may be jointly reviewed with other programs within the Foundation. EAR/IF will consider co-funding of projects with other NSF programs and other agencies.

**Deadline: July 26, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$14,000,000**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.nsf.gov/publications/pub\\_summ.jsp?ods\\_key=nsf11544](http://www.nsf.gov/publications/pub_summ.jsp?ods_key=nsf11544)

### **Learning Disabilities Foundation of America**

The Learning Disabilities Foundation of America supports the Learning Disabilities Association of America (LDA), whose goal is to advance the education and general welfare of children and adults with learning disabilities. Applications must be for projects which conform to the mission of the Learning Disabilities Foundation of America by responding to an unmet need in the field of learning disabilities. Funds are granted for charitable, scientific, literary or educational purposes or for the identification, ongoing evaluation and education of and services for children and adults with learning disabilities. With the exception of LDA committed funds, grants will not be made for routine organizational operations or for endowment funds. Examples of project areas that fall within this philosophy:

- Innovative research into the causes, the prevention

and/or the alleviation of learning disabilities;

\* Distinctive public awareness programs to advance public understanding of the needs of persons with learning disabilities;

\* Innovative programs to advance the competence of persons with learning disabilities, and the support skills of their families, professional advisors, and employers.

**Deadline: September 15, 2011**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.idanatl.org/about/acld\\_grant.asp](http://www.idanatl.org/about/acld_grant.asp)

### **Education and Interdisciplinary Research**

Supports activities in conjunction with NSF-wide programs such as Faculty Early Career Development (CAREER), Research Experiences for Undergraduates (REU), and programs aimed at women, minorities, and persons with disabilities. Further information about all of these programs and activities is available in the Crosscutting Investment Strategies section of the NSF Guide to Programs. The program also supports activities that seek to improve the education and training of physics students (both undergraduate and graduate), such as curriculum development or physics education research directed towards upper-level or graduate physics courses, and activities that are not included in specific programs elsewhere within NSF. The program supports research at the interface between physics and other disciplines and extending to emerging areas. Broadening activities related to research at the interface with other fields, possibly not normally associated with physics, also may be considered.

**Deadline: September 28, 2011**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm\\_summ.jsp?pims\\_id=5610](http://www.nsf.gov/funding/pgm_summ.jsp?pims_id=5610)

### **Presidential Awards for Excellence in Science, Mathematics and Engineering Mentoring (PAESMEM) Grant**

The PAESMEM Program seeks to identify outstanding mentoring efforts that enhance the participation of groups (i.e., women, minorities, and persons with disabilities) that are underrepresented in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics. The awardees serve as leaders in the national effort to develop fully the Nation's human resources in science, technology, engineering, and mathematics.

**Deadline: October 5, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$25,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.nsf.gov/pubs/2010/nsf10520/nsf10520.htm#elig>

### **Advance: Increasing the Participation and Advancement of Women in Academic Science and Engineering Careers**

The goal of the ADVANCE program is to develop systemic approaches to increase the representation and advancement of women in academic science, technology, engineering and mathematics (STEM) careers, thereby contributing to the development of a more diverse science and engineering workforce. ADVANCE focuses on ensuring that women faculty with earned STEM degrees consider academia as a viable and attractive career option. Creative strategies to realize the ADVANCE program goal are sought from women and men. Members of underrepresented minority groups and individuals with disabilities are especially encouraged to apply. Proposals that address the participation and advancement of academic STEM women from underrepresented minority groups and women with disabilities are particularly encouraged. Proposal components that systemically enhance and provide access to international collaborations are encouraged. Proposals from community colleges, primarily under-

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graduate institutions, minority-serving women's colleges, and institutions primarily serving persons with disabilities are encouraged. In 2011-2012, this program will support the following types of ADVANCE Projects: Institutional Transformation (IT) Institutional Transformation awards are expected to include innovative systemic organizational approaches to transform institutions of higher education in ways that will increase the participation and advancement of women in STEM academic careers.

**Deadline: November 7, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppld=56518>

### **FINRA Investor Education Foundation**

The mission of the FINRA Investor Education Foundation is to provide underserved Americans with the knowledge, skills, and tools necessary for financial success throughout life. The FINRA Investor Education Foundation, formerly known as the NASD Investor Education Foundation, supports innovative research and educational projects that give investors the tools and information they need to better understand the markets and the basic principles of saving and investing. Currently the Foundation is especially interested in applications that focus on the following areas: creating new marketing and distribution channels for financial and investor education, helping Americans manage their finances and investments in retirement, meeting the financial and investor education needs of underserved audiences, using behavioral finance to improve saving and investing, and investor protection.

**Deadline: Open**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.finrafoundation.org/grants/general/guidelines/>

### **EMPLOYMENT**

#### **H-1B Technical Skills Training Grants**

The Employment and Training Administration (ETA), U.S. Department of Labor (DOL or the Department), announces the availability of approximately \$240 million in funds for an H-1B Technical Skills Training Grants program. This grant program is designed to provide education, training, and job placement assistance in the occupations and industries for which employers are using H-1B visas to hire foreign workers, and the related activities necessary to support such training. H-1B technical skills training grants are financed by a user fee paid by employers to bring foreign workers into the United States under the H-1B nonimmigrant visa program. Grant awards will be made only to the extent that funds are available. The Department will make awards to two types of training grants: those that provide On-the-Job Training (OJT) to all participants and those that use other training strategies. Of the awards granted through this Solicitation, at least \$150 million will be awarded to grantees that provide OJT to all participants. Between the two types of grants awarded, DOL intends to fund at least \$45 million to applicants proposing to provide training for occupations in the health care industry and at least \$60 million to applicants that serve long-term unemployed individuals. While this Solicitation is open, DOL anticipates that additional funding will accrue for this grant program. The Department expects to award approximately 75-100 grants ranging from \$1 million to \$5 million with up to a 48-month period of performance. The Department will award grants to a partnership of private and public sector entities as defined in

ACWIA. This partnership must include at least two entities from among the following groups: (1) businesses or business-related nonprofit organizations, such as trade associations; (2) education and training providers, including community colleges and other community-based organizations; and (3) entities involved in administering the workforce investment system established under Title I of the WIA, and economic development agencies.

**Deadline: November 17, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$5,000,000**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.doleta.gov/grants/find\\_grants.cfm](http://www.doleta.gov/grants/find_grants.cfm)

### **ENVIRONMENT**

#### **Lead Based Paint Hazard Control Grant Program**

The overarching purpose of the Lead Based Paint Hazard Control Program and the Lead Hazard Reduction Demonstration Grant Program is to assist states, Native American Tribes, cities, counties/parishes, or other units of local government in undertaking comprehensive programs to identify and control lead-based paint hazards in eligible privately owned rental or owner-occupied housing, with the exception that the Lead Hazard Reduction Demonstration Grant Program is targeted for urban jurisdictions with the greatest lead-based paint hazard control needs. To be eligible to apply for funding under this NOFA, you must be a state, Native American Tribe, city, county/parish, or other unit of local government. Multiple units of a local government (or multiple local governments) may apply as a consortium. Funding is subject to enactment of the FY2011 HUD appropriations.

**Deadline: June 9, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=h3KZNFfp6GTJwp0HVgKxJbtLY1XxjGH1WtnTC2JbP6NrFQWs2phJI-760305593?oppld=86547&mode=VIEW>

#### **Request for Proposals to Develop Standards for Environmentally Preferable Electronic Products**

EPA is seeking proposals from eligible organizations to support research, studies, training and technical assistance necessary to develop two voluntary consensus standards that will be published as American National Standards for environmentally preferable electronic products using a standards process accredited by the American National Standards Institute.

**Deadline: June 14, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$500,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.epa.gov/opptintr/p2home/pubs/grants/srap/epeatrfp2011.pdf>

#### **Invasive Species Outreach**

As a multiple use resource agency, the Bureau of Land Management is charged with ensuring self-sustaining populations and a natural abundance of diversity of wildlife, fish and plant resources on the public lands of the western United States. Currently, invasive species, nonnative, harmful plants and animals, are one of the greatest threats to natural ecosystems. This project will help encourage the public to prevent the spread of invasive species through targeted outreach.

**Deadline: June 19, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$350,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=qd4KNWNWbQdMy7fXFKzQ2WL7FvRf2vWNydhvVI145yJ1yqrsJG!505166326?oppld=95563&mode=VIEW>

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### **SunShot Initiative: Reducing Market Barriers and Non-Hardware Balance of System Costs**

The objective of this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is to significantly reduce market barriers and the balance of system non-hardware cost components of Photovoltaic (PV) systems. Under this FOA, DOE aims to reduce costs by improving information technology systems and streamlining building codes, zoning laws, permitting rules and business processes for installing solar systems. There are three main topics to which an application may be submitted under this FOA: Topic 1: Codes, Standards and Processes Topic 2: Software Design Tools and Databases Sub-Topic 2A: Utility-Scale Project Siting Tool Sub-Topic 2B: Plug-and-Play Tools to Facilitate Preparation and Review of Permit Applications Sub-Topic 2C: Database of PV Permitting Processes in Authorities Having Jurisdiction (AHJ) Sub-Topic 2D: PV System Verification Tool Sub-Topic 2E: Utility Rates Database Topic 3: Regulatory, Financial and Utility Solutions

**Deadline: June 23, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <https://eere-exchange.energy.gov/>

### **Captain Planet Foundation Grants**

The Foundation is interested in funding innovative programs that empower children and youth to work towards solving environmental problems in their neighborhoods and communities. All funded projects must involve young people ages 6-18 (elementary through high school).

**Deadline: June 30, September 30, and December 31**

**Maximum Grant Amount: \$2,500**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.captainplanetfoundation.org/default.aspx?pid=3&tab=apply>

### **Healthy Homes Technical Studies**

The overall goal of both the Lead and the Healthy Homes Technical Studies programs is to gain knowledge to improve the efficacy and cost-effectiveness of methods for evaluation and control of lead-based paint and other housing related health and safety hazards. This also supports HUD's Strategic Goal to utilize housing as a platform for improving the quality of life and health outcomes for those living in HUD-assisted and HUD-regulated housing, and the associated policy priority to build inclusive and sustainable communities by improving the health of community residents while reducing the impact of communities on the environment. The overall goals and objectives of the Healthy Homes (HH) Program is to: (1) Mobilize public and private resources, involving cooperation among all levels of government, the private sector, grassroots community-based organizations, including faith-based organizations, and other non-profit organizations, to develop and implement the most promising, cost-effective methods for identifying and controlling housing-related hazards; and (2) Build local capacity to operate sustainable programs that will continue to prevent, minimize, and control housing-related hazards in low- and very low-income residences when HUD funding is exhausted.

**Deadline: June 30, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$650,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=G3GKNFxD8CS2dTWyJdXdjD3yy265cQsgGtbBvn57HRJGKwTSzBNq!354298477?oppld=91194&mode=VIEW>

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**Deadline: June 30, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$300,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=G3GKNFxD8CS2dTWyJdXdjD3yy265cQsgGtbBvn57HRJGKwTSzBNq!354298477?oppld=91193&mode=VIEW>

### **Rural Energy for America Program (REAP) - Feasibility**

Eligible applicants are agricultural producers and rural small businesses. All agricultural producers, including farmers and ranchers, who gain 50% or more of their gross income from the agricultural operations are eligible. Small businesses that are located in a rural area can also apply. Rural electric cooperatives may also be eligible to apply. Additional Information on Eligibility: Citizenship - To be eligible, applicants must be individuals or entities at least 51 percent owned by persons who are either: 1) citizens of the United States (U.S.), the Republic of Palau, the Federated States of Micronesia, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, or American Samoa; or 2) legally admitted permanent residents residing in the U.S. Project - The project must be to conduct a feasibility study for a renewable energy system. Eligible technologies include: projects that produce energy from wind, solar, biomass, geothermal, hydro power and hydrogen-based sources. All projects must be located in a rural area and must be owned by the applicant. Legal authority and responsibility - Each applicant must have, or obtain, the legal authority necessary to carry out the purpose of the grant.

**Deadline: June 30, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$50,000**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/tx/NOFA/Sec%20209007%20\(REAP\)%20FY2011%20NOFA%20FedReg%204-14-11.pdf](http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/tx/NOFA/Sec%20209007%20(REAP)%20FY2011%20NOFA%20FedReg%204-14-11.pdf)

### **Request for Information (RFI) Fuel Cell Transit Bus Targets**

This is a Request for Information (RFI) only; therefore, the Department of Energy (DOE) and Department of Transportation (DOT) are not accepting applications at this time. The full RFI document can be found at [www.fedconnect.net](http://www.fedconnect.net) by clicking on the Search Public Opportunities link, then selecting Reference Number under Search Criteria and entering the full RFI number in the search field. All questions and responses must be submitted to [DOEFCBUSRFI@go.doe.gov](mailto:DOEFCBUSRFI@go.doe.gov). Below is a synopsis of the RFI. See the full RFI for complete information. The U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) and the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) is seeking input from stakeholders and the research community on proposed technical and cost targets for fuel cell transit buses.

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**Deadline: July 1, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=LT4GNNhGc1RJLJvrnSrKKCnv4CP5kThjkZ2MfGBvXvLmBKhcpSp!505166326?oppld=92873&mode=VIEW>

### **Leopold Conservation Award Seeks Nominations of California Landowners Who Exemplify Land Stewardship**

The \$10,000 award honors Aldo Leopold's vision of an ethical relationship between people and the land they own and manage and recognizes California farmers and ranchers who demonstrate outstanding, sustainable management of natural resources. The Leopold Conservation Award is presented in honor of conservationist and author Aldo Leopold, who called for an ethical relationship between people and the land they own and manage. Nominations are considered in two categories: nurseries and crops or livestock. The judges will select a finalist in each category, and the Leopold Conservation Award winner will be announced on December 5, 2011 at the California Farm Bureau Federation Annual Meeting in Sparks, Nevada.

**Deadline: July 8, 2011**

**Maximum Grant Amount: \$10,000**

**Grant Link:** [http://sandcounty.net/uploads/LCA\\_WebNom\\_CA2011\\_final.pdf](http://sandcounty.net/uploads/LCA_WebNom_CA2011_final.pdf)

### **Clean Cities Community Readiness and Planning for Plug-In Electric Vehicles and Charging Infrastructure**

The President has a goal of putting 1 million advanced technology vehicles on the road in the United States by 2015. In support of this goal and emphasizing electricity as a transportation fuel, this Funding Opportunity Announcement seeks projects to plan and implement policies, procedures, and incentives that facilitate that development. The planning and policy activities will prepare communities for successful deployment and implementation of plug-in electric drive vehicles. Overall, this effort will help to decrease the nation's dependence on petroleum and reduce greenhouse gas emissions by accelerating the deployment of plug-in electric drive vehicles and electric vehicle supply equipment (EVSE).

