# SCHOOL HEALTH FUNDING

Could you use more equipment or funds for your school clinic? The information below provides funding opportunities for school systems and organizations that serve school-age populations. The information is organized in four sections:

- Physical Activity Grants
- Nutrition Grants
- Obesity Prevention Grants (Physical Activity and Nutrition)
- Wellness and Health Education

The grants below were found from some of the following sources:

- Grants.gov
- The Spark Grant Finder
- Grantsalerts.com
- The Foundation Center
- The Center for Health and Health Care in Schools

# **Physical Activity**

# **After School/Physical Education Grants**

Organization: Safeway Foundation

Website: <a href="http://www.safewayfoundation.org/get-funded/how-we-fund.html">http://www.safewayfoundation.org/get-funded/how-we-fund.html</a>

Purpose: The Safeway Foundation supports numerous youth development organizations as well as a broad range of after-school and physical education programs. Local grants are reviewed biannually. For grant requests that are national or multi-regional in scope, requests are reviewed on a quarterly basis.

Award Amount: \$2,500 - \$10,000

## **Batters Up USA Equipment Grant**

Organization: Batters Up USA

Website: http://www.battersupusa.org/Equipment.html

Purpose: The Batters Up USA Equipment grant provides baseball/softball equipment, primarily bats, balls, tee ball sets, helmets, catcher's gear, and bases to local organizations serving girls and boys up to age 13.

Eligibility: Recreational programs serving boys and girls up to age 13; preference is given to programs serving a high percentage of youth in need.

Award: Equipment as available

#### **Billion Mile Race Grants**

Organization: New Balance Foundation

Website: <a href="http://www.billionmilerace.org/grants#rules">http://www.billionmilerace.org/grants#rules</a>

Description: Grant opportunities for schools integrating walking and running into the school day. Check website for specific details on the different grants offered: Kickstart, Innovation, Leadership grants.

Eligibility: Preference given to schools with high percentage of low income students

Award Amounts: Fifty \$500 microgrants

# **Fitness Program Grants**

**Organization: Good Sports** 

Website: http://www.goodsports.org/equipment/apply/

Purpose: Provides athletic equipment, footwear, and apparel to disadvantaged young people nationwide.

Award Amount: Vary

Funding Cycle: Annually - Check Website

#### **Finish Line Youth Foundation Grants**

Organization: The Finish Line Youth Foundation

Website: http://www.finishline.com/store/youthfoundation/guidelines.jsp

Purpose: The Finish Line Youth Foundation supports youth programs that are effective and inclusive, funding opportunities for participation in youth programs that place an importance on youth development and an active lifestyle.

Award Amount: \$1,000 - \$5,000; additional may be available for special circumstances

#### Go!Grants

Organization: Kids in the Game

Website: https://www.kidsinthegame.org/go-grant-school-activity-grants/#sf\_form\_salesforce\_w2l\_lead\_2

Purpose: Grants are awarded to schools committed to increasing physical activity and encouraging students

to live active and healthy lives.

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

Deadline: Check website for 2017 deadline

## Hasbro Local Grant Making/ Be Fearless Be Kind

Organization: Hasbro

Website: <a href="http://www.hasbro.com/corporate/community-relations/gifts-of-hope.cfm">http://www.hasbro.com/corporate/community-relations/gifts-of-hope.cfm</a>

Purpose: This grant is designed to aid in providing play for children who otherwise would not be able to

experience that joy.

Funding Cycle: Check website

Award Amount: Varies

# Let's Move! Active Schools Enrollment and Progress Incentives

Organization: Let's Move! Active Schools

Website: http://www.letsmoveschools.org

Purpose: Enrollment incentives are discounts designed to make it easier for schools to purchase physical education/physical activity equipment, program materials, training, and professional memberships. Progress incentives are designed to encourage schools to make progress on their Action Plan.

Award Amount: Variety of discounts and equipment/materials/training prizes

Funding Cycle: Quarterly for Progress Incentives, Rolling opportunities for Enrollment Incentives

Contact Info: <a href="mailto:help@letsmoveschools.org">help@letsmoveschools.org</a>

# **Let's Play Grant**

Organization: Playful City USA

Program/Grant: Let's Play Grant Program

Website: https://kaboom.org/grants

Purpose: Funds to be used for the purchase of playground equipment that will be built using the KaBOOM!

