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Grant Information Resource Center (GIRC). The Grant Information Resource Center (GIRC) registration form is now live on OPGS' website. The GIRC provides technical assistance and information about resources that improve community services in the District of Columbia for its "customers" - District government, nonprofit, and faith-based representatives. The primary focus is to assist customers who either lack computer access or the knowledge to best use their existing computer technology to strengthen their organizations. The GIRC is open Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays, 10 a.m.-12 p.m. and 2 p.m.-4 p.m., by appointment only. For additional information call 202-727-8900.



Funding Alert: If you would like to post a **free event/resource announcement** in the Funding Alert, contact Pat Henry at <u>pat.henry@dc.gov</u>. All back issues of the funding alert can be found at <u>www.opgs.dc.gov</u>.

District Grants Clearinghouse: District agency grant opportunities are listed in the Funding Alert. These opportunities can be found on the Office of Partnerships and Grant Services website at www.opgs.dc.gov. All information that should be posted to the Clearinghouse should be sent to dc.gov.

State Single Point of Contact (SPOC): The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services is the DC SPOC. The application is available online on OPGS's website at www.opgs.dc.gov select State Single Point of Contact. If you need additional information call Pat Henry at (202) 727-0946.

Contracting Opportunities with the District of Columbia Government: If you are interested in business/contracting opportunities with the District of Columbia Government visit the Office of Contracts and Procurement website at www.ocp.dc.gov and follow these instructions: click on "Solicitation"; click on "List All Opportunities" and finally click on "Electronic Solicitations". For additional information contact Ajaya.Damireddy@dc.gov

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Government of the District of Columbia Opportunities

Electronic Grants Clearinghouse

The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services is the clearinghouse for the Government of the District of Columbia's grant programs. Notices and application packets are available for the following notices at: http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse.

District Agency	Funding Opportunity	Deadline
Department of Small and Local Business Development	DC Main Streets - Eastern Market and Columbia Heights/Mount Pleasant Target Areas	September 14, 2016
Office on Latino Affairs	FY 2017 Latino Community Grant	July 29, 2016
Office of African Affairs	FY 2017 African Community Grant	July 29, 2016
Office on Asian and Pacific Islander Affairs	FY 2017 Asian and Pacific Islander Community Grant	July 29, 2016
Office on Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual, Transgender and Questioning Affairs	FY 2017 MOLGBTQA Community Grant	July 29, 2016
Department of Human Services	Transportation and Hotline Program	August 2, 2016
Department of Human Services	LGBTQ Homeless Youth Beds	August 8, 2016
		July 25, 2016

Federal Opportunities

National Law Enforcement Survivor Support (DOJ). Department of Justice announces funds to provide survivor peer support, counseling, services, and resources to survivors of fallen law enforcement officers nationwide.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations and for-profit organizations other than small businesses

Deadline: 8/11/2016

Funds: \$3,500,000 is available for awards

Contact: Grants.gov Customer Support at (800) 518-4726 or support@grants.gov

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

Grant ID: GD6689

Comprehensive High-Impact HIV Prevention Projects for Young Men of Color Who Have Sex with Men and Young Transgender Persons of Color (HHS). Department of Health and Human Services announces funds to develop and implement High-Impact Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV) Prevention Programs in the following areas: HIV prevention services for high risk Young Men of Color Who Have Sex with Men and their partners regardless of age, gender, and race/ethnicity; and HIV prevention services for high risk Young Transgender Persons of color and their partners regardless of age, gender, and race ethnicity.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 9/14/2016

Funds: \$10,000,000 is available for thirty awards

Contact: Antonya Rakestraw at aip5@cdc.gov

Website: aip5@cdc.gov

Grant ID: GD6691

Funding For Cyber Threat Information Sharing In Health Care and Public Health (DOH). Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) announces funds to build the capacity of an information sharing and analysis organization (ISAO) to share cyber threat information bi-directionally with the Health and Public Health (HPH) sector and HHS about cyber threats and provide outreach and education that improves cyber security awareness and equips HPH sector stakeholders to take action in response to cyber threat information shared by the ISAO.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations, for-profit organizations other than small businesses and small businesses

Deadline: 8/19/2016

Funds: \$250,000 is available for awards

Contact: Monifa Constant at oncgrants@hhs.gov

Website: https://www.grantsolutions.gov/gs/preaward/previewPublicAnnouncement.do?id=57769

Grant ID: GD6690

Higher Education Multicultural Scholars Program (DOA). Department of Agriculture announces funds to increase the multicultural diversity of the food and agricultural scientific and professional workforce, and advance the educational achievement of all Americans by providing competitive grants to colleges and universities.

Eligibility: Public and state controlled institutions of higher education and private institutions of higher education

Deadline: 10/22/2016

Funds: \$945,400 is available for awards up to \$200,000 Contact: Ray A. Ali at (202) 720-2727 or rali@nifa.usda.gov

Website: https://nifa.usda.gov/funding-opportunity/higher-education-multicultural-scholars-program-msp

Grant ID: GD6687

National Technical Assistance Center to Increase Participation and Improve the Performance of Students with Disabilities (DOE). Department of Education announces funds to promote academic achievement and to improve results for children with disabilities by providing technical assistance, supporting model demonstration projects, disseminating useful information, and implementing activities that are supported by scientifically based research.

Eligibility: Independent school districts, nonprofit organizations, for-profit organizations other than small

businesses, small businesses and Local Educational Agencies

Deadline: 8/22/2016

Funds: \$2,000,000 is available for awards

Contact: David Egnor at (202) 245-7334 or David.Egno@ed.gov

Website: https://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2016-07-21/pdf/2016-17324.pdf

State Single This grant is subject to "Intergovernmental Review" under EO 12372. Please go to

Point of http://opgs.dc.gov/spoc.asp for further information.