**Deadline: July 13, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$500,000**

**Grant Link:** <https://www.fedconnect.net/fedconnect/?doc=DE-FOA-0000451&agency=DOE>

### **Earthscope**

The EarthScope Program provides a framework for broad, integrated studies across the Earth sciences, including research on fault properties and the earthquake process, strain transfer, magmatic and hydrous fluids in the crust and mantle, plate boundary processes, large-scale continental deformation, continental structure and evolution, and composition and structure of the deep Earth. In addition, EarthScope offers a centralized forum for Earth science education at all levels and an excellent opportunity to develop cyberinfrastructure to integrate, distribute, and analyze diverse data sets. The EarthScope Facility, consisting of the Plate Boundary Observatory (PBO), the San Andreas Fault Observatory at Depth (SAFOD), and the USArray, is a multi-purpose array of instruments and observatories that greatly expands the observational capabilities of the Earth sciences and permits us to advance our understanding of the structure, evolution and dynamics of the

North American continent. This Solicitation calls for single or collaborative proposals to conduct scientific research associated with the EarthScope Facility and support activities that further the scientific and educational goals of EarthScope.

**Deadline: July 16, 2011**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.nsf.gov/publications/pub\\_summ.jsp?ods\\_key=nsf11535](http://www.nsf.gov/publications/pub_summ.jsp?ods_key=nsf11535)

### **National Wildlife Refuge Friends Group Grant Program**

The National Wildlife Refuge Friends Group Grant Program provides grants to nonprofits working to assist the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service's National Wildlife Refuge System by acting as effective co-stewards of the nation's important natural resources within the system. The program, which is administered by the National Fish and Wildlife Foundation, provides competitive seed grants for start-up, capacity-building, and project-specific purposes. In addition, this year's program will also prioritize proposals to initiate or improve birding opportunities for refuge visitors. Competitive proposals will specify particular benefits to refuge birders and visitors who enjoy birds.

**Deadline: September 2, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$5,000**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.nfwf.org/AM/Template.cfm?Section=Charter\\_Programs\\_List&TEMPLATE=/CM/ContentDisplay.cfm&CONTENTID=18722](http://www.nfwf.org/AM/Template.cfm?Section=Charter_Programs_List&TEMPLATE=/CM/ContentDisplay.cfm&CONTENTID=18722)

### **Ben & Jerry's Foundation: National Grassroots Grant Program**

Through the National Grassroots Grant Program, Ben & Jerry's Foundation provides support to nonprofit community organizations throughout the United States that bring about progressive social change by addressing the underlying conditions of societal and environmental problems. Our broad goals are to further social justice, protect the environment and support sustainable food systems. In making funding decisions, we focus on the types of activities and strategies an organization uses for creating social and environmental change.

**Deadline: Open**

**Maximum Grant Amount: \$15,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.benandjerrysfoundation.org/the-national-grassroots-grant-program.html>

### **Watershed Restoration Projects in the West**

The Wick Kenney Fund, a component of Kenney Brothers Foundation, provides support to nonprofit organizations that work to protect and restore watersheds in the Western United States. Discretionary grants focus on projects that: provide a real opportunity to change western water policy on a local, state, or national level; defend environmental laws critical for the protection of all western rivers; focus on a specific strategy for protection of biologically important western watershed; or research and analyze western water issues.

**Deadline: Open**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.wickfund.org/index.html>

### **FOOD and NUTRITION**

#### **Innovative Food Defense Projects**

Food defense is a term used to describe activities associated with protecting the nation's food supply from intentional contamination. The Food and Drug Administration has adopted 3 broad strategies that encompass its food defense activities: (1) Awareness (Prevention/Preparedness): Increase aware-

ness among federal, state, local, and tribal governments, and the private sector, to better understand where the greatest vulnerabilities lie and develop effective protection/mitigation strategies to shield the food supply from intentional contamination; (2) Response: Develop the capacity for a rapid coordinated response to a food borne terrorist attack; and (3) Recovery: Develop the capacity for a rapid coordinated recovery from a food borne terrorist attack. The specific goal of this program is to generate products that complement, develop, or improve State and local food defense programs which may then be applied to national food defense programs.

**Deadline: July 15, 2011**

**Maximum Grant Amount: \$62,500**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-09-203.html>

## **HEALTH**

### **Analgesic Clinical Trials Innovations, Opportunities, and Networks (ACTION)**

This award is intended to provide support for developing and maintaining an organizational infrastructure to support a broad-based public-private partnership under FDA's Analgesic Clinical Trials Innovations, Opportunities, and Networks (ACTION) Initiative. Specific projects under the ACTION Initiative may also be funded.

**Deadline: June 9, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-FD-11-006.html>

### **Asthma Interventions in Public and Assisted Multifamily Housing**

The overall purpose of the program is to fund demonstration projects to improve asthma control among children and others currently residing in federally assisted multifamily housing developments that are administered by local public housing authorities (i.e., public housing) as well as privately owned multifamily housing that is subsidized by HUD (e.g. Project-based Section 8, section 202, and section 811 housing).

**Deadline: June 9, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=xr1tNf9GqRn6Pgw58TyLR7fS6QpTnyBXDhVTwhVTsy8q2BP5KX2r!-760305593?oppld=86634&mode=VIEW>

### **AREA HEALTH EDUCATION CENTERS POINT OF SERVICE MAINTENANCE AND ENHANCEMENT**

The Area Health Education Center (AHEC) programs consist of interdisciplinary, community-based, primary care training programs wherein academic and community-based leaders work to improve the distribution, diversity, supply, and quality of health care personnel, particularly primary care personnel in the health care services delivery system and more specifically in delivery sites in rural and other underserved areas. This funding opportunity announcement (FOA) solicits applications for a one-year project period for AHEC Infrastructure Development awards and AHEC Point of Service Maintenance and Enhancement awards.

**Deadline: June 10, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <https://grants.hrsa.gov/webExternal/FundingOppDetails.asp?FundingCycleId=952513A7-1173-4825-A1D5->

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### **Expand Care Coordination through the Use of Health Information Technology in Targeted Areas of Need**

The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, Center for Substance Abuse Treatment is accepting applications for fiscal year (FY) 2011 Grants to Expand Care Coordination through the Use of Health Information Technology in Targeted Areas of Need. The purpose of this program is to leverage technology to enhance and/or expand the capacity of substance abuse treatment providers to serve persons in treatment who have been underserved because of lack of access to treatment in their immediate community due to transportation concerns, an inadequate number of substance abuse treatment providers in their community, and/or financial constraints. The use of Health Information Technology (HIT), including web-based services, smart phones, and behavioral health electronic applications (e-apps), will expand and/or enhance the ability of providers to effectively communicate with persons in treatment and to track and manage their health to ensure treatment and services are available where and when needed. Grantees will use technology that will support recovery and resiliency efforts and promote wellness. Both the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) and the Affordable Care Act (ACA) are driving health systems toward the use of information technology for service delivery, quality improvement, cost containment, and increased patient involvement in their health care. The functionality of interoperable Electronic Health Record (EHR) systems, used with tools such as web-based services, messaging systems, smart phones, and e-apps, can connect providers with persons in treatment and link them to services and treatment that are not available through "brick-and-mortar" facilities. Working with their clinicians, and with e-therapy tools, persons in treatment will become active partners in enhancing the effectiveness of their care. By using technology tools that have been adapted or designed to support substance abuse treatment, persons in treatment will have more frequent contact with providers. These technological tools will also complement existing or new EHR systems to create patient-centered treatment that also allows the provider to better monitor client progress and adjust treatment strategies as necessary to result in better health for persons in treatment and more efficient and effective use of resources. Consumer HIT applications also can be important in emergency situations to provide critical health information to medical staff.

**Deadline: June 13, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$280,000**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.samhsa.gov/grants/2011/ti\\_11\\_002.aspx](http://www.samhsa.gov/grants/2011/ti_11_002.aspx)

### **Innovative Evidence Based Models for Improving the System of Services for CYSHCN**

The purpose of this grant is to replicate innovative evidence-based models that improve services for children and youth with special health care needs (CYSHCN). The Innovative Evidence Based Models for Improving the System of Services for CYSHCN will provide funding to innovative programs in one of the four key areas listed below: 1) Outreach - to engage and empower families and youth in underserved and underrepresented populations. 2) Care coordination - to enhance coordination of care for families and youth in underserved and underrepresented populations. 3) Blended or braided funding - to improve access to integrated community

services or to fill existing gaps. 4) Access to Medical Home - to improve access to a medical home for children and youth, including individuals with special healthcare needs who are transitioning into an adult system of services, and those served by non-traditional providers such as community health centers.

**Deadline: June 13, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <https://grants.hrsa.gov/webExternal/FundingOppDetails.asp?FundingCycleId=1B122252-0CFF-4246-861F-6EA367272270&ViewMode=EU&GoBack=&PrintMode=&OnlineAvailabilityFlag=&pageNumber=&version=&NC=&PopUp=>

#### **NIMHD Health Disparities Research**

The purpose of this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is to solicit innovative research that can directly and demonstrably contribute to the elimination of health disparities. Research aims may include, but are not limited to, biological mechanisms; behavioral strategies; lifestyle factors; environmental, structural, and economic factors; cultural and family influences; delivery system interventions; medical procedures and regimens (including alternative therapy), and medical assistive devices and health information technologies. Projects may involve primary data collection or secondary analysis of existing datasets.

**Deadline: June 14, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$250,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-MD-12-001.html>

#### **Public Health Emergency Preparedness Cooperative Agreement**

The purpose of the 2011-2016 Public Health Emergency Preparedness (PHEP) cooperative agreement program is to assist state, local, and territorial/freely associated state health departments in demonstrating measurable and sustainable progress toward achieving the 15 public health preparedness capabilities and other activities that promote safer and more resilient communities.

**Deadline: June 17, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?sessionId=kwTQNxcJSSstJ8QIGvHp13V9bzrFzJ6CrKWMF0RCTFTf4QLPkpzTSI-241849593?opId=88673&mode=VIEW>

#### **AIDS Education and Training Centers Telehealth Training Centers**

The goal of the AETC Telehealth Training Centers Program (TTCP) is to expand access to and improve healthcare and health outcomes for underserved, hard-to-reach, HIV-positive persons in medical care residing in rural areas. The efforts of the TTCP will enhance the capacity of health care providers engaged in HIV/AIDS health care delivery systems within a region or State through the utilization of telehealth technology for: 1) Clinical consultation which may include the use of case presentations and patient co-management (though it is not intended to supplant patient referral to an expert when needed); 2) Other education and training modalities that result in a continuum of longitudinal learning opportunities for trainees; and 3) Development of an informed support system for trainees.

**Deadline: June 20, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <https://grants.hrsa.gov/webExternal/FundingOppDetails.asp?FundingCycleId=B0E995C7-956E->

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#### **Clinical Hematology and Transfusion Medicine Research Career Development Program**

The purpose of this Program is to develop and evaluate multidisciplinary career development programs in non-malignant hematology and transfusion medicine that will equip new investigators with the knowledge and skills to address complex problems in blood diseases and transfusion medicine. Through this Program, the NHLBI will support the early career development of clinical researchers who are expected to become independent investigators and assume academic leadership roles in non-malignant clinical hematology and transfusion medicine. To accomplish this, NHLBI invites institutions with established clinical research infrastructures and expertise in non-malignant clinical hematology and transfusion medicine to submit applications to establish Clinical Hematology and Transfusion Medicine Research Career Development Programs. Programs supported under this FOA should provide comprehensive, multidisciplinary training in research designs and methodologies, standard and potentially future or innovative approaches to the clinical management of patients with non-malignant hematologic diseases as well as transfusion practices for multiple patient populations, and research opportunities in these clinical settings. Programs should include a core curriculum, didactics, and a short-term research project for each Scholar.

**Deadline: June 20, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$370,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-HL-12-005.html>

#### **COMBATING AUTISM ACT INITIATIVE (CAAI) NATIONAL INTERDISCIPLINARY TRAINING RESOURCE CENTER**

The purpose of the Combating Autism Act Initiative (CAAI) National Interdisciplinary Training Resource Center is to improve the health of infants, children, and adolescents who have, or are at risk for developing, autism spectrum disorders (ASD) and other developmental disabilities. The Resource Center will accomplish this by providing technical assistance to interdisciplinary training programs (such as the Leadership Education in Neurodevelopmental and Other Related Disabilities (LEND) and Developmental-Behavioral Pediatrics (DBP) programs, and others) to better train professionals to utilize valid and reliable screening tools to diagnose or rule out and provide evidence-based interventions for children with ASD and other developmental disabilities. The National Interdisciplinary Training Resource Center will assist training grantees in accomplishing these activities and ensure coordination of CAAI projects. The goal of the CAAI projects is to enable all children to reach their full potential by developing a system of services that includes screening children early for possible ASD and other DD; conducting early, interdisciplinary, evaluations to confirm or rule out ADS and other DD; and, if a diagnosis is confirmed, providing evidence-based, early interventions. In order for interdisciplinary training grantees to effectively achieve CAAI goals, the National Interdisciplinary Training Resource Center plays a crucial role in providing technical assistance; helping training programs develop and share training models and innovations; building and sustaining partnerships with CAAI partners and service systems already serving children with ASD and other DD such as Title V programs, Part C programs, Autism Treatment Network,

Learn the Signs Act Early programs, etc.; translating research into evidenced-based practice; and utilizing existing and developing new data systems to capture and report on project outcomes

**Deadline: June 20, 2011**

**Maximum Award: \$834,641**

**Grant Link:** <https://grants.hrsa.gov/webExternal/FundingOppDetails.asp?FundingCycleId=015596D4-2367-4CF9-A076-467A9383443A&ViewMode=EU&GoBack=&PrintMode=&OnlineAvailabilityFlag=&pageNumber=&version=&NC=&PopUp>

### **Family Drug Court Programs - OJJDP FY 2011**

The U. S. Department of Justice's Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) will award funding to enhance the capacity of family drug courts. The Family Drug Courts Program builds the capacity of states, state and local courts, units of local government, and federally-recognized Indian tribal governments to either implement new drug courts or enhance pre-existing drug courts for individuals with substance abuse disorders or substance use and co-occurring mental health disorders including histories of trauma, involved with the family dependency court as a result of child abuse, neglect, and other parenting issues. Applicants must provide services to the children of the parents in the program as well as to the parents. This program provides seed money, not long-term support. OJJDP expects successful applicants to develop and implement a sustainability plan during the grant period to continue operation of the family drug court when the grant ends. This program will be authorized by this program is authorized by 42 U.S.C. 3797u, et seq.

**Deadline: June 20, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$650,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.ojjdp.gov/grants/solicitations/FY2011/FamilyDrug.pdf>

### **Optimizing Fidelity of Empirically-Supported Behavioral Treatments for Mental Disorders**

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) seeks research applications designed to develop and test methods for improving the fidelity, and ultimately the effectiveness, of empirically supported behavioral treatments (ESBTs) implemented by front-line therapists in community practice settings. Because achieving this aim presumes valid and reliable assessment of fidelity, the FOA uses the sequential R21/R33 funding mechanisms to encourage research designed to develop and test (a) methods for assessing theory-derived ESBT fidelity components (R21 phase), and (b) interventions that enhance and maintain the fidelity with which clinicians implement an ESBT in community practice settings (R33 phase).