Community-build-model. A variety of grant options are listed on the website.

Funding Cycle: Check website

Award Amount: \$20,000

Eligibility: Non-profits and government subdivisions. Must purchase equipment from KaBOOM! preferred

vendor and use online tools. This is a challenge grant. See website for further details.

Contact info: apply@kaboom.org; 202-464-6195

## Miracle's Grants for America's School's Program

Organization: Miracle Recreation Equipment Company

Website: <a href="http://www.miracle-recreation.com/">http://www.miracle-recreation.com/</a>

Purpose: \$5 million in Miracle's Grant Fund Program, which funds the purchase of Miracle playground

equipment and installation.

Funding Cycle: Check website

Award Amount: Unspecified

Eligibility: Applicants must coordinate with Miracle representative to complete and submit application.

Contact info: 888-458-2752

# **Run for Good Grant**

Organization: Saucony

Program/Grant: Run for Good

Website: <a href="http://www.saucony.com/en/runforgood/">http://www.saucony.com/en/runforgood/</a>

Purpose: Improve lives of children by preventing and reducing childhood obesity and promoting healthy

lifestyles for youth.

Funding Cycle: Check website

Award Amount: \$10.000

Deadline: June 15 and December 15

Eligibility: Varies

#### **Safe Routes to School**

Organization: Safe Routes to School National Partnership

Website: <a href="http://saferoutespartnership.org/">http://saferoutespartnership.org/</a>

Purpose: A network of more than 400 nonprofit organizations, government agencies, schools, and professionals working together to advance the Safe Routes to School (SRTS) movement in the United States. SRTS can provide a variety of important benefits to children and their communities, including increasing physical activity, reducing traffic congestion, improving air quality, and enhancing neighborhood safety. Visit the SRTS website for updates on current national and state grants.

Award Amount: Award amounts vary

Deadline: Deadlines vary by state - check website

#### **U.S. Soccer Foundation Grants**

Organization: U.S. Soccer Foundation

Website: http://www.ussoccerfoundation.org/our-grants/

Purpose: The U.S. Soccer Foundation awards Program Grants (annually) and Safe Places to Play Grants

(rolling basis) to support soccer programs and field-building initiatives throughout the nation.

Program Grants Funding Cycle:

- Annually in the Fall; Applications available September- October

# **Nutrition**

### **Annie's Grants for Gardens**

Organization: Annie's Homegrown

Website: http://www.annies.com/giving-back/school-gardens/grants-for-gardens

Purpose: These grants for school gardens are aimed at connecting children directly to real food and can be

used to purchase gardening tools, seeds, or other needed supplies.

Award Amount: \$2,500 for new grantees (30 schools) and \$5,000 for returning grantees (3 schools)

Funding Cycle: Annual

Deadline: Check website

# **Golden Carrot Award**

Organization: Physicians Committee for Responsible Medicine

Website: http://www.pcrm.org/health/healthy-school-lunches/carrot

Description: The Golden Carrot recognizes food service professionals doing an exceptional job of improving healthfulness of school lunches. The Physicians Committee looks for programs offering lots of fresh fruits

and vegetables as well as vegetarian and whole grain options.

Eligibility: School food service programs

Award Amount: \$3,000 Grand Prize, up to 4 Runner-Up awards of up to \$1,000

Funding Cycle: Annual

Deadline: July 2017

## **No Child Hungry Grant**

Organization: No Child Hungry Foundation

Website: http://www.nokidhungry.org/solution/community-investments

Purpose: Providing students access to healthy and nutritious meals is the focus of No Kid Hungry Foundation grants. Currently, the foundation supports projects that increase access to summer meal programs, school breakfast and after-school snacks and meals. Plus, advocacy efforts, including anti-hunger issues and needs and educating families about SNAP and the Women, Infants, and Children programs. Interested schools can submit letters of inquiry year-round.