**Deadline: June 20, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-MH-12-050.html>

### **Program Supplement to the Primary and Behavioral Health Care Integration Grants for Health Information Technology (HIT) Adoption in the Context of Integrated Care**

The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) announces the availability of funds to expand and enhance grant activities funded under the Pri-

mary and Behavioral Health Care Integration (PBHCI)  grant announcement. The purpose of this one-year supplemental award is to expand the use of interoperable electronic health records to increase the grantees abilities to quickly identify both the behavioral health and primary care needs of their patients. It supports the grantees provision of high quality clinical services that respond to the complete health care needs of their patients. As a part of the Draft National Prevention Strategy, it paves the way for the delivery of prevention services that link primary care and behavioral health needs, and allows the timely tracking of outcomes. The exchange of health information between PBHCI behavioral health providers and physical health providers, and the documenting and tracking of preventive health efforts across both settings, will improve the overall health of patients. This supplement supports the PBHCI program for improving the physical health status of people with serious mental illnesses and substance abuse and co-occurring disorders. It facilitates the integration of primary care services with the care delivered in publicly funded community mental health and other community-based behavioral health settings. HHS expectation is that individuals with serious mental illnesses and substance abuse problems will show improvement in their overall health status through a coordinated approach to prevention and treatment. In the past, the specialty behavioral health system has often operated independently from the broader health system and differed in the type and scope of information technology used. Through this initiative, SAMHSA will work to increase the use of interoperable, certified electronic health record systems so that Americans with behavioral health conditions can benefit from the advantages afforded by the existence of an integrated health record.

**Deadline: June 20, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$200,000**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.samhsa.gov/grants/2011/sm\\_11\\_012.aspx](http://www.samhsa.gov/grants/2011/sm_11_012.aspx)

### **Developing and Disseminating Targeted Immunization Materials**

The purpose of the program is to provide support for the dissemination of immunization information using electronic and/or digital formats to enhance the effectiveness of disease prevention programs that reduce the annual burden of vaccine preventable diseases. This program addresses the Healthy People 2020" focus areas of Health Communications and Immunization and Infectious Diseases.

**Deadline: June 27, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=LT4GNNhGc1RJLtJvrmSrKKCnv4CP5kThjkZ2MfGBvXvLmBKhcpSp!505166326?oppld=93734&mode=VIEW>

### **Campus Men Supporting Women's Health Project - FY11**

The Office on Women's Health (OWH) was established in 1991 within the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS). Its vision is to ensure that all women and girls are healthier and have a better sense of well-being. Women's health and wellness promotion encompasses all aspects of health including mental, physical, social, intellectual, spiritual, and emotional well-being, throughout the life course. OWHs mission is to provide leadership that promotes health equity for women and girls through sex/gender-specific approaches. Staff in OWH achieve the offices mission and vision through the development of innovative programs, by educating health professionals, and by motivating behavior change in consum-

ers through the dissemination of health information. OWH guides programmatic and policy activity within the Department to advance the work needed to eliminate violence against women (VAW) and girls in our country and the world through the HHS Steering Committee on Violence Against Women. The primary goal of OWH as it relates to violence is to ensure that the long-term health impact of violence against women garners national recognition and is addressed as a major public health issue. To that end, the OWH has established public/private partnerships that address the health impact of violence against women. Violence against women is also known as gender-based violence and the two terms may be use interchangeably for this announcement.

**Deadline: June 29, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$240,000**

**Grant Link:** <https://www.grantsolutions.gov/gs/preaward/previewPublicAnnouncement.do?id=12553>

#### **ORAL HEALTH TRAINING AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE NATIONAL COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT**

The purpose of the Oral Health NCA is to provide specialized training and technical assistance to HRSA awardees including HRSA-supported service delivery and workforce programs, Primary Care Associations (PCAs), State Offices of Rural Health (SORHs), and Primary Care Offices (PCOs), around increasing access to primary oral health care services for underserved and vulnerable populations. Eligible applicants include public, non-profit, and for-profit entities with expertise in oral health service delivery that can provide oral health T/TA on a national basis to community-based organizations, including tribal and faith-based organizations.

**Deadline: June 30, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$550,000**

**Grant Link:** <https://grants.hrsa.gov/webExternal/FundingOppDetails.asp?FundingCycleId=729BD384-C7B8-427B-8C4F-2532C30F97FA&ViewMode=EU&GoBack=&PrintMode=&OnlineAvailability-Flag=&pageNumber=&version=&NC=&Popup>

#### **Active Living Research: Building Evidence to Prevent Childhood Obesity**

Active Living Research is a national program of the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation (RWJF) that supports research to inform policy and environmental strategies for increasing physical activity among children and adolescents, decreasing their sedentary behaviors and preventing obesity. The program places special emphasis on reaching children and youths ages 3 to 18 who are at highest risk for obesity: Black, Latino, American Indian and Asian/Pacific Islander children, as well as children who live in under-resourced and lower-income communities. This call for proposals will support opportunistic, time-sensitive studies on emerging or anticipated changes in physical activity-related policies or environments.

**Deadline: July 1, 2011**

**Maximum Grant Amount: \$150,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.rwjf.org/childhoodobesity/cfp.jsp?ID=21121>

#### **Faith Advocates for Health Relationships Training and Technical Assistance Project - FY11**

The Office on Women's Health (OWH) was established in

1991 within the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS). Its vision is to ensure that all women and girls are healthier and have a better sense of well-being. Women's health and wellness promotion encompasses all aspects of health including mental, physical, social, intellectual, spiritual, and emotional well-being, throughout the life course. OWH's mission is to provide leadership that promotes health equity for women and girls through sex/gender-specific approaches. Staff in OWH achieves the office's mission and vision through the development of innovative programs, by educating health professionals, and by motivating behavior change in consumers through the dissemination of health information.

**Deadline: July 1, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$300,000**

**Grant Link:** <https://www.grantsolutions.gov/gs/preaward/previewPublicAnnouncement.do?id=12554>

#### **HIV Early Intervention Services (EIS) Program Existing Geographic Service Areas (EISEGA)**

This announcement is for competing continuations for Part C grantees with a project end date December 31, 2011 and new applications for the geographic service areas currently served by those grantees. The purpose of the Ryan White HIV/AIDS Part C Program is to provide HIV primary care in the outpatient setting. Applicants must propose to provide a comprehensive continuum of outpatient HIV primary care services in the targeted area including: 1) HIV counseling, testing, and referral; 2) medical evaluation and clinical care; 3) other primary care services; and 4) referrals to other health services. All applicants, including current grantees, must document Medicaid provider status. Applicants may document formal agreements with Medicaid providers for provision of all services covered under the Medicaid State plan. This requirement may be waived for free clinics that do not impose a charge for health services and do not accept reimbursement from Medicaid, Medicare, or private insurance. All applicants, including current grantees, must document that they are fully licensed to provide clinical services, as required by their State and/or local jurisdiction. Medicaid provider status and licensure must be in place prior to submitting an application.

**Deadline: July 1, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=LT4GNNhGc1RJLtJvrmSrKKCnv4CP5kThjkZ2MfGBvXvLmBKhcpSp!505166326?oppld=92673&mode=VIEW>

#### **National Resource Center for HIV/AIDS Prevention among Adolescents - FY11 OAH -**

The Office of Adolescent Health (OAH) within the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Health (OASH) announces the availability of funds from the Minority AIDS Initiative (MAI) to establish and operate a National Resource Center with the specific focus on HIV/AIDS prevention among adolescents. This announcement seeks proposals from public and non-profit private entities. It is anticipated that one cooperative agreement in the amount of up to \$200,000 will be awarded. A cooperative agreement is an award instrument of financial assistance where "substantial involvement" is anticipated between the HHS awarding agency and the recipient during performance of the contemplated project or activity. "Substantial involvement" means that the recipient can expect Federal programmatic collaboration or participation in managing the award. The resource center funded through this cooperative agreement will be required to provide information and

other resources, including training and technical assistance that will promote HIV/AIDS prevention among adolescents, in particular adolescents from minority and high-risk populations.

**Deadline: July 1, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$200,000**

**Grant Link:** <https://www.grantsolutions.gov/gs/preaward/previewPublicAnnouncement.do?id=12550>

### **Addressing Immunization Disparities in Minority Populations**

The purpose of the program will be to implement effective approaches for improving immunization rates among one or more minority groups for whom studies show evidence of under-immunization or other disparities in vaccine coverage. For the purpose of this project, minority groups are defined as in the 2000 census: American Indian or Alaskan Native, Asian American, Black or African American, Hispanic or Latino, and Native Hawaiian or other Pacific Islander.

**Deadline: July 5, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$200,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=mSJ8NWJWIQ7mQ9js7lvQ2FLLtsp5Vb8XZd6Cgyryhzpl2j2JGZbVI505166326?oppld=95753&mode=VIEW>

### **Screening, Brief Intervention, and Referral to Treatment with a Trauma Module**

The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration is accepting grant applications for fiscal year (FY) 2011 that build upon SAMHSA's Screening Brief Intervention and Referral to Treatment (SBIRT) for alcohol and illicit drugs and that test the additive value of integrating a screening and brief intervention module for trauma. The established SBIRT approach for substance use has been successful in identifying and intervening with asymptomatic, risky substance users in primary care. The purpose of the program is to implement SBIRT in primary care settings; and to develop and test new trauma modules for integration into SBIRT. Findings from this program will determine the feasibility of integrating trauma screening and brief intervention with the established SBIRT and the additive value to individuals and primary care providers. This initiative supports SAMHSA's Strategic Initiatives for Trauma and Justice and Prevention of Mental Illness and Substance Abuse.

**Deadline: July 5, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$1,000,000**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.samhsa.gov/grants/2011/ti\\_11\\_014.aspx](http://www.samhsa.gov/grants/2011/ti_11_014.aspx)

### **Public Prevention Health Fund: Community Transformation Grant**

The purpose of this program is to create healthier communities by 1) building capacity to implement broad evidence and practice-based policy, environmental, programmatic and infrastructure changes, as appropriate, in large counties, and in states, tribes and territories, including in rural and frontier areas and 2) supporting implementation of such interventions in five strategic areas (Strategic Directions) aligning with Healthy People 2020 focus areas and achieving demonstrated progress in the following five performance measures outlined in the Affordable Care Act: 1) changes in weight, 2) changes in proper nutrition, 3)

changes in physical activity, 4) changes in tobacco use prevalence, and 5) changes in emotional well being and overall mental health, as well as other program-specific measures.

**Deadline: July 15, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=LT4GNNhGc1RjLtJvrmSrKKCnv4CP5kThjkZ2MfGBvXvLmBKhcpSp!505166326?oppld=93873&mode=VIEW>

### **Blood Safety Surveillance among People with Blood Disorders**

The purpose of the program is to provide support and financial assistance through CDC cooperative agreements for non-research activities to help ensure the safety of the nation's blood supply and meet the shifting priorities of blood safety within heavily transfused patient populations.

**Deadline: July 18, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=mSJ8NWJWIQ7mQ9js7lvQ2FLLtsp5Vb8XZd6Cgyryhzpl2j2JGZbVI505166326?oppld=95353&mode=VIEW>

### **Beyond HAART: Innovative Therapies to Control HIV-1**

The National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID) and the National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH), NIH encourage applications from institutions/organizations to participate in this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA), Beyond HAART: Innovative Therapies to Control HIV-1. This initiative will support program project applications to develop therapeutic approaches that could allow HIV-1 infected persons to discontinue current HIV-1 treatments for a sustained period without viral rebound. Approaches of interest include therapeutic vaccines, gene therapies, cell therapies, antibodies, and other targeted interventions. Awardees will perform basic research on the chosen approach, as well as engage in translational activities such as test-of-concept studies in animal models or humans. Research program project applications must be designed as collaborative efforts between academia and the private sector.

**Deadline: July 19, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-AI-11-012.html>

### **Community Clinical Oncology Program Groups**

This funding opportunity announcement (FOA) solicits applications from institutions/organizations that propose to serve as accrual groups for the NCI-supported Community Clinical Oncology Program (CCOP) Network. CCOP was established in 1983 to develop and conduct state-of-the-art cancer prevention, control and treatment clinical trials with significant involvement of community oncologists and populations they serve. The CCOP Network mission includes: (1) accelerating development of interventions to prevent and treat cancer and its symptoms by increasing accrual to trials; (2) fostering quality care in the community through adoption of results from clinical trials; and (3) increasing the involvement of minority and underserved patient/participant populations in cancer clinical trials and associated research. The CCOP Network consists of three components each with its own FOA.

**Deadline: July 27, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$300,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-CA-11-006.html>

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### **Prevention of HIV Transmission/Acquisition through a better understanding of Reproductive Health**

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) issued by the Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD), National Institutes of Health (NIH), invites Research Project Grant (R01) applications to further our understanding of HIV acquisition/transmission by increasing our knowledge regarding the intersection between reproductive health and HIV prevention. The emphasis of the FOA is to encourage comprehensive behavioral-biomedical approaches that can lead to new insights in HIV prevention research. This FOA is not intended to fund drug discovery or large scale clinical trials.

**Deadline: August 11, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-HD-12-198.html>

### **Systems Biology Approaches in HIV/AIDS and Substance Use**

The purpose of this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is to encourage systems biology approaches to address critical questions in HIV/AIDS and the potential impact of substance use.

**Deadline: August 17, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-DA-12-009.html>

### **Systems Approach to Immunity and Inflammation**

The primary objective of the program is to use a systems biology approach to develop a comprehensive understanding of innate or adaptive immune responses to infection with and/or vaccination against one or more pathogenic microbes, with a focus on NIAID Emerging/Re-emerging Pathogens of concern to human health. The initiative will support quantitative analyses that will identify and measure dynamic networks regulating immune responses. The basis of the research program will be genome wide screens of mutant mice for identification of key regulatory immune response genes. The studies will be complemented by detailed genomics, proteomics, computational biology and bioinformatics approaches that focus on transcriptional regulation and signaling mechanisms. Investigators will analyze a subset of the newly discovered murine immune regulatory genes in human correlation studies.

**Deadline: August 30, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-AI-11-017.html>

### **A-T Children's Project**

The A-T Children's Project strives to assist respected scientists in developing a clearer understanding of ataxia-telangiectasia. The Foundation is determined to find a timely cure, or life-improving treatments, for this serious disease. Proposals from junior investigators, from scientists in related disciplines, and from individuals with innovative new ideas for A-T research are particularly encouraged, as are laboratories and teams working together from industry as well as teaching universities. The Project provides competitive grant awards for basic and translational research grants related to A-T. Applicants please note that the A-T Children's Project is currently focusing its funding efforts on grant proposals that are relevant to a therapeutic intervention for A-T and/or proposals that facilitate translational or clinical research for this disease. As such, these types of applications will be given priority funding. A Letter of Intent

is not required. However, prior to submission of a full-length proposal, applicants seeking Scientific Advisory Board input may submit a Letter of Intent directly to the A-TCP Science Coordinator at [cynthia@atcp.org](mailto:cynthia@atcp.org). This letter (not to exceed two pages) should include a brief abstract describing the proposed research, specific aims and an estimated budget. Submission deadlines for grant applications are September 1 and March 1.