**Funding Cycle: Summer Programming** 

Award Amount: Average grants range from \$5,000 to \$10,000.

Eligibility: Non-profits and schools with preference given to schools located within a 50 mile radius of a

Jamba Juice store

## **Project Produce**

Organization: Healthy Skoop and Chef Ann Foundation

Website: http://www.chefannfoundation.org/programs/project-produce

Purpose: The goal is to get more vegetables and fruits in front of school age children while educating

students on nutrition in hopes of positive behavior change.

Award Amount: \$2,500

Funding Cycle: Open and ongoing

Deadline: None

### **School Gardens Grants**

Organization: Whole Kids Foundation

Website: http://www.wholekidsfoundation.org/gardengrants.php

Purpose: School gardens are a vital educational tool. Every seed planted sprouts a new opportunity for kids to cultivate healthy eating habits. Teaching kids to garden promotes learning about complex topics like sustainability and conservation, food systems, and community awareness, not to mention an appreciation

for food from seed to plate.

Funding Cycle: Check website, additional grants available throughout the year

Award Amount: Unspecified

Eligibility: Unspecified

#### **Sodexo Foundation Youth Grants**

Organization: Youth Service America and Sodexo Foundation

Website: http://www.ysa.org/sodexoyouth

Purpose: These grants are available for turning ideas into action; specifically these grants are targeted

towards youth-led community service projects designed to address childhood hunger.

Award Amount: \$400, multiple awards available

Eligibility: Youth ages 5-25 that live in the United States

# USDA McGovern-Dole International Food for Education and Child Nutrition Program

Organization: USDA

Website: <a href="https://apps.fas.usda.gov/fais/public">https://apps.fas.usda.gov/fais/public</a>

Purpose: The McGovern-Dole International Food for Education and Child Nutrition Program (McGovern-Dole) provides for the financial and technical assistance to improve the education, food security, and health of school-age children, especially girls in developing countries. U.S. agreements with private voluntary organizations, cooperatives, intergovernmental organizations and foreign governments who implement the school feeding and educational improvement projects.

#### The Wal-Mart Foundation

Organization: Wal-Mart

Website: http://foundation.walmart.com/apply-for-grants/local-giving

Purpose: The Wal-Mart Foundation supports programs and initiatives addressing hunger relief & healthy eating; sustainability; women's economic empowerment; and career opportunity. Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations, K-12 schools, church or faith based organizations, and government entities are eligible to apply.

Award Amount: \$250 - \$2,500

Deadline: Check website

#### Youth Garden Grant

Organization: National Garden Association (NGA)

Website: http://www.kidsgardening.com/YGG.asp

Purpose: National Garden Association (NGA) awards Youth Garden Grants to schools and community

organizations with child-centered garden programs.

Funding Cycle: Check website

Award Amount: \$500 one time, additional grants available throughout the year

Deadline: Check website

Eligibility: Schools, youth groups, community centers, camps, clubs, treatment facilities, and intergenerational groups throughout the United States are eligible. Applicants must plan to garden with at

least 15 children between the ages of 3 and 18 years.

# **Obesity Prevention**

# **Aetna Healthy Eating Active Living Grants**

Organization: Aetna Foundation: Regional Grants

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

Purpose: The Aetna Foundation Regional Grants Program – GoLocal: Cultivating Healthy Communities – funds community wellness initiatives aligned with Healthy Eating and Active Living focus area in designated funding locations. Grants will support local initiatives that promote eating fresh fruits and vegetables and being physically active, to prevent obesity and many chronic health conditions. Grants will target underserved, low-income and minority communities.

Award Amount: \$25,000-50,000

Funding Cycle: Check website

Deadline: Check website

### **CDC Grants for Health and Physical Activity**

Organization: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Program/Grant: Database of grants for health and physical activity

Website: http://www.cdc.gov/stltpublichealth/GrantsFunding/

Purpose: Decrease childhood obesity get kids active 60 min a day

Funding Cycle: Check website

**Award Amount: Varies** 

Eligibility: Varies

# **Champions for Healthy Kids Academy Nutrition & Dietetics**

Organization: Academy of Nutrition and Dietetics

Website: http://www.eatright.org/foundation/championgrants/

Purpose: Promoting healthy lifestyles for kids and families

Award Amount: \$20,000

Funding Cycle: Currently unavailable, check website for updates

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations, health departments, government agencies, schools, Native American

Tribes Contact Info: Katie Brown – 800-877-1600, Ext. 4847, kbrown@eatright.org

## **Child Obesity Demonstration Project 2.0**

Organization: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion Extramural Research Program Office, National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion

Website: http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html

Funding Opportunity Number: RFA-DP-16-004

Purpose: The grant intends to test a model of quality clinical care addressing childhood obesity for U.S. low

income children, specifically those enrolled in CHIP or Medicaid.

Eligibility: Check website, many categories of eligible applicants including independent school districts

Award Amount: up to \$1,750,000, 2 expected award recipients

# **Children's Obesity Fund Grant Program**

Organization: Children's Obesity Fund

Website: <a href="http://www.childrensobesityfund.org/grantfundraising-fag/">http://www.childrensobesityfund.org/grantfundraising-fag/</a>

Purpose: The Children's Obesity Fund is interested in matching the fundraising efforts of any organization

aligned with their vision of fighting childhood obesity.

Award Amount: To be determined by need and amount requested

Funding Cycle: Ongoing

Eligibility: Typically non-profit organizations, but open to reviewing all applicants

# Fuel Up to Play 60

Organization: National Football League

Website: <a href="https://www.fueluptoplay60.com/funding/general-information">https://www.fueluptoplay60.com/funding/general-information</a>

Purpose: NFL Movement for an Active Generation

Funding Cycle: Two times a year. Deadlines in November and June

Award Amount: \$4,000

Eligibility: Schools, applications must contain both Healthy Eating and Physical Activity Plans

## **Healthier US School Challenge**

Organization: USDA Food and Nutrition Service

Website: http://www.fns.usda.gov/tn/team-nutrition

Purpose: A voluntary certification initiative established in 2004 to recognize those schools participating in the National School Lunch Program that have created healthier school environments through promotion of nutrition and physical activity. Monetary incentive awards are available for each HUSSC award level: Bronze, Silver, Gold, and Gold Award of Distinction. Schools can submit an application at any time during the year.

Award Amount: \$500 - \$2000

Deadline: Rolling

# **Healthy Kids Healthy Families**

Organization: Health Care Service Corporation

Website: <a href="http://hcsc.com/grants.html">http://hcsc.com/grants.html</a>

Purpose: Grants are intended to aid organizations with a goal of improving the health and wellness of children and their families through nutrition, physical activity, disease prevention and management, or supporting safe environments.

Eligibility: Organization holding a 501(c)(3) tax status and directly impacting individuals in either Illinois,

Montana, New Mexico, Oklahoma, or Texas

Funding Cycle: Check website in Spring 2017 for the next funding cycle

# **Healthy Habits**

Organization: MetLife Foundation

Website: https://www.metlife.com/about/corporate-responsibility/metlife-foundation/index.html

Purpose: MetLife Foundation supports projects to empower people to lead healthy, productive lives and strengthen communities. The Foundation makes grants in health, education, civic affairs and culture. Underlying the Foundation's programs is a focus on education at all ages and a commitment to increasing access and opportunity. The Healthy Habits program seeks to promote healthy habits and physical fitness for illness prevention, especially among children.

Award Amount: Award amounts vary

Deadline: Rolling. Requests are accepted and reviewed throughout the year.

#### **Humana Foundation Grants**

Organization: Humana Foundation

Website: <a href="https://www.humanafoundation.org/">https://www.humanafoundation.org/</a>

Purpose: To support an organization that is focused on initiatives in Childhood health - supporting efforts that improve physical activity and nutritional habits of children and families; Intergenerational health - fostering shared, healthy activities between generations or Active lifestyles - promoting fun, physically active living as a way of life. We accept proposals from nonprofit 501(c)(3) organizations in areas where Humana has business presence. San Antonio is a 2016 focus area.