**Deadline: September 1, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$750,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.atcp.org/page.aspx?pid=625>

### **Center for HIV/AIDS Vaccine Immunology and Immuno-gen Discovery**

This FOA, issued by the National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases (NIAID), National Institutes of Health, solicits grant applications that propose to establish a Center for HIV/AIDS Vaccine Immunology and Immunogen Discovery (CHAVI-ID) to support a coordinated, multidisciplinary team of researchers focused on multi-pronged approaches to accelerate HIV vaccine development by addressing key immunological roadblocks to the discovery and development of a safe and effective HIV vaccine.

**Deadline: September 8, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$19,000,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-AI-11-002.html>

### **Research to Aid Persons with Disabilities**

The Research to Aid Persons with Disabilities (RAPD) program supports research that will lead to the development of new technologies, devices, or software for persons with disabilities. Research may be supported that is directed to the characterization, restoration, and/or substitution of human functional ability or cognition, or to the interaction of persons with disabilities and their environment. Areas of particular recent interest are disability-related research in neuroscience/neuroengineering and rehabilitation robotics. Emphasis is placed on significant advancement of fundamental engineering and scientific knowledge and not on incremental improvements. Proposals should advance discovery or innovation beyond the frontiers of current knowledge in disability-related research.

**Deadline: September 15, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppld=59005>

### **Department of Defense HIV/AIDS Prevention Program**

This BAA is intended to solicit existing partners and establish new partners to support the development of a DHAPP.org web site. This site will serve as a source for program updates, with both a public side for general information, as well as password protected privacy modules for compartmentalized and specific partner information and access. Capacities of the site should include a file structure to upload and download files, internet and email messaging, as well as database functions to support information gathering and analysis.

**Deadline: September 30, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=h3KZNFfp6GTJwp0HVgKxJbtLY1XxjGH1WtnTC2JbP6NrFQWs2phJl-760305593?oppld=86535&mode=VIEW>

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### **Strategies for the Protection of Pregnant Women and Infants Against Infectious Diseases**

The purpose of this FOA is to encourage new and innovative mechanistic studies of pathogens that impact placental function and fetal well-being, with the long-term goal of informing the development of interventions against these pathogens and reducing the burden of infection-related pregnancy loss and infant morbidity and mortality.

**Deadline: October 13, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$350,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-AI-11-036.html>

### **Integration of Drug Abuse Prevention and Treatment in Primary Care Settings**

Efforts to prevent, detect, and treat drug abuse and addiction and its consequences can be improved by integrating existing evidence-based approaches into primary care settings. NIDA solicits translation and implementation research project applications to identify the most effective strategies and service delivery models for accomplishing this goal. Applicants should propose hypothesis-driven studies to achieve the integration of substance abuse prevention interventions and/or treatment services in public or private-sector settings where patients receive primary care services including office-based practice settings, family practice, pediatric and adolescent medicine, obstetrics, general practice, and emergency departments.

**Deadline: October 13, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$500,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-DA-12-008.html>

### **Contraceptive Development Research Centers Program**

The purpose of this FOA is to announce the re-competition of the Contraceptive Development Research Centers Program. The aim of the program is to conduct a wide range of research, both basic and applied, with the ultimate goal of developing clinically useful contraceptive products. These centers provide a multidisciplinary approach to high quality translational research programs in the area of contraceptive product discovery and development. The Centers will also serve as a national resource for career development of young scientists electing to pursue research in contraceptive development.

**Deadline: November 29, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-HD-12-185.html>

### **Emergency Capital Repair Grant Program**

HUD provides grant funds to make emergency capital repairs to eligible multifamily projects owned by private non-profit entities that are designated for occupancy by elderly tenants. The capital repair needs must relate to items that present an immediate threat to the health, safety, and quality of life of the tenants. The intent of these grants is to provide one-time assistance for emergency items that cannot be absorbed within the project's operating budget and other project resources, and where the tenants' continued occupancy in the immediate near future is jeopardized by a delay in initiating the proposed cure. Eligibility for emergency capital repair grants under this notice is restricted to: Private nonprofit owners of eligible multifamily-assisted housing developments designated for occupancy by elderly ten-

ants.

**Deadline: November 29, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppld=58908>

### **DoD Autism Clinical Trial Award**

The ARP Clinical Trial Award supports research with the potential to have a major impact on the treatment and/or management of ASD. Funding from this award mechanism must support a clinical trial and cannot be used for preclinical research studies. A clinical trial is defined as a prospective accrual of human subjects where an intervention (e.g., device, drug, biologic, surgical procedure, rehabilitative modality, behavioral intervention or other) is tested on a human subject for a measurable outcome with respect to exploratory information, safety, effectiveness, and/or efficacy. This outcome represents a direct effect on the human subject of that intervention or interaction. The term human subjects is used in this Program Announcement/Funding Opportunity to refer to individuals who will be recruited for, or who will participate in, the proposed clinical trial.

**Deadline: November 30, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=9DvPNqvD1PBVQ1Bg5mPH7DgBnvpP8GJk1V1HLG0p0PpPW83JJQKL!756542808?oppld=96555&mode=VIEW>

### **Comprehensive Alcohol Research Centers**

The National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA) invites applications for Comprehensive Alcohol Research Centers using the P60 mechanism. The overall purpose of the NIAAA Alcohol Research Center program is to provide leadership in conducting and fostering interdisciplinary, collaborative research on a wide variety of topics relevant to the Institutes mission. These topics include, but are not limited to: the nature, etiology, genetics, diagnosis, treatment, and prevention of alcohol use disorders and their biomedical, psychosocial, and economic consequences across the lifespan. Centers also are regional or national resources that contribute to the development of new research methods, technologies and approaches that sustain innovative goal-directed research.

**Deadline: December 7, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-AA-12-003.html>

### **The Specialized Alcohol Research Centers**

National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA) invites applications for Specialized Alcohol Research Centers using the P50 mechanism. The overall purpose of the NIAAA Alcohol Research Center program is to provide leadership in conducting and fostering interdisciplinary, collaborative research on a wide variety of topics relevant to the Institutes mission. These topics include, but are not limited to: the nature, etiology, genetics, diagnosis, treatment, and prevention of alcohol use disorders and their biomedical, psychosocial, and economic consequences across the lifespan. Centers also are regional or national resources that contribute to the development of new research methods, technologies and approaches that sustain innovative goal-directed research.

**Deadline: December 7, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-AA-12-002.html>

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### **Improving Diet and Physical Assessment**

Applications submitted under this FOA may include development of: novel assessment approaches; better methods to evaluate instruments; assessment tools for culturally diverse populations or various age groups, including older adults; improved technology or applications of existing technology; statistical methods to assess or correct for measurement errors or biases, methods to investigate the multidimensionality of diet and physical activity behavior through pattern analysis; or integrated measurement of diet and physical activity along with the environmental context of such behaviors. Mechanism of Support.

**Deadline: September 7, 2012**

**Grant Link:** <http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&oppld=48368>

### **NIDCD Research On Hearing Health Care**

This funding opportunity announcement (FOA) issued by National Institute on Deafness and Other Communication Disorders (NIDCD) invites Exploratory/Developmental Phased Innovation (R21/R33) grant applications to support research and/or infrastructure needs leading to more accessible and affordable hearing health care (HHC). For the purposes of the working group and this FOA, hearing health care includes assessment (including screening) and nonmedical treatment and rehabilitation of HL, including hearing aid selection and fitting and aural rehabilitation (counseling, auditory training). The proposed research aims should lead to the delivery of better healthcare access and outcomes and be directed to solutions that are effective, affordable and deliverable to those who need them. Outcomes research and health services research related to accessible and affordable hearing health care are also responsive to this FOA. This FOA provides support for up to two years (R21 phase) for preliminary /development studies, followed by possible transition of up to four years of expanded research and development support (R33 phase). The total project period for an application submitted in response to this FOA may not exceed five years.

**Deadline: February 28, 2013**

**Maximum Grant: \$500,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-DC-12-003.html>

### **Alcohol Education Project Grants**

The National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism (NIAAA) supports research programs to advance understanding of the biological and behavioral processes involved in the development, expression, and consequences of alcoholism and other alcohol-related problems. The Institute also supports prevention, treatment, and health services research on alcohol abuse and alcoholism. A part of the NIAAA mission is the dissemination of new knowledge acquired from alcohol research to diverse audiences, including scientists, educators, clinicians, and other health and social service providers, patients and their families, professionals within the criminal justice system, and the general public. This FOA identifies the research activity on alcohol education of Health Professions that NIAAA will consider for award through Education grants (R25).

**Deadline: May 7, 2014**

**Maximum Grant: \$250,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-11-205.html>

### **NINDS Program Project Grant**

This funding opportunity announcement (FOA) is issued by the National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke to enable submission of program project grant applications that propose to conduct innovative, interactive research to answer significant scientific questions that are important for the mission of NINDS, via a synergistic collaboration between outstanding scientists who might not otherwise collaborate. The program project grant mechanism is designed to support research in which the funding of several interdependent highly meritorious projects as a group offers significant scientific advantages over support of these same projects as individual research grants.

**Deadline: May 7, 2014**

**Grant Link:** <http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do.jsessionid=X1ncNM9P9dvwyCcTZCcq7T9XF1XymjpNM6NpgFv0LsHvvy2vp3I5!478093133?oppld=81213&mode=VIEW>

### **Mechanistic Studies of HIV-exposed Seronegative Individuals**

The purpose of this initiative is to support mechanistic studies of individuals who are repeatedly exposed to HIV but remain seronegative (HESN), or demonstrate resistance to infection. The emphasis will be on demonstrating causality, and not simply association.

**Deadline: June 7, 2014**

**Maximum Grant: \$200,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-217.html>

### **Understanding Clinical Information Needs and Health Care Decision Making Processes in the Context of Health Information Technology**

This is a Large Research Project (R01) FOA to express AHRQs interest in funding research aimed at elucidating the nature of cognition, task distribution, and clinical work in various health care delivery settings. Research projects funded under this FOA will address current knowledge gaps regarding our understanding of health care providers information needs and health care decision making processes, both individually and collectively, and as a health care team (composed of doctors, nurses, therapists, and administrative staff).

**Deadline: July 5, 2014**

**Maximum Grant: \$500,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-198.html>

### **Understanding User Needs and Context to Inform Consumer Health Information Technology**

This is a Large Research Project (R01) FOA to express AHRQs interest in funding research projects that will build a knowledge base of individuals personal health information management (PHIM) needs and practices and the design principles related to these activities. The increased interest in and availability of consumer health information technology (IT) applications meant to assist consumers in managing their personal health information has rapidly increased over the past decade. Many other industries have greatly benefited from design principles that take into account user needs and context, which help designers improve the utility of information management tools among a heterogeneous population of users. Individuals are the end users of consumer health IT; however, there is still a lack of basic research around these

end users PHIM practices and needs and how these methods are influenced by a multitude of other contextual factors (e.g., care settings, demographics, motivations, user capabilities and limitations, informal caregiving networks, technology sophistication, and access to Internet) that, typically, represent a mixture of facilitators or barriers to adequate PHIM. This FOA looks to bridge the chasm that currently exists between consumer health IT designers and the users themselves, by bolstering basic research to better understand users PHIM practices, needs, and goals as they are intrinsically shaped by an array of contextual factors.

**Deadline: July 5, 2014**

**Maximum Grant: \$500,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-199.html>

### **California Endowment Grant Programs**

Mission is to expand access to affordable, quality health care for underserved individuals and communities, and to promote fundamental improvements in the health status of all Californians. Based on these convictions, the endowment has based its work on three goals: Access to health; Culturally competent health systems; and Community health and the elimination of health disparities.

**Deadline: Open**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.calendow.org/grant\\_guide/](http://www.calendow.org/grant_guide/)

### **California Healthcare Foundation**

The California Health Care Foundation is encouraging applicants to submit unsolicited request funding to the Foundation by providing a letter of inquiry (LOI). The foundation reviews LOIs on a rolling basis and responds within six to eight weeks. Upon review, program staff may request a full proposal for further consideration.

**Deadline: Open**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.chcf.org/grants/letters-of-inquiry>

### **Help II Financing Program**

The California Health Facilities Financing Authority (CHFFA) was established to be the State's vehicle for providing financial assistance to public and non-profit health care providers through loans, grants and tax-exempt bonds. CHFFA administers the following programs:

-Bond Financing Program

-Tax-Exempt Equipment Financing Program

CHFFA also provides direct loans to small and rural health facilities through the following programs:

-Help II Financing Program

-Medi-Cal Bridge Loan Program

Additionally, CHFFA administers two grant programs to provide funding to community clinics and 13 of the state's children's hospitals. These programs are:

-Community Clinic Grant Program

-Children's Hospital Program

**Deadline: Open**

**Maximum Grant Amount: \$750,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.treasurer.ca.gov/chffa/index.asp>

### **Kresge Foundation: Healthy Environments Program**

The Kresge Foundation is a national grant maker that seeks to influence the quality of life for future generations. The Foundation's Healthy Environments grant program aims to improve the health and well being of vulnerable children from low-income families by making the places

they live, learn, and play supportive of overall good health. Funding priorities include clean air; safe and healthy housing and schools; and safe, accessible, and inviting outdoor play spaces. Grants are provided for highly promising, evidence-based regional and statewide efforts that have the potential to achieve broad change through replication or increased scale. Grants range from \$100,000 to \$750,000 for project periods of up to three years. One-year strategic planning grants are also offered.

**Deadline: Open**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.kresge.org/index.php/what/healthy\\_environments/](http://www.kresge.org/index.php/what/healthy_environments/)

### **UnitedHealth Group/ PacifiCare Grants to Benefit California Health Care Consumers**

This commitment is intended to focus on programs that benefit California health care consumers. The \$25 million in grants, to be distributed over the next three years, will fall under several different categories, including: technology improvements for safety-net providers; medical education programs in traditionally underserved communities; population-based preventive health strategies; support for Coordinated Care Initiatives – research and informational activities about health care delivery within the coordinated care model in California; and cash or in-kind contributions to help establish and support health care information technology initiatives designed to improve health care delivery.

**Deadline: Open**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.pacificare.com/vqn/images/portal/cit\\_60701/600676563\\_200MM\\_Healthcare\\_Prov\\_Invest.pdf](http://www.pacificare.com/vqn/images/portal/cit_60701/600676563_200MM_Healthcare_Prov_Invest.pdf)

## **HOUSING**

### **Asthma Interventions in Public and Assisted Multifamily Housing**

The overall purpose of the program is to fund demonstration projects to improve asthma control among children and others currently residing in federally assisted multifamily housing developments that are administered by local public housing authorities (i.e., public housing) as well as privately owned multifamily housing that is subsidized by HUD (e.g. Project-based Section 8, section 202, and section 811 housing).

**Deadline: June 9, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=xr1tNf9GqRn6Pqw58TyLR7fS6QpTnyBXDhVtWhVtSy8q2BP5KX2rI-760305593?oppld=86634&mode=VIEW>

### **Healthy Homes Production Program**

The Healthy Homes Production Program is part of HUD's overall Healthy Homes Initiative launched in 1999. The program takes a comprehensive approach to addressing multiple childhood diseases and injuries in the home by focusing on housing-related hazards in a coordinated fashion, rather than addressing a single hazard at a time. The program builds upon HUD's successful Lead Hazard Control programs to expand the Department's efforts to address a variety of high-priority environmental health and safety hazards.