Award Amount: Prefer greater than \$10,000

#### Michael and Susan Dell Foundation

Website: <a href="http://www.msdf.org/">http://www.msdf.org/</a>

Purpose: The Michael & Susan Dell Foundation's primary goal is to support and initiate programs that directly serve the needs of children living in urban poverty. Priority is given to initiatives addressing children's health, education, and microfinance, as well as initiatives in India and Central Texas that specifically address the needs of children. The Foundation is determined to reverse the trend in childhood obesity by supporting national school-based programs that engage teachers, students and their community in healthy eating choices and regular physical activity. To apply for a grant, go to www.MSDF.org and then to the Grants tab.

Award Amount: Award amounts vary

Deadline: Deadlines vary by application

### National Collaboration to Support Health, Wellness and Academic Success of School-Age Children

Organization: Department of Health and Human Services, National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion

Website: http://www.grants.gov/search-grants.html?fundingCategories%3DHL%7CHealth

Funding Opportunity Number: CDC-RFA-DP16-1601

Purpose: This grant is for promoting and implementing evidence-based policies, practices, and programs in

five school health priority areas.

Award Amount: Five awards each between \$300,000 and \$600,000

### Oliver Foundation's Health Choices Grants -

Website: <a href="http://www.oliverfoundation.org/pro\_Grants.html">http://www.oliverfoundation.org/pro\_Grants.html</a>

Description: The Oliver Foundation is offering Level 1 and Level 2 Healthy Choices grants. Level 1 grants are awarded for a single school year or a summer program to campus-level, grade-level, teacher and summer

programs. Programs that meet the Level 1 requirements will be considered for a \$750-\$3000 grant award. Level 2 grants are awarded for a two-year or longer program and are intended to create a long-term sustainable program at the campus level. Programs that meet the Level 2 requirements will be considered for a \$3000 to \$5,000 grant award.

Deadline: Rolling - April 15th, July 15th, October 15th

# **School Grants for Healthy Kids**

Organization: Action for Healthy Kids

Website: http://www.actionforhealthykids.org/tools-for-schools/apply-for-grants#PA

Description: A variety of School Breakfast grants and Every Kid Healthy grants are listed on the website to

assist school with high need.

Eligibility: Varies by grant, some are open to schools in all states, some are limited to specific states – check

website – focus on high need schools serving students receiving free/reduced lunch

Award Amount: Ranges from \$500-\$3,000

Deadlines: Check website for 2017 updates

# School Nutrition and Physical Activity Policies, Obesogenic Behaviors and Weight Outcomes

Organization: Department of Health and Human Services

Website: http://www.grants.gov/search-grants.html?fundingCategories%3DHL%7CHealth

Funding Opportunity Number: PA-13-098, PA-13-099, PA-13-100

Purpose: Research Project Grant fostering the evaluation of how policies can influence school physical activity and nutrition environments, youths obesogenic behaviors and weight outcomes as well as how school are implementing such policies.

Award Amount: \$50,000-\$200,000; contingent upon NIH appropriations

# **Voices for Healthy Kids Request for Award**

Organization: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, American Heart Association

Website: http://www.heart.org/HEARTORG/Advocate/Voices-for-Healthy-

Kids UCM 453195 SubHomePage.jsp

Purpose: Voices for Healthy Kids is a new collaboration between the American Heart Association and the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation working to engage, organize and mobilize people to improve the health of their communities and reverse the childhood obesity epidemic. Voices for Healthy Kids Strategic Campaign Fund is awarding grants with a mix of lobbying and non-lobbying resources to support strategic issue advocacy campaigns focused on fighting childhood obesity through state, local, and tribal public policy campaigns aligned with the Voices for Healthy Kids policy priorities. Applications will be evaluated by an

independent review committee and announcement of awards will be made approximately 6-8 weeks after submission.

Award Amount: \$90,000 for 6 awards

Eligibility: Awards are available for 501(c)(3) organizations to support strategic issue advocacy campaigns

focused on fighting childhood obesity aligned with six advocacy priorities.