**Deadline: June 9, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=h3KZNFfp6GTJwp0HVgKxJbtLY1XxjGH1WtnTC2JbP6NrFQWs2phJI-760305593?oppld=86573&mode=VIEW>

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### **Mortgage Modification and Mortgage Scams Assistance Housing Counseling**

This program supports the delivery of counseling services to homeowners to prevent or resolve mortgage delinquency, default, and foreclosure, with the primary objective to preserve homeownership. Counselors provide guidance and information to help families and individuals meet the responsibilities of homeownership and modify or refinance their loans to avoid unreasonably high interest rates, unaffordable repayment terms, and other conditions that can result in a loss of equity, increased debt, default, and eventually foreclosure. Counselors can also assist homeowners with inquiries related to mortgage scams, and reporting instances of potential mortgage scams victimization.

**Deadline: June 18, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=qd4KNWNWbQdMy7fXFKzQ2WL7FvRfn2vWNyydhvV1145yJ1yqrsJG!505166326?oppld=95253&mode=VIEW>

### **Section 811 Supportive Housing for Persons with Disabilities**

This program provides funding for the development and operation of supportive housing for very low-income persons with disabilities who are at least 18 years old. If you receive funding through this program, you must assure that supportive services are identified and available. HUD provides capital advances and contracts for project rental assistance in accordance with 24 CFR part 891. Refer to Section IV. E .3 in the NOFA for additional information on calculating the capital advance amount. Capital advances may be used for the construction or rehabilitation of a structure or acquisition of a structure with or without rehabilitation, to be developed into a variety of housing options described in Section III.C below. Capital advance funds bear no interest and are based on development cost limits in Section IV.E.3 identified in the NOFA. Repayment of the capital advance is not required as long as the housing remains available for occupancy by very low-income persons with disabilities for at least 40 years. PRAC funds are used to cover the difference between the tenants' contributions toward rent and the HUD-approved cost to operate the project.

**Deadline: June 23, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=h3KZnflp6GTJwp0HVgKxJbtLY1XxjGH1WtnTC2JbP6NrfQWs2phJ!-760305593?oppld=86413&mode=VIEW>

### **Community Economic Development (CED) Projects**

The Administration for Children and Families (ACF), Office of Community Services (OCS) will award Community Economic Development (CED) discretionary grant funds to Community Development Corporations (CDC) for well-planned, financially viable, and innovative projects to enhance job creation and business development for low-income individuals. OCS seeks to fund projects that implement strategies for fostering self-sufficiency for low-income families and achieving sustainable employment and business opportunities. CED grants will be made as part of a broader strategy to address objectives such as decreasing dependency on Federal programs, chronic unemployment, and community deterioration in urban and rural areas. CED projects are expected to actively recruit low-income individuals to fill the positions created by CED-funded development activities, and to assist those individuals to success-

fully hold those jobs and ensure that the businesses and jobs created remain viable for at least one year after the end of the grant period. Recruitment and retention are typically addressed through activities that help address personal barriers such as illiteracy, substance abuse, inadequate transportation, lack of affordable child care, insufficient life skills, past criminal history, health problems, and other challenges that could inhibit an individual's ability to achieve self-sufficiency. CED projects are expected to incorporate into their recruitment plan an agreement with TANF, child support agencies, and other sources to obtain and document low-income referrals. Grantees are required to seek active partnerships with public and/or non-profit agencies that can help identify and refer appropriate low-income candidates to fill the positions created by the program. To make such partnerships effective, grantees are expected to use a partnership agreement to document the explicit strategies for these collaborations, including a clear articulation of the contribution that the cooperating agency will make to the project. In support of a multi-agency strategy involving the Departments of Agriculture, Treasury, and Health and Human Services, OCS seeks to fund projects that will implement innovative strategies for revitalizing communities by eliminating food deserts while creating sustainable employment and business opportunities for and/or in low-income communities. For more information on food deserts go to <http://www.ers.usda.gov/Publications/AP/AP036/>. Through the CED program, OCS will award bonus points for projects addressing the elimination of food deserts; projects that finance grocery stores, farmers markets or other retail sources that provide access to fresh nutritious food; or projects that collaborate in the HFFI through New Market Tax Credits, Community Development Financial Institution Funds or loans, grants, or promotions through Agriculture.

**Deadline: July 11, 2011**

**Maximum Award: \$800,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foa/view/HHS-2011-ACF-OCS-EE-0178>

### **Resident Opportunity and Self Sufficiency Service Coordinators Program**

The purpose of the Public and Indian Housing Resident Opportunity and Self Sufficiency (ROSS) Service Coordinators program is to provide grants to public housing agencies (PHAs), tribes/tribally designated housing entities (TDHEs), Resident Associations (RAs), and nonprofit organizations (including grassroots, faith-based and other community-based organizations) for the provision of a Service Coordinator to coordinate supportive services and other activities designed to help Public and Indian housing residents attain economic and housing self-sufficiency. This program works to promote the development of local strategies to coordinate the use of assistance under the Public Housing program with public and private resources, for supportive services and resident empowerment activities. These services should enable participating families to increase earned income, reduce or eliminate the need for welfare assistance, make progress toward achieving economic independence and housing self-sufficiency or, in the case of elderly or disabled residents, help improve living conditions and enable residents to age-in-place. A Service Coordinator ensures that program participants are linked to the supportive services they need to achieve self-sufficiency or remain independent. Funds in this program are not allowed to be used for the direct provision of these services. This program is similar to the Public Housing

Family Self Sufficiency program (PH FSS); however, the PH FSS program is open only to PHAs and tribes/TDHEs, has a requirement of an escrow account for its participants and provides one-year funding. The ROSS SC program is open to non-profit and Resident Association applicants, provides three-year funding, includes administrative expenses and training as eligible uses of the funds and requires a 25% match by statute. A PHA or tribe may receive grants in both programs. PLEASE NOTE: This program is ONLY to provide SERVICE COORDINATION and is ONLY to serve residents of CONVENTIONAL PUBLIC HOUSING.

**Deadline: July 13, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$720,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=IQQYNxYGssMktJQ0y3MYxTKq3pJqGcCLXtTf5Yp9sGVxrw1dV7I6!-241849593?oppld=89193&mode=VIEW>

### **Housing Opportunities for Persons with AIDS**

Grants funded under this initiative will advance HUD's implementation of the National HIV/AIDS Strategy (NHAS). This NOFA also addresses the Department's Fiscal Year 2010-2015 Strategic Plan and the Opening Doors Federal Strategic Plan to Prevent and End Homelessness. These actions address goals to: prevent and end homelessness; increase the supply of affordable housing; and increase the coordination of mainstream housing resources and other health and human services. This NOFA announces funds available for projects that address both: (1) direct housing assistance and service delivery to low income persons and families living with HIV/AIDS, including homeless individuals and families; and (2) comprehensive planning and coordination of local resources in meeting housing and service needs of the population. As a result of project efforts, communities will be assisted in the development and use of an Integrated HIV/AIDS Housing Plan (IHHP) to be issued at the end of the third year of operation. The IHHP is an administrative function and should demonstrate local system changes in the delivery of housing and services. Grantees are expected to provide housing assistance to eligible persons in their communities while concurrently examining and comprehensively integrating local services for coordinating and streamlining where possible the delivery of those services in your community.

**Deadline: August 2, 2011**

**Maximum Award: \$1,375,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=qd4KNWNWbQdMy7fXFKzQ2WL7FvRfn2vWNyydhvVI145yJ1yqrsJG!505166326?oppld=95293&mode=VIEW>

### **Notice of HUD's FY2011 NOFA Policy Requirements and General Section to HUD's FY2011 NOFAs for Discretionary Programs**

This notice describes HUD's FY2011 policy priorities and requirements applicable to all of HUD's NOFAs published in FY2011. The General Section provides overall guidance and direction to applicants regarding HUD's Policy Priorities and their relationship to HUD's Strategic Goals as stated in the Department's Strategic Plan for FY2010-2015. For detailed information on HUD's Strategic Plan for FY2010-2015 visit HUD's website. HUD's Strategic Plan for FY2010-2015 and HUD's Policy Priorities set forth a roadmap of actions to help transform communities through the implementation of HUD's programs. Each program NOFA will

contain specific activities, requirements, policy priorities, and outcomes or measures of success that will be used to evaluate submitted applications. In each case, the outcomes described in the program NOFA will support the measures of success described in HUD's Strategic Plan. Each program NOFA will also describe additional procedures and requirements that apply to the individual program NOFAs, including a description of the eligible applicants, eligible activities, threshold requirements, factors for award, variations from the General Section requirements, and any additional program requirements or limitations. To adequately address all of the application requirements for any program for which you intend to apply, please carefully read and respond to both this General Section and the individual program NOFAs.

**Deadline: April 4, 2012**

**Grant Link:** [http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program\\_offices/administration/grants/fundsavail](http://portal.hud.gov/hudportal/HUD?src=/program_offices/administration/grants/fundsavail)

### **MULTIPLE FUNDING AREAS**

#### **Federal Voting Assistance Program**

The purpose of the Federal Voting Assistance Program (FVAP) grant is to receive proposals that will fulfill a public purpose of support by improving the voting experience of UOCAVA voters, reduce voting impediments faced by them, and stimulate the development of innovative approaches to absentee voting by UOCAVA voters.

**Deadline: June 22, 2011**

**Maximum Award: \$15,500,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=hF2xNWgJM1yPyyMKCgGJq8Gvqs2Mnv0BTgTCGXDRs1kLXhXyDphK!505166326?oppld=95273&mode=VIEW>

#### **Women's Business Center Initial Grant**

The U.S. Small Business Administration (SBA) has issued Program Announcement No. OWBO-2011-01 to invite private, 501(c)-certified nonprofit organizations that are located within and will provide services to the population of South Carolina as outlined in Program Announcement OWBO-2011-01 to apply for a five year Women's Business Center (WBC) grant. The SBA Women's Business Center is a program or project funded, in part, by a grant from the SBA to provide technical assistance to women entrepreneurs, both nascent and established in the areas of finance, management, and marketing, and other areas as defined in Program Announcement OWBO-2011-01. A representative number of clients served by a WBC must be socially and economically disadvantaged. The WBC may exist within the framework of a larger economic development organization and may make use of the resources provided by that organization, but must be a clearly identifiable separate program or project of that entity. The successful applicant will receive an award in the form of a cooperative agreement for the base year. Four additional option years may be exercised, subject to the availability of funding and the WBC's performance during the previous year.

**Deadline: June 24, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$123,367**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.sba.gov/content/womens-business-center-grant-opportunities>

#### **RGK Foundation Awards Grants**

RGK Foundation Awards Grants In The Broad Areas Of Education, Community, And Health/Medicine. The Foundation's

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Primary Interests Within Education Include Programs That Focus On Formal K-12 Education (particularly Mathematics, Science And Reading), Teacher Development, Literacy, And Higher Education. Grants are made only to non-profit organizations certified as tax exempt under Sections 501(c)(3) or 170(c) of the Internal Revenue Code and are classified as "not a private foundation" under Section 509 (a). Hospitals, educational institutions, and governmental institutions meeting these requirements are eligible to apply. Organizations that have completed and filed Form 1023 but not yet received an IRS determination letter are not eligible to apply. The Foundation does not make grants or loans to individuals.

**Deadline: June 30, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$5,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.rgkfoundation.org/public/guidelines>

#### **Tax Counseling for the Elderly**

IRS is authorized to enter into agreements with private or non-governmental public non-profit agencies or organizations, exempt under Section 501 of the Internal Revenue Code that will provide training and technical assistance to volunteers who provide free tax counseling and assistance to elderly individuals in the preparation of their Federal income tax returns. Grant funds are used to reimburse volunteers for out-of-pocket expenses including transportation, meals and other expenses incurred by them in providing tax counseling assistance at locations convenient to the taxpayers.

**Deadline: June 30, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/p1101.pdf>

#### **Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) Grant**

Provides matching grants to partner organizations to (1) enable the Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) Program to extend free tax return preparation services to underserved populations in hardest-to-reach areas, both urban and non-urban; (2) increase the capacity to file returns electronically; (3) heighten quality control; (4) enhance training of volunteers; and (5) improve significantly the accuracy rate of returns prepared at VITA sites.

**Deadline: June 30, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/p4671.pdf>

#### **Agriculture and Food Research Initiative: Food Safety**

The Agriculture and Food Research Initiative (AFRI) is the National Institute of Food and Agriculture (NIFA) flagship competitive grant program and was established under section 7406 of the Food, Conservation, and Energy Act of 2008 (the 2008 Farm Bill). AFRI supports work in six priority areas: plant health and production and plant products; animal health and production and animal products; food safety, nutrition, and health; renewable energy, natural resources, and environment; agriculture systems and technology; and agriculture economics and rural communities. Grant Application Due October 11, 2011.

**Deadline: July 5, 2011 (LOI)**

**Maximum Grant: \$7,000,000**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.nifa.usda.gov/funding/rfas/pdfs/11\\_afri\\_food\\_safety.pdf](http://www.nifa.usda.gov/funding/rfas/pdfs/11_afri_food_safety.pdf)

#### **Reception and Placement Program FY 2012**

The purpose of the R&P Program is to promote the successful reception and placement of all persons who are admitted to the United States under the U.S. Refugee Ad-

missions Program. For the purpose of this announcement, refugees defined as a person admitted to the United States under section 207(c) of the INA, as amended, or a person to whom eligibility for the resettlement assistance available to individuals admitted under section 207 (c) has been extended by statute. To accomplish this goal, the Immigration and Nationality Act (INA) recognizes the desirability for public or private non-profit organizations to provide R&P services and to assist refugees to achieve economic self-sufficiency as quickly as possible. The program goals and objectives set forth in this announcement have been established in accordance with these statutory provisions. The Bureau partners with and provides partial financial support to non-governmental organizations (NGOs) to carry out the R&P Program. Participating organizations are expected to combine the Bureau's financial assistance with existing and projected private resources for the provision of R&P services for refugees admitted to the United States during the period October 1, 2011 through September 30, 2012. The Bureau intends to award Cooperative Agreements (CA) for FY 2012 to well-qualified non-profit organizations able to offer a range of services in multiple locations across the United States. This will include applicants that have demonstrated satisfactory performance under previous agreements with the Bureau and/or applicants that meet the selection criteria described below and have demonstrated the capacity to provide required services. Applicants should understand that participation in the FY 2011 R&P Program is neither a pre-condition for nor a guarantee of continued participation in FY 2012. In order to be considered for participation in the program, applicants must: A. Be well-established social service providers with demonstrated case management expertise and experience managing a network of affiliates that provide reception and placement or similar services to refugees or other migrant populations in the United States; B. Have been in operation for at least three full years in 501(c)(3) non-profit status; C. Document the availability of private financial resources to contribute to the program; and D. Operate multiple locations across the U.S.

**Deadline: July 5, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$100,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.state.gov/g/prm/c31025.htm>

#### **Goodrich Foundation**

The Foundation provides support to charitable organizations serving the needs of the public in Goodrich Corporation's United States headquarters and plant communities, to selected educational institutions and selected national groups. Goodrich believes its vitality as a business is linked with the quality of life in the communities where it operates. We are committed to enhancing the quality of life in these communities through targeted programs.