Deadline: Rolling

# **Wellness and Health Education**

# **Carol M. White Physical Education Program Grant**

Organization: U.S. Department of Education

Website: <a href="http://insightgrants.com/january-2015-pep-grant-program-update-additonal-grant-opportunities/">http://insightgrants.com/january-2015-pep-grant-program-update-additonal-grant-opportunities/</a>

Purpose: The Carol M. White Physical Education Program (PEP) provides grants to school districts and community-based organizations to initiate, expand, or enhance physical education and nutrition programs, including after-school, for students in kindergarten through 12th grade. SPARK has worked with many successful PEP grant recipients to implement standards-based and field-tested physical education and nutrition programs, and we would love to help your district reach your PEP grant goals.

Award Amount: \$100,000 - \$750,000

Deadline: Funding not yet received for fiscal year 2017, check website for updates

# **CVS Community Grants for School Wellness and Prevention Programs**

Organization: CVS Caremark

Website: https://www.cvshealth.com/social-responsibility

Purpose: To provide much-needed access to health care for underserved populations; wellness and prevention programs that are aimed at helping people achieve their best health, including programs in

public schools.

Funding Cycle: Check website

Award Amount: \$5,000

Eligibility: All nonprofit organizations applying for a Community Grant for this type of program ARE

REQUIRED to provide their EIN number as part of the eligibility quiz.

Contact Info: Regional Contacts on website

## **Esping Family Foundation Grant**

Organization: Esping Family Foundation

Website: http://www.espingfamilyfoundation.org/grant-guidelines/

Purpose: These grants are intended to help people and institutions of Dallas, Texas to help themselves and future generations. Grant categories include education, human services, health, and arts and culture with high interest areas of K-12 educational outcomes, children and families, and youth development.

Eligibility: public entities or 501(c)(3) charities serving the people of Texas

Funding Cycle: Biannual, Spring/Fall

Deadlines: April 1st (LOI February 1st) and October 1st (LOI July 15th), foundation will notify applicants to

proceed to application phase only if LOI has been selected

# Healthy Habits: Timing for Developing Sustainable Healthy Behaviors in Children and Adolescents

Organization: Department of Health and Human Services, National Institutes of Health

Website: http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html

Funding Opportunity Number: PA-14-176, PA-14-177

Description: This funding opportunity seeks to encourage applications that employ innovative research to identify mechanisms of influence and/or promote positive sustainable health behavior(s) in children and youth (birth to age 21). Applications should target social and cultural factors, including, but not limited to: schools, families, communities, population, food industry, age-appropriate learning tools and games, social media, social networking, technology and mass media.

Award Amount: \$200,000; application budgets need to reflect the actual needs of the proposed project; number of awards is contingent upon NIH appropriations and quantity of meritorious applications.

Funding Cycle: Determined by scope of project, maximum of 5 years; renewal, new, and resubmission all

eligible

Deadline: May 7, 2017

# **Healthy Kids Innovation Grant**

Organization: Whole Kids Foundation

Website: <a href="https://www.wholekidsfoundation.org/index.php/health-kids-innovation">https://www.wholekidsfoundation.org/index.php/health-kids-innovation</a>

Purpose: In partnership with United Health Foundation, Whole Kids Foundation is launching a new grant program supporting the next generation of innovative ideas in children's health & nutrition, aiming to bring together multi-sector leaders in food, health, fitness and technology in support of the next big idea.

Award Amount: \$15,000-\$25,000

Deadline: Check website

## **Healthy Living Grant Program**

Organization: American Medical Association Foundation

Website: <a href="http://www.ama-assn.org/ama/pub/about-ama/ama-foundation/our-programs/public-">http://www.ama-assn.org/ama/pub/about-ama/ama-foundation/our-programs/public-</a>

health/healthy-living-grants.page

Description: The Healthy Living Grant Program supports health education programs to develop school and

community-based solutions to behavioral health challenges.

Funding Cycle: Annual

Deadline: Check website

# **Kellogg Foundation Grants**

Organization: Kellogg Foundation

Program/Grant: Various grants in their focus areas

Website: http://www.wkkf.org/grants/for-grantseekers.aspx

Purpose: Educated kids, healthy kids, secure families, racial equity, and civic engagement.