**Deadline: August 1, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.goodrich.com/Goodrich/Enterprise/About-Goodrich/Goodrich-Culture/Goodrich-Foundation>

#### **Left Tilt Fund Invites Grant Applications for Social Justice Projects**

The WHO (Women Helping Others) Foundation supports grassroots charities that serve the overlooked needs of women and children in the United States and Puerto Rico. The foundation prioritizes specific projects and programs that address health and social service needs. The foundation recognizes the value of new programs created to respond to changing needs and will consider projects of an original or

pioneering nature within an existing organization. Grant applications are welcome from nonprofit 501(c)(3) organizations that have been incorporated for at least three years and that have total organizational budgets of \$3 million or less. Preference will be given to organizations that are not dependent on government grants, and those with greater organizational program costs than personnel costs. Organizations that have previously received a WHO Foundation grant should wait three years before applying again. Grants are not provided to individuals, educational institutions, religious institutions, or governmental agencies, or for endowment campaigns, political causes, or capital campaigns.

**Deadline: September 6, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$40,000**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.whofoundation.org/Funding/Who\\_funding.asp](http://www.whofoundation.org/Funding/Who_funding.asp)

### **State Farm Companies Foundation**

We make it our business to be a good neighbor. To support the communities where we live and work, we focus our giving in three areas: Safety, Education, & Community development.

#### **Safety Grants**

- \* Auto and Roadway Safety
- \* Home Safety and Fire Prevention
- \* Disaster Preparedness
- \* Disaster Recovery
- \* Personal Financial Safety/Security

#### **Community Development Grants**

- \* Affordable Housing
- \* 1st Time Homeowners
- \* Community Revitalization
- \* Economic Development

#### **Education**

The foundation supports efforts to provide all children with an education that will allow them to reach their greatest potential and prepare them to participate in a nation and economy that continues as a global leader. They fund three types of grants for K-12 public schools: Teacher Development, Service-Learning and Systemic Improvement.

#### **Other Grants**

In addition to the three focus areas, there is very limited funding available to meet community-based needs.

- \* Arts and Culture
- \* Business Groups & Associations
- \* Civic
- \* Environment
- \* Health and Wellness
- \* Other Education
- \* Other Safety

**Deadline: October 31, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$40,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.statefarm.com/aboutus/community/grants/company/company.asp>

### **Camille Snider Charitable Remainder Unitrust**

The Camille Snider Charitable Remainder Unitrust accepts letters of inquiry year round. The letter should contain the purpose of the organization, goals and objectives of the project for which funding is requested, current status of the project, annual budget, detailed project budget including the funding amount requested, and a copy of the IRS exemption letter. The Unitrust has not made any geographic or funding limitations, though it appears to favor Christian

schools and childrens medical research as funding areas.

Contact for more information:

Albert G. Keuler, Trustee (251) 929-1266

27211 State Highway 181

Daphne, AL 36526

**Deadline: December 31, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: not specified**

### **A Little Hope Grant**

A Little HOPE, Inc. is a not-for-profit publicly supported charitable foundation, recognized by the IRS under 501 (c) (3), which grants funds to organizations that provide bereavement support services and grief counseling to children and teens who have experienced the death of a parent, sibling or loved one. Strong preference is given to applicants who demonstrate a commitment to the use of community trained volunteers, whose programs demonstrate multicultural competence in addressing children & adolescent's bereavement needs, and whose programs are likely to be replicable in other communities. Grant applications are by invitation only and are sent to potential grant recipients during the last quarter of each year. To be considered, email or fax (no telephone calls): the name of your program, your website address, the name of your executive director, and the name of the program director, including their credentials. No other information is needed or will be processed. Do not send letters of inquiry or any other materials unless they have been requested by A Little Hope. No other organizations are authorized to solicit RFP's or information on our behalf.

**Deadline: Open**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.alittlehope.org/granting/applicants.aspx>

### **Archstone: Meeting the Unmet Needs of the Aging**

Responsive grant making is the Archstone Foundation's strategy to direct resources to emerging and unmet needs within the field of aging. The following categories are examples of types of issues the Foundation may consider through this grant making strategy.

- \* Access to Care
- \* Adult Day Services
- \* Caregiver Support
- \* Disability Services
- \* Healthy Aging
- \* Housing
- \* Medication Management
- \* Mental Health/Substance Abuse
- \* Professional Education and Training
- \* Promoting Aging in Place
- \* Transportation

The Foundation accepts unsolicited letters of inquiry on an ongoing basis through the Foundation's responsive grant making process. After review of the letters, if the request falls within the funding priorities of the Foundation the organization will be invited to submit a full proposal for funding consideration. Priority is given to proposals serving the Southern California region.

**Deadline: Letters of Inquiry (LOI) accepted year round.**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.archstone.org/info-url\\_nocat2293/info-url\\_nocat\\_show.htm?doc\\_id=260754](http://www.archstone.org/info-url_nocat2293/info-url_nocat_show.htm?doc_id=260754)

### **Fidelity Foundation**

Grants are generally made only to organizations with operating budgets of \$500,000 or more. Grants are made to fund

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only significant, transformative projects usually budgeted at \$50,000 or more. The Fidelity Foundation considers projects from organizations of regional or national importance throughout the United States. High-impact projects with potential to inform or influence the nonprofit sector are of particular interest. The Foundation's primary philanthropic investments are allocated to the following sectors: \* Arts and culture \* Community development and social services. Secondly, grants are considered in the following fields: \* Health \* Education - There are no deadlines, the Foundation accepts and reviews Letters of Inquiry on a year-round rolling basis.

**Deadline: Open**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.fidelityfoundation.org/guidelines/index.html>

#### **James Irvine Foundation California Democracy Grants**

**Governance Reform** — We make grants to improve state and local governance. Currently, we give priority to projects in three areas: budget and fiscal systems, election policies and practices, and the state redistricting process. We also welcome ideas for projects in other areas that can significantly improve state and local governance. Through our grantmaking, we support policy development, strategic communications, outreach, coalition building and other activities. For more information about our grants in this area. **Civic Engagement** — We make grants to increase opportunities for civic engagement among historically underrepresented communities, including low-income, ethnic and immigrant populations. We are particularly interested in innovative approaches and ongoing mechanisms for involving diverse communities in public decision making. In addition, we have a special focus on civic engagement specifically in the San Joaquin Valley and Inland Empire.

**Deadline: Open (LOI)**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.irvine.org/grantmaking/our-programs/californiademocracy/governancereform>

#### **JP Morgan Chase**

JP Morgan Chase provides funding in the following areas: **Community development** - address issues related to poverty and social exclusion by building economic infrastructure, promoting self-sufficiency, and supporting efforts to narrow social inequities. **Education** - ensure that all children, particularly those from disadvantaged backgrounds, have access to high quality educational opportunities with a particular focus on K-12 public schools that help them acquire the knowledge and skills needed to be productive, engaged citizens. **Arts & Culture** - increase community access to rich cultural resources that foster creativity, promote self-expression, celebrate diversity, and strengthen our environment. The grant application process begins with the submission of a letter of inquiry, and the LOI may be submitted year round.

**Deadline: Letters of Inquiry (LOI) accepted year round.**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.jpmorganchase.com/corporate/Home/home.htm>

#### **The Coca-Cola Foundation**

The Coca-Cola Foundation, and its regional foundations strive daily to be responsive to the citizenship priorities in the global communities where they live and work. At The Coca-Cola Company, their community investment priorities reflect the global and local nature of their business and focuses on those global pillars where The Coca-Cola Com-

pany can make a unique and sustainable difference: water stewardship, active healthy living, community recycling, and education. All requests for community support in the form of grants or sponsorships for consideration by The Coca-Cola Company, The Coca-Cola Foundation or any of its affiliated regional foundations must be submitted online. Those proposals meeting specific guidelines, and further Coca-Cola's strategic goals and objectives, will be considered for funding.

**Deadline: Open**

**Grant link:** [http://www.thecoca-colacompany.com/citizenship/application\\_guidelines.html](http://www.thecoca-colacompany.com/citizenship/application_guidelines.html)

#### **PepsiCo Contributions'**

PepsiCo Contributions' Goal Is To Strengthen The Communities Where We Live And Work Through Community Investment. PepsiCo, Through Our Charitable Contributions, Is Committed To Advancing Objectives Related To Education, Health And Wellness, Diversity And Inclusion, And Thought Leadership. In Advancing These Objectives, We Provide Support To Approved Organizations On An Equal-access Basis. In That Regard, PepsiCo Does Not Discriminate In Awarding Grants On The Basis Of Race, Color, Religion, Sex, Sexual Orientation, Gender Identity, Age, National Origin, Disability, Veteran Status Or Political And Philosophical Viewpoints. However, PepsiCo Has The Right To Determine If A Given Project Meets Its Objectives. As It Relates To The Promotion Of Diversity And Inclusion, PepsiCo Is Committed To Supporting Equality Generally, Including Equality In The Workplace.

**Deadline: Open**

**Maximum Grant: \$100,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.pepsico.com/Purpose/PepsiCo-Contributions/Grants.html>

#### **SAFETY**

##### **New Jail Planning Initiative: Review and Revision**

The National Institute of Corrections (NIC) Jails Division is seeking applications for the revision of its services related to new jail planning. The project will be for an 18-month period and will be carried out in conjunction with the NIC Jails Division. The awardee will work closely with NIC staff on all aspects of the project. To be considered, applicants must demonstrate, at a minimum: (1) in-depth knowledge of the purpose, functions, and operational complexities of local jails, (2) extensive experience in the roles of architect and planner in the new-jail planning process, as taught by NIC, and (3) expertise and experience in developing curricula based on adult learning principles, specifically the Instructional Theory Into Practice (ITIP) model.

**Deadline: June 10, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$300,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://community.nicic.gov/blogs/nic/archive/2011/05/19/cooperative-agreement-announcement-new-jail-planning-initiative-review-and-revision.aspx>

##### **Electronic and Cyber Crime National Training and Technical Assistance (TTA) Program - BJA FY 11**

The BJA Electronic and Cyber Crime National TTA Program serves the nation's communities by providing training and technical assistance to state, local, and tribal law enforcement officials; intelligence analysts; prosecutors; fusion center staff; and other criminal justice entities on preventing, investigating, and responding to electronic, cyber, and high tech crimes. These crimes are committed using networked

computers or Internet technology; examples include various kinds of theft (financial, identify, etc.), selling illegal goods using the Internet, cyber stalking, child grooming and child pornography, hijacking accounts on social networking web sites, and hacking (i.e., reconfiguring or reprogramming a system to function in ways not approved by the owner, administrator, or designer). This program is funded under the Edward Byrne Memorial Competitive Grant Program (Byrne Competitive Program) through the Full-Year Continuing Appropriations Act, 2011 (Public Law 112-10, division B); Department of Justice Appropriations Act, 2010 (Public Law 111-117, 123 Stat. 3034, 3134). The Byrne Competitive Program helps local communities improve the capacity of state and local justice systems and provides for national support efforts including training and technical assistance programs strategically targeted to address local needs.

**Deadline: June 16, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$12,500,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=G3GKNFxD8CS2dTWyJdXdjD3yy265cQsgGtbBvn57HRJGkwTSzBNq!354298477?oppld=91433&mode=VIEW>

#### **Correctional Systems and Correctional Alternatives on Tribal Lands Training and Technical Assistance Program - BJA FY 11**

The Correctional Systems and Correctional Alternatives on Tribal Lands (CSCATL) Training and Technical Assistance (TTA) Program is designed to assist tribes with the 1) identification of justice system needs and the planning process for renovating and constructing correctional facilities, multi-purpose justice centers, or correctional alternative facilities, and 2) development, implementation, or enhancement of community-based correctional alternatives to address the incarceration and rehabilitation of juvenile and adult offenders subject to tribal jurisdiction. Community-based correctional alternatives refers to initiatives or programs which address offender needs outside of an institutional setting. Community-based correctional alternatives may include diversion programs, substance abuse and mental health treatment programs, holdover/sobriety centers, and problem-solving strategies. Applicants are limited to tribal and non-tribal for-profit (commercial) organizations, non-profit organizations, institutions of higher learning, and consortiums with demonstrated experience in working effectively with tribal representatives to address institutional correctional needs through planning, renovation, and construction of correctional facilities, multi-purpose justice centers, or correctional alternative facilities and/or developing, implementing, and enhancing community-based correctional alternatives to serve local and regional needs. For-profit organizations must agree to waive any profit or fees for services.

**Deadline: June 20, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$850,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/BJA/grant/11TribalCorrTTASol.pdf>

#### **Emergency Management Performance Grants (EMPG) Program Region 8 - Fiscal Year (FY) 2011**

**Purpose:** The purpose of the FY 2011 EMPG Program is to make grants to states to assist state, local, tribal and territorial governments in preparing for all hazards, as authorized by the Robert T. Stafford Disaster Relief and

Emergency Assistance Act (42 U.S.C. 5121 et seq.). Title VI of the Stafford Act authorizes FEMA to make grants for the purpose of providing a system of emergency preparedness for the protection of life and property in the United States from hazards and to vest responsibility for emergency preparedness jointly in the federal government and the states and their political subdivisions. The federal government, through the EMPG Program, provides necessary direction, coordination, and guidance, and provides necessary assistance, as authorized in this title so that a comprehensive emergency preparedness system exists for all hazards. Eligible Applicants: The SAA or the state's Emergency Management Agency (EMA) is the only entity eligible to apply to FEMA for EMPG Program funds on behalf of state and local emergency management agencies, however only one application will be accepted from each state or territory. All 56 states and territories, as well as the Republic of the Marshall Islands, and the Federated States of Micronesia, are eligible to apply for FY 2011 EMPG Program funds.

**Deadline: June 20, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=qd4KNWNWbQdMy7fXFKzQ2WL7FvRf n2vWNyydhvVI145yJ1yqrsJG!505166326?oppld=95537&mode=VIEW>

#### **Freight Rail Security Grant Program (FRSGP) - FY 2011**

Eligible applicants for the Fiscal Year 2011 FRSGP are determined by the Department of Homeland Security (DHS) as Class I, II, and III freight railroad carriers that transport Rail Security-Sensitive Materials (RSSM) and owners and offerors of railroad cars that transport toxic inhalation hazardous (TIH) materials. For purposes of this grant program, "offerors" are entities that lease rail cars in order to ship materials poisonous by inhalation/TIH materials by railroad.

**Deadline: June 20, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.fema.gov/government/grant/frsgp/>

#### **Urban Areas Security Initiative (UASI) Nonprofit Security Grant Program (NSGP) - FY 2011**

**Purpose:** NSGP provides funding support for target hardening activities to nonprofit organizations that are at high risk of a terrorist attack and located within one of the specific FY 2011 UASI-eligible urban areas. Eligible Applicants: The SAA is the only entity eligible to apply to FEMA for NSGP funds. Eligible nonprofit organizations (as described under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 and exempt from tax under section 501(a) of such Code) that are at high risk of a terrorist attack and are located within one of the specific FY 2011 UASI-eligible urban areas must apply for funding through their SAA. Program Awards: FY 2011 NSGP funds will be allocated based on risk analysis, effectiveness, and integration with broader state and local preparedness efforts. Each nonprofit organization may apply through their SAA for up to a \$75,000 grant award.

**Deadline: June 20, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$75,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.fema.gov/government/grant/nsgp/>

#### **Intercity Bus Security Grant Program (IBSGP) – FY 2011**

The IBSGP is one tool among a comprehensive set of measures authorized by Congress and implemented by the Administration to help strengthen the nation's critical infrastructure against risks associated with potential terrorist attacks. The vast bulk of America's critical infrastructure is owned and/or operated by State, local, and private sector partners.

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The funds provided by the IBSGP are primarily intended to support the work of operators of fixed route intercity and charter bus services. Eligible applicants under the Fiscal Year 2011 IBSGP are owners and operators of fixed route intercity and charter buses that serve Urban Areas Security Initiative (UASI) jurisdictions

**Deadline: June 20, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.fema.gov/government/grant/ibsgp/>

### **National Justice Information Sharing (JIS) Initiative FY 2011 Competitive Grant Announcement**

BJA seeks to enhance the ability of justice agencies to share information in order to support critical public safety and criminal justice activities. BJA plans to address this nationwide need by developing and implementing national policy and best practices, creating national consensus standards in support of information sharing and interoperability, and delivering training and technical assistance services. Through this solicitation, BJA is seeking to enable the nation's criminal justice community to improve information sharing through advanced technology and tools that increase efficiency, enhance operations, and promote cost savings and reuse. BJA's National Justice Information Sharing (JIS) Initiative works collaboratively with key stakeholders and national partner organizations to identify critical issues and problems, and provide resources in response to emerging challenges in law enforcement, courts, corrections, reentry, human/social services, and tribal justice. This program is funded under the Edward Byrne Memorial Competitive Grant Program (Byrne Competitive Program) and the Edward Byrne Memorial Justice Assistance Grant (JAG) Program.

**Deadline: June 23, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$2,845,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/BJA/grant/11NationalJISsol.pdf>

### **Second Chance Act Family-Based Offender Substance Abuse Treatment Program - BJA FY 11**

The Second Chance Act of 2007 provides a comprehensive response to the increasing number of incarcerated adults and juveniles who are released from prison, jail, and juvenile residential facilities and returning to communities. There are currently over 2.3 million individuals serving time in our federal and state prisons, and millions of people cycling through local jails every year. Ninety-five percent of all offenders incarcerated today will eventually be released and will return to communities. The Second Chance Act will help ensure that the transition individuals make from prison, jail, or juvenile residential facilities to the community is successful and promotes public safety. The Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS) reported that in 2004, 53 percent of state inmates were abusing or dependent on drugs in the year before their admission to prison, and 32 percent of state inmates said they had committed their current offense while under the influence of drugs. In 2007, parents held in the state prisons 52 percent of state inmates reported having an estimated 1.7 million children under the age of 18, an increase of 80 percent from 2001. Since 1991, the number of children with a mother in prison has more than doubled, up 131 percent, and the number of children with a father in prison has grown by 77 percent. Among state prisoners, 59 percent of males and 63 percent of females being held for drug-related offenses were parents. Section 113 of the Second Chance Act specifically addresses the

treatment needs of offenders who have substance abuse disorders and who are parents of minor children. This section authorizes federal awards to states, units of local government, and Indian tribes to improve the provision of substance abuse treatment within prison and jails and after reentry for offenders who have minor children, and also includes outreach to families and provision of treatment and other services to children and other family members of participant offenders. BJA is seeking applications from eligible applicants to plan, implement, or expand such family-based treatment programs.

**Deadline: June 23, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$300,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/BJA/grant/11SCAFamilyBasedSol.pdf>

### **Second Chance Act Reentry Program for Adult Offenders with Co-Occurring Substance Abuse and Mental Health Disorders BJA FY 11**

The Second Chance Act of 2007 (Pub. L. 110-199) provides a comprehensive response to the increasing number of incarcerated adults and juveniles who are released from prison, jail, and juvenile residential facilities and returning to communities. There are currently over 2.3 million individuals serving time in our federal and state prisons, and millions of people cycling through local jails every year. Ninety-five percent of all offenders incarcerated today will eventually be released and will return to communities. The Second Chance Act helps to ensure that the transition individuals make from prison, jail, or juvenile residential facilities to the community is successful and promotes public safety. Section 201 of the Second Chance Act authorizes federal awards to states, units of local government, and Indian tribes to improve the provision of treatment to adult offenders in prisons and jails during the period of incarceration and through the completion of parole or other court supervision after release into the community. The Bureau of Justice Statistics (BJS) reported over 50 percent of jail and prison inmates were abusing or dependent on drugs in the year before their admission to prison. BJS also has reported that 16 percent of jail and prison inmates were identified as having a mental illness. Other studies have shown that prevalence rates of co-occurring substance abuse and mental health disorders in inmate populations are striking. With regard to the prevalence of substance use disorders among those with severe mental disorders, research indicates that jail detainees have a 72 percent rate of co-occurring substance use.

**Deadline: June 23, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$600,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=LT4GNNhGc1RJLtJvrmSrKKCnv4CP5kThjkZ2MfGBvXvLmBKhcpSp!505166326?oppld=93413&mode=VIEW>

### **Document – Tools in Assessing Inmates' Risks & Needs: The Assessment Interview**

The National Institute of Corrections (NIC) Jails Division is seeking applications for the development of a written guide on how to use interviews to determine inmate risks and needs within the jail environment more accurately. This document will be written in the context of inmate behavior management. An eligible applicant is any state or general unit of local government, private agency, educational institution, organization, individual, or team with expertise in the described areas. Applicants must have demonstrated ability to imple-

ment a project of this size and scope.

**Deadline: June 24, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$20,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://community.nicic.gov/blogs/nic/archive/2011/05/27/cooperative-agreement-document-tools-in-assessing-inmates-risks-amp-needs-the-assessment-interview.aspx>

#### **Victim Assistance and Compensation Professional Development Fellowship Program - OVC FY 2011**

One or more cooperative agreements will be awarded in the amount of \$135,000 through its Victim Assistance and Compensation Professional Development Fellowship Program to conduct an analysis of existing data regarding services available to underserved victims, to identify trends and explore ways to capture information about services to these victims, and to analyze the overall effectiveness of state Victims of Crime Act (VOCA) programs or construct a framework to analyze state VOCA programs.

**Deadline: June 27, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$135,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=LT4GNNhGc1RjLtJvrnSrKKCnrv4CP5kThjkZ2MfGBvXvLmBKhcsp!505166326?oppld=93073&mode=VIEW>

#### **Capacity-building programs, research projects and assessments to enable the global community to better prevent and respond to gender-based violence (GBV) within refugee and conflict-affected populations**

Limited Funding is available through the U.S. Department of State's Bureau of Population, Refugees, and Migration (PRM) for proposals for globally-relevant capacity building, research, assessment, or evaluation projects that will strengthen the international community's ability to reduce and effectively respond to gender-based violence (GBV) among PRM populations of concern. Proposals must: 1) Seek to build the capacity of NGO and implementing partners to prevent and respond to GBV with worldwide application and/or implications; and/or 2) Involve research, assessments or formative evaluations that could inform and strengthen PRM (and/or the international community's) policy and programming for GBV prevention and response. Such research, assessments, or evaluations should include concrete policy and program recommendations for relevant stakeholders and focus on PRM populations of concern. NOTE: This funding is not intended to build the capacity of a specific or single organization. Proposals for GBV prevention and/or response efforts serving refugee and conflict-affected populations in specific geographic locations should be submitted through a separate application process.

**Deadline: June 28, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.state.gov/g/prm/142602.htm>

#### **Honest Opportunity Probation with Enforcement (HOPE) Demonstration Field Experiment - BJA FY 11**

BJA and the National Institute of Justice (NIJ) are supporting this multisite Demonstration Field Experiment (DFE) in an effort to enhance public safety and to improve the outcomes of probationers. This DFE will combine a multisite demonstration of the Hawaii HOPE model with a rigorous experimental evaluation in an applied setting. This DFE will consist of a randomized controlled trial (RCT), in which the costs associated with program implementation will be

funded by BJA, and costs associated with the evaluation will be funded by NIJ. This solicitation is being developed as part of the Smart Probation initiative, and may be funded under the Second Chance Act of 2007 (Public Law 110-199, Sec 245). The Smart Probation initiative is intended to: (a) improve supervision strategies that will reduce recidivism; (b) promote and increase collaboration among agencies and officials who work in probation and related fields; and (c) develop and implement strategies to improve the outcomes of high-risk probationers that can be used throughout the nation.

**Deadline: June 28, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$850,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/BJA/grant/11HOPEsol.pdf>

#### **Remote Monitoring System for Detecting Cocaine Ingestion/Intoxication**

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) requests applications for funding to develop and validate a reliable remote real-time cocaine monitoring system for use by clinical trials researchers testing cocaine dependence treatments. Applications proposing validation of the monitoring system that do not include validation of the monitoring system in cocaine dependent subjects will not be considered responsive to this FOA. Systems will leverage developments in behavioral and/or biometric sensing, mobile and wireless technology (e.g., mHealth) and real time data analysis to detect cocaine use in vivo. Completed systems will include hardware, software, storage and analysis solutions to provide for secure encrypted storage on devices, secure encrypted transmission to a database, and secure researcher interfaces from which data may be aggregated to plot and display data demonstrating clinically meaningful changes in cocaine consumption patterns by individual participants.

**Deadline: June 28, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$300,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-DA-12-007.html>

#### **Engaging Men in Preventing Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking Program - OVW FY 2011**

This solicitation contains information on how to apply for the Engaging Men in Preventing Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking Program (Engaging Men Grant Program). About the OVW Engaging Men in Preventing Sexual Assault, Domestic Violence, Dating Violence, and Stalking Program As the movement to end violence against women continues to evolve, there is increased recognition that developing primary prevention strategies is an essential component of the work. At the same time, many experts agree that it is imperative to involve men and boys in these efforts, if we expect them to succeed. In fact, in a recent national poll, 73% of American men said that they think they can help reduce domestic violence and sexual assault. The Engaging Men Grant Program creates a unique opportunity for OVW to support projects that create public education campaigns and community organizing to encourage men and boys to work as allies with women and girls to prevent sexual assault, domestic violence, dating violence, and stalking. Research shows that programs that simultaneously do community outreach, mobilization and mass-media campaigns are more effectiveness in producing behavior change in men and boys. These efforts will be conducted by community-based, state and tribal entities across the US. This is the first time in

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the history of OVW that a grant program focuses primarily on the prevention of violence against women and girls and acknowledges the critical roles men play in this prevention. The program will support multi-faceted strategies that involve men as allies, active positive bystanders and influencers of other men and boys. The program aims to develop new male leaders in the field, willing to publicly speak and act to oppose violence against women and girls and create a ripple effect, encouraging men in many more states and communities to get involved.

**Deadline: June 30, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$300,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.ovw.usdoj.gov/docs/engaging-men.pdf>

### **Grants to Tribes, Tribal Organizations and Migrant Programs for Community-Based Child Abuse Prevention Programs**

The primary purpose of this funding opportunity announcement is to provide financial support to selected Tribes, Tribal Organizations, and Migrant Programs for child abuse prevention programs and activities that are consistent with the goals outlined by Title II of Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act. This legislation specifies that one percent of the available funding from Title II will be reserved to fund Tribes, Tribal Organizations and Migrant Programs. The goal of the programs and activities supported by these funds is to prevent the occurrence or recurrence of abuse or neglect within the Tribal and Migrant populations. The funds must support more effective and comprehensive child abuse prevention activities and family support services, including an emphasis on strengthening family life and reaching out to include fathers, that will enhance the lives and ensure the safety and well-being of Migrant and Native American children and their families. Some examples of programs that may be funded include, but are not limited to, voluntary home visiting, respite care, parenting education, mutual support, family resource centers, marriage education, and other family support services. Applicants are strongly encouraged to implement evidence-based and evidence-informed programs and practices. The funds must also be used to support an evaluation of the programs and services funded by the grant. Finally, programs funded should develop stronger linkages with the Community-based Child Abuse Prevention Program (CBCAP) State Lead Agency funded under Title II of CAPTA.

**Deadline: July 5, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$138,963**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=xr1tNf9GqRn6Pqw58TyLR7fS6QpTnyBXDhVTwhVTsy8q2BP5KX2r!-760305593?oppld=85653&mode=VIEW>

### **National Field Generated Training, Technical Assistance, and Demonstration Projects - OVC FY 11**

Discretionary grants ranging from \$150,000 to \$300,000 (depending on the focus area) will be awarded to develop or enhance training, technical assistance, promising practices, models, and programs that are national in scope and that either address gaps in the field in the areas of training and technical assistance or develop promising practices, models, or programs through demonstration projects. Funding will be used to improve the capacity of victim service providers and allied practitioners to advance crime

victims' rights and services in the following areas: child pornography, drunk and impaired driving, mortgage fraud, sexual assault within correctional settings, coordinated state-tribal crime victim services, long-term mental health and other consequences of mass violence, services for young male victims of color, using technology to improve and enhance victim services, and lesbian, gay, bisexual, transgender, or queer/questioning crime victims' access to mainstream victim services.

**Deadline: July 5, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$300,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ovc/grants/pdfxtx/FY2011-National-Field-Generated-TTA.pdf>

### **Services for Victims of Human Trafficking - OVC FY 2011**

Multiple discretionary grants of \$200,000 to \$400,000 will be awarded to victim service organizations to provide timely, high-quality services to victims of human trafficking as defined by the Trafficking Victims Protection Act of 2000, as amended, and to enhance interagency collaboration and coordination in the provision of services to such victims. Funding will support either a comprehensive array of services for trafficking victims in specific geographic areas or specialized mental health or legal services over larger geographic areas; as well as efforts to increase the capacity of communities to respond to victims through the development of interagency partnerships and public outreach and awareness campaigns. Grantees must have a demonstrated history of providing trauma-informed, culturally competent services to male and female victims of sex trafficking and labor trafficking. Applicants are limited to victim service organizations with a demonstrated history of providing trauma-informed, culturally competent services to victims of human trafficking. By statute, grants under this program may be awarded to states, units of local government (including federally recognized Indian tribal governments as determined by the Secretary of the Interior), and nonprofit, nongovernmental organizations (including tribal nonprofits). For the purposes of this program, a unit of local government is any city, county, township, town, borough, parish, village, or other general purpose political subdivision of a state.