Funding Cycle: Rolling

Award Amount: Varies

Eligibility: Your organization or institution, as well as the purpose of the proposed project, must qualify

under regulations of the United States Internal Revenue Service

# **Reducing Health Disparities among Minority and Underserved Children**

Organization: Department of Health and Human Services, National Institutes of Health

Website: http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-14-034.html

Funding Opportunity Number: PA-14-034

Purpose: This initiative encourages research that targets the reduction of health disparities among children. Specific targeted areas of research include bio-behavioral studies that incorporate multiple factors that

influence child health disparities.

Eligibility: check website, many categories of availability including independent school districts

Award Ceiling: \$200,000

## **RGK Foundation Grant Program**

Organization: RGK Foundation

Website: http://www.rgkfoundation.org/public/guidelines

Purpose: RGK Foundation awards grants in the broad areas of Education, Community, and Health/Medicine with an emphasis on formal K-12 education (particularly mathematics, science and reading), teacher development, literacy, and higher education. The Foundation's current interests in the area of Health/Medicine include programs that promote the health and well-being of children, programs that promote access to health services, and Foundation-initiated programs focusing on ALS.

Funding Cycle: Rolling, review committee meets three time a year for all requests greater than \$100,000 (March, June, September)

## **Small Grant Program**

Organization: Captain Planet Foundation

Website: http://captainplanetfoundation.org/apply-for-grants/

Purpose: These grants are intended to promote hand-on environmental stewardship opportunities for youth, serve as a catalyst to getting environmental-based education in schools, and inspire youth and communities to community service through environmental stewardship activities.

Eligibility: most schools and non-profit organizations, Captain Planet Foundation primarily awards grants to school districts with an annual operating budget of less than \$3 million

Award Amount: \$500-2,500

Funding Cycle: Biannual

Deadline: typically January 31st and September 30<sup>th</sup>

#### Other Grants:

# **American Academy of Dermatology Shade Structure Grants**

The AAD Shade Structure Grant Program awards grants of up to \$8,000 to public schools and non-profit organizations for installing permanent shade structures for outdoor locations that are not protected from the sun, such as playgrounds, pools or recreation spaces. **The 2017 grants cycle opens on September 1, 2016.** Learn more at the American Academy of Dermatology

## **Disney Summer of Service Grants**

Disney Summer of Service grants will offer young (5-18) change-makers \$500 to gather their friends and turn creative ideas into projects that will positively impact their communities. Three hundred and forty winners will be awarded individual \$500 grants to implement their projects. Select grantees will have a chance to be recognized by Disney ABC Television Group or their local ABC affiliate. Learn more about Disney Summer of Service grants.

#### **Grant Watch**

Grant Watch makes it simple for small businesses and nonprofits to find the funding opportunities from among thousands of unique and current grants. With the largest detailed listing of the newest nonprofit grants and grants for government agencies, small businesses, and individuals Grant Watch is the ideal place for locating funding opportunities. Find grants at GrantWatch.com.

#### Lowe's Toolbox For Education

Lowe's Charitable and Educational Foundation recognizes the importance of financial support at public schools and public school parent/teacher groups. The <u>Toolbox for Education Grant</u> offers grants up to \$5,000 for projects with facility enhancement that can create long-lasting impact while helping increase parent involvement and build stronger community spirit. Learn more at <u>Toolbox for Education</u>.

The Fall 2016 application period is closed. The Spring 2017 grant cycle will open on December 18, 2016 and close on February 9, 2017.

#### **RWJF Culture of Health Prize**

The <u>RWJF Culture of Health Prize</u> honors and elevates U.S. communities that are making great strides in their journey toward better health. Winning applicants will receive up to \$25,000 and have their stories and successes celebrated broadly, inspiring others toward locally-driven change.

Judges will look to see that applicant communities are taking action across health behaviors, clinical care, social and economic factors, and the physical environment.

The deadline to apply is November 03, 2016 at 3:00 p.m. ET.

# Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math (STEM) Grant Opportunities

<u>STEMfinity</u> compiles hundreds of grant opportunities from both federal and state sources to support STEM learning. <u>Visit STEMfinity.com to review their listed opportunities</u>.

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