**Deadline: July 5, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$400,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ovc/grants/pdfxtx/FY2011-Services-Victims-Human-Trafficking.pdf>

### **Transit Security Grant Program (TSGP) - Fiscal Year (FY) 2011**

The TSGP is one tool among a comprehensive set of measures authorized by Congress and implemented by the Administration to help strengthen the nation's critical infrastructure against risks associated with potential terrorist attacks. The TSGP is an important component of the Department's effort to enhance the security of the Nation's critical infrastructure. The program provides funds to owners and operators of transit systems (which include intra-city bus, commuter bus, freight rail, ferries, and all forms of passenger rail) to protect critical surface transportation infrastructure and the traveling public from acts of terrorism, major disasters, and other emergencies. Total Funding Available in FY 2011: \$200,079,000

**Deadline: July 5, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.fema.gov/government/grant/tsgp/>

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### **Evaluation of the Honest Opportunity Probation With Enforcement Demonstration Field Experiment (HOPE DFE)**

As part of a collaborative effort with the Bureau of Justice Assistance (BJA) to implement and rigorously test important criminal justice interventions and programs, NIJ seeks competitive proposals for a single award that will support a multi-site randomized controlled trial (RCT) program evaluation of the HOPE DFE. Jurisdictions across the United States are seeking effective ways to maintain public safety by holding offenders accountable while at the same time reducing costs of imprisonment. A recent NIJ-funded evaluation of the Hawaii Opportunity Probation With Enforcement (HOPE) program showed that the program has great promise for reducing offending and ensuring probationer compliance by combining random drug tests with swift and certain sanctions for probation violations. Based on these positive findings, BJA will fund the expansion of the original HOPE program model implemented in Hawaii to four other sites. Every effort will be made to replicate the original program as closely as possible in the new sites. The demonstration field experiment (DFE) will examine the HOPE program's processes, outcomes, and cost effectiveness through a multi-site study conducted for the explicit purpose of generating evidence about this probation program.

**Deadline: July 6, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://ncjrs.gov/pdffiles1/nij/sI000977.pdf>

### **Defending Childhood Technical Assistance - OJJDP FY 2011**

The Defending Childhood Technical Assistance project will support an organization and/or a consortium of organizations to provide technical assistance to grantees and others during Phase II of the Attorney General's Defending Childhood Initiative. The project will offer education and training, expert consultations, peer-to-peer networking opportunities, resources, and other tailored assistance to effectively respond to diverse communities addressing children's exposure to violence. The project will be administered through a cooperative agreement with the Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) in partnership with the Office for Victims of Crime (OVC), and the Office on Violence Against Women (OVW). The project will assist communities to develop and implement collaborative cross-agency policy, practice, and procedures and will assist communities in identifying evidence-based practices that address children's exposure to violence throughout the developmental age spectrum of 0 through 17. Note: Exposure to violence includes being a victim of violence or a witness to violence and encompasses abuse, neglect or child maltreatment, domestic violence, dating violence, sexual assault and stalking, school violence, and community violence.

**Deadline: July 11, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$100,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do?jsessionid=9DvPNqvD1PBVQ1Bg5mPH7DgBnvP8GJk1V1HLG0p0PpPW83JJQKL1756542808?oppld=96893&mode=VIEW>

### **Second Chance Act Demonstration Field Experiment: Fostering Desistance through Effective Supervision - BJA FY 11**

As part of a collaborative effort with the National Institute of

Justice (NIJ) and the National Institute of Corrections (NIC), BJA seeks proposals to implement and rigorously test important criminal justice interventions and programs as part of a multi-site Demonstration Field Experiment (DFE) on prisoner reentry. The DFE will use a randomized controlled trial program methodology. This multi-site DFE is part of BJA's reentry activities supported with funding under the Second Chance Act of 2007 (SCA) (Pub. L. 110-199). One purpose of the SCA is to generate new evidence about effective solutions for managing the increasing number of people who are released from jail and prison into communities and the subsequent challenges communities face as offenders attempt to reintegrate into society. For information, read the Second Chance Act of 2007. **Deadline: July 11, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$750,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/BJA/grant/11SecondChanceDFEsol.pdf>

### **SBIR E-learning for HAZMAT and Emergency Response**

This funding opportunity announcement (FOA) encourages Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) grant applications from small business concerns (SBCs) that propose to further the development of Advanced Technology Training (ATT) Products for the health and safety training of hazardous materials (HAZMAT) workers, emergency responders, and skilled support personnel. These products would complement the goals and objectives of the Worker Education and Training Program (WETP). The major objective of the NIEHS/WETP is to prevent work related harm by assisting in the training of workers in how best to protect themselves and their communities from exposure to hazardous materials. There is a need to ensure that learning and training technologies are further developed, field tested and applied to real world situations. It is the intent of this FOA to support the development of emerging technologies to improve worker preparedness through training and education enhancements and methodologies, and to support e-collaboration, e-teaching, and e-learning in safety and health training for workers engaged in hazardous materials response. Funding for this initiative comes directly from NIEHS Worker Education and Training Branch SBIR funds.

**Deadline: July 28, 2011**

**Maximum Grant Amount: \$300,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-ES-11-008.html>

### **SPORTS**

#### **Responsible Sports Community Grants -Liberty Mutual**

Any non-profit youth sports organization or educational athletic program can earn a Responsible Sports Community Grant, but an organization can only receive a grant once. Twenty youth sport organizations with the most credited certifications will earn a Responsible Sports Community Grant to help defray the many costs of running a successful youth sports program. But don't think that just because you are a small organization you cannot earn a grant. Organizations are split into three groups or divisions. The divisions for the Spring 2011 Responsible Sports Community Grant program are as follows: Large organizations (100+ players) Compete for one of seven (7) \$2,500 grants Small organizations (under 100 players) Compete for one of seven (7) \$2,500 grants School/educational organizations (school athletic programs) Compete for one of six (6) \$5,000 grants Organizations must be registered non-profit, traditional youth sport organizations

or school athletic programs recognized by the governing bodies of their sport(s). Organizations must serve the community at large and must be open to the public, without bias, prejudice or discrimination regarding participation.

**Deadline: June 13, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$25,000**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.responsiblesports.com/community\\_grants/spread\\_the\\_word.aspx](http://www.responsiblesports.com/community_grants/spread_the_word.aspx)

### **Saucony Run for Good Foundation Grants**

Eligibility: Program participants must be 18 years of age or younger. All proposals must demonstrate the grantee will conduct programs that increase participation in running in order to positively impact the lives of participants. Organizations must provide proof of tax exempt status. Employees or relatives of Saucony, Inc., CBI Performance & Lifestyle Group, and/or any of its affiliates are not eligible to apply and/or receive grants. The Saucony Run For Good Foundation Was Established To Help Combat Childhood Obesity By Providing Financial Support To Community-based Youth Running Programs.

**Deadline: June 13, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$10,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.sauconyrunforgood.com/how-to-apply/>

### **Daniels Fund - Amateur Sports Grants**

The Daniels Fund supports organizations that provide quality youth sports programs. The Daniels Fund places special emphasis on programs that foster increased sportsmanship, confidence, discipline, and teamwork among players and coaches. The Daniels Fund also honors Bill Daniels' direction to support national and international amateur sports competition. Funding areas and focus include: Youth Sports, Community-based Youth Sports Programs, After-School Sports Programs, and Quality Coaching/Training.

**Deadline: Open**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.danielsfund.org/Grants/goals\\_sports.asp](http://www.danielsfund.org/Grants/goals_sports.asp)

## **TRANSPORTATION**

### **Accessible Transit Services for All Populations**

The Federal Transit Administration (FTA) is soliciting proposals that will examine ways to provide ADA complementary paratransit in a more efficient and cost-effective manner, while maintaining compliance with the DOT ADA regulations (49 CFR Parts 27, 37, and 38), and identify those factors that prevent persons with disabilities from using the regular accessible fixed-route system. FTA has budgeted up to \$500,000 for this project. FTA will accept applications targeting the following activities: These factors can include the reliability and availability of an accessible fixed-route system and environmental barriers that prevent travel to and from boarding points. The research will analyze operational practices, and assess the cost savings and effectiveness of the practices and their relationship to increased fixed-route use by riders with disabilities. Practices assessed will include (1) implementing various types of paratransit eligibility processes, including conditional eligibility; (2) surveying and improving bus stops and path of travel to bus stops and stations; (3) incorporating travel training; (4) incorporating feeder service; and (5) assessing and ensuring fixed-route accessibility, including elevator and lift maintenance and stop announcements/route identification. Addi-

tional practices that promote the use of technology, examine scheduling and operating services, cost savings and enhanced mobility, and best practices or management of contracting services may be identified during the project.

**Deadline: June 16, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$500,000**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.fta.dot.gov/funding/grants\\_financing\\_7829.html](http://www.fta.dot.gov/funding/grants_financing_7829.html)

### **OSDBU's Small Business Transportation Resource Center (SBTRC) under the Minority Resource Center (MRC) Program**

The Department of Transportation (DOT), Office of the Secretary (OST), Office of Small and Disadvantaged Business Utilization (OSDBU) announces the opportunity for; 1) business centered community-based organizations; 2) transportation-related trade associations; 3) colleges and universities; 4) community colleges or; 5) chambers of commerce, registered with the Internal Revenue Service as 501 C(6) or 501 C(3) tax exempt organizations, to compete for participation in OSDBU's Small Business Transportation Resource Center (SBTRC) program in the West Central Region. OSDBU will enter into Cooperative Agreements with these organizations to outreach to the small business community in their designated region and provide financial and technical assistance, business training programs, such as, business assessment, management training, counseling, technical assistance, marketing and outreach, and the dissemination of information, to encourage and assist small businesses to become better prepared to compete for, obtain, and manage DOT funded transportation-related contracts and subcontracts at the federal, state and local levels. Throughout this notice, the term small business will refer to: 8(a), small disadvantaged businesses (SDB), disadvantaged business enterprises (DBE), women owned small businesses (WOSB), HubZone, service disabled veteran owned businesses (SDVOB), and veteran owned small businesses (VOSB).

**Deadline: June 17, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$135,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=kqp1NgfMgNgQFTbXJCqzKrM9fLwlrcvpy7YcCp64f8pcXYJBQyy4!756542808?oppld=97015&mode=VIEW>

### **Advanced Steel and Concrete Bridge Technology to Improve Infrastructure Performance**

The purpose of this RFA is to solicit applications for a cooperative agreement to support the development and deployment of improvements in the area of steel and concrete bridge technology.

**Deadline: June 20, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$2,760,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.grants.gov/search/search.do;jsessionid=mSJ8NWJWIQ7mQ9js7lvQ2FLLtsp5Vb8XZd6Cgyryhzpl2j2JGZbV!505166326?mode=VIEWREVISIONS&revNum=0>

### **Transportation Development Act Grants**

SANBAG is issuing a call for projects for the Transportation Development Act Article 3 Bicycle and Pedestrian Facilities and the Transportation Development Act Transit Stop Access Improvement programs. SANBAG anticipates approximately \$4,600,000 available for the two programs with 80% of the funding available to the Bicycle and Pedestrian Facilities program and 20% available to the Transit Stop Access Pro-

gram. These grants are competitive and open to any jurisdiction or transit agency within the San Bernardino County.

**Deadline: June 29 2011**

**Grant Link (Pedestrian and Bicycle Facilities):** [http://www.sanbag.ca.gov/06-29-11\\_BRD1105c1-rpg.doc](http://www.sanbag.ca.gov/06-29-11_BRD1105c1-rpg.doc)

**Grant Link (Transit Stop Access Improvement):** [http://www.sanbag.ca.gov/06-29-11\\_BRD1105c2-rpg.doc](http://www.sanbag.ca.gov/06-29-11_BRD1105c2-rpg.doc)

#### **Job Access Reverse Commute (JARC) grant**

The JARC program goal is to improve access to transportation services to employment and employment related activities for welfare recipients and eligible low-income individuals and to transport residents of urbanized areas and non-urbanized areas to suburban employment opportunities. This is only for projects in the urbanized area of the San Bernardino Valley and Victor Valley. Towards this goal, FTA provides financial assistance for transportation services planned, designed, and carried out to meet the transportation needs of eligible low-income individuals in all areas. Another goal is to implement coordination of federally assisted programs and services in order to make the most efficient use of federal resources. FTA ELIGIBLE LOW-INCOME INDIVIDUAL — The term 'eligible low-income individual' means an individual whose family income is at or below 150 percent of the poverty line (as that term is defined in section 673(2) of the Community Services Block Grant Act for a family of the size involved. Total funding available: \$7,217,403.

**Deadline: July 1, 2011**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.sanbag.ca.gov/07-01-11\\_JARC-NF-GrantApp.doc](http://www.sanbag.ca.gov/07-01-11_JARC-NF-GrantApp.doc)

#### **VETERANS**

##### **VA National Cemetery Administration State Cemetery Grant Program**

Eligible applicants are state governments and Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized). Grants are available to assist states, territories, and federally recognized tribal governments for funding up to 100 percent of projects to establish expand or improve state owned and operated veterans' cemeteries.

**Deadline: July 1, 2011**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.cem.va.gov/pdf/Inst\\_appl\\_grants.pdf](http://www.cem.va.gov/pdf/Inst_appl_grants.pdf)

##### **McCormick Foundation: McCormick Veterans Program**

The McCormick Veterans Program honors the service of America's veterans by supporting nonprofit organizations that assist veterans in overcoming their unique challenges and successfully re-entering life at home and work. Grants of \$5,000 to \$250,000 are provided to organizations that focus on one of the following five key areas relevant to veterans: mental health (including traumatic brain injury, Post Traumatic Stress Disorder, and traumatic injuries); family issues (including psychological support for family members of veterans suffering from injuries); shelter and homelessness (including programs to help homeless veterans or provide special needs housing); job and career development (including job training, counseling, and resume preparation); and legal challenges facing our veterans.

**Letters of inquiry may be submitted throughout the year.**

**Grant Link:** [http://www.mccormickfoundation.org/veteransprogram/veterans\\_program.aspx](http://www.mccormickfoundation.org/veteransprogram/veterans_program.aspx)

#### **YOUTH**

##### **National T&TA Center for Truancy Prevention and Intervention - OJJDP FY 2011**

OJJDP seeks to establish a national training and technical assistance center that will advance the understanding and application of promising and evidence-based truancy prevention and intervention strategies and programs. The center will accomplish its mission through a broad range of activities, including training and technical assistance; information dissemination; collaboration with researchers and program developers; partnership with federal, state, and local agencies; policy development; and other leadership functions. The center will also assist OJJDP and the Office for Safe and Drug Free Schools (U.S. Department of Education) in establishing a new truancy prevention/intervention demonstration program, planned for launch in FY 2012.

**Deadline: July 11, 2011**

**Maximum Grant: \$400,000**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.ojjdp.gov/grants/solicitations/FY2011/T&TACenterforTruancy.pdf>

##### **DO SOMETHING! After School Grants**

School is back in session, but sometimes it's what kids do after school that makes the biggest impact on their lives. Do Something and JCPenney have teamed up to support youth-led after school programs and projects across the country. How much? Ten \$500 grants and five grand prize \$1,000 grants. Types of projects this grant funds: Projects started by young people who are providing after school activities that help youth in their community.

**Deadline: September 15, 2011**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.dosomething.org/grants/afterschool>

##### **James Irvine Foundation Linked Learning Grant**

The goal of the Youth program is to increase the number of low-income youth in California who complete high school on time and attain a postsecondary credential by the age of 25. Irvine seeks to transform high school education in California by making Linked Learning available to a majority of low-income youth and across all socioeconomic groups. Our plan begins with developing and refining the Linked Learning approach, demonstrating its viability at the school and district levels and scaling up for statewide adoption of comprehensive Linked Learning systems.

**Deadline: Open (LOI)**

**Grant Link:** <http://www.irvine.org/grantmaking/our-programs/youth>

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