Contact:

Grant ID: GD6685

Networking and Professional Development of State and Large Urban System Healthcare Administrators

(DOJ). Department of Justice announces funds to develop and enhance competency based leadership skills as well as enhance healthcare knowledge for state and large urban system Healthcare Administrators of correctional health care institutions, focusing on collaborative and sustainable approaches to organizational management.

Eligibility: Public and state controlled institutions of higher education, nonprofit organizations, faith-based

organizations, private institutions of higher education, for-profit organizations other than small businesses

and community-based organizations

Deadline: 8/29/2016

Funds: \$200,000 is available for awards

Contact: Melanie Simms at (202) 305-8408 or mxsimms@bop.gov

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

Grant ID: GD6686

Occupational Safety and Health Research (HHS). Department of Health and Human Services announces funds to develop an understanding of the risks and conditions associated with occupational diseases and injuries, to explore methods for reducing risks and for preventing or minimizing exposure to hazardous conditions in the workplace, and to translate significant scientific findings into prevention practices and products that will effectively reduce work-related illnesses and injuries.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, independent school districts, special district

governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, public housing authorities, private institutions of higher education, for-profit organizations,

small businesses, community-based organizations and DC government agencies

Deadline: 10/5/2016

Funds: \$400,000 is available for 16 awards

Contact: Maria Lioce at (404) 498-2575 or Mlioce@cdc.gov

Website: https://www.cfda.gov/index?s=program&mode=form&tab=step1&id=a55da6fee4296cc915be4ee88b9bbb73

Grant ID: GD6692

Promoting Organ and Tissue Donation Among Diverse Populations (HHS). Department of Health and Human Services announces funds to provide support for testing various hypotheses on the barriers, and facilitate development of programs in the diverse and underserved communities to enhance their understanding of the need,

risks and benefits of organ and tissue donation. Successful approaches should ultimately lead to increase in the number of diverse and underserved participating in living and deceased organ donation.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, independent school districts, special district

governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit

organizations, public housing authorities, private institutions of higher education, for-profit

organizations, small businesses, community-based organizations and DC government agencies

Deadline: 12/5/2016

Funds: \$1,250,000 is available for five awards

Contact: Grants.gov Customer Support at (301) 435-0714 or support@grants.gov

Website: http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-DK-16-022.html

Grant ID: GD6688

Foundation Opportunities

Defending Basic Freedoms. *Herb Block Foundation* announce funds to help programs safeguard the basic freedoms guaranteed in the Bill of Rights and help to eliminate all forms of prejudice and discrimination. Letters of Inquiry are required and due October 6.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 10/6/2016

Funds: Awards are available up to \$25,000

Contact: Herb Block Foundation at (202) 223-8801 or info@herbblock.org
Website: http://www.herbblockfoundation.org/programs/defending-freedoms

Grant ID: GD6683

Education, Environment, Health, and Music. *Clarence E. Heller Foundation* announces funds to support programs in the areas of education, music, environment, and health. Letters of Inquiry are required and can be submitted at any time.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 8/1/2016

Funds: Awards are available up to \$75,000

Contact: Clarence E. Heller Foundation at info@cehcf.org
Website: http://www.cehcf.org/application-information/

Grant ID: GD6696

Engaging Youth to Build Healthier Communities. George Washington University Rodham Institute announces funds to stimulate and advance community-university collaborations around research and program development related to the health and well-being of the residents of the District of Columbia. The grants are awarded to promote collaboration between community organizations and George Washington University students or faculty that most successfully demonstrate the potential for advancing the health and well-being of the residents of D.C. Letters of Intent are required and due August 1.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 8/1/2016

Funds: \$10,000 is available for three awards

Contact: Sara Mutnick at smutnick@mfa.gwu.edu

Website: https://smhs.gwu.edu/rodhaminstitute/academic-community-collaboration-award-acca/request-

proposals

Grant ID: GD6682

Health and Human Services Grants. *Venable Foundation Grant* announces funds to support public interest law and legal education, as well as civic, cultural, and community benefit initiatives. Special attention is given to projects involving homeless shelters, food programs, and services for children, disadvantaged families, and individuals.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 9/26/2016

Contact: Venable Foundation Grant

Website: https://www.venable.com/socialresponsibility/foundation/

Grant ID: GD6694

Programs to Benefit the Elderly. *Helen Wardman Naselli Foundation* announces funds to assist the elderly in need, primarily in the Greater Washington metro area to benefit aged persons and support old people's homes that provide relief to needy elderly people. The foundation provides program support and general operating support.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 10/15/2016

Funds: Awards are available up to \$10,000

Contact: Quanda Allen at quanda.allen@suntrust.com

Website: http://fdnweb.org/wardman/

Grant ID: GD6693

Responsive Grants and Organizational Capacity Building Grants. The Retirement Research Foundation announces funds to support programs in the areas of capacity building, advocacy, direct services, professional education and training and research.

Eligibility: Public and state controlled institutions of higher education and nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 8/1/2016

Funds: Awards are available up to \$5,000

Contact: The Retirement Research Foundation at (773) 714-8080 or info@rrf.org

Website: http://www.rrf.org/

Grant ID: GD6697

Visionary Grants. *American Psychological Foundation* announce funds to promote innovation by supporting research, education, and intervention projects and programs that use psychology to solve social problems in four priority areas: understanding and fostering the connection between behavior and physical health to ensure well-

being; reducing stigma and prejudice to promote unity and harmony; understanding and preventing violence to create a safer, more humane world; and supporting programs that address the long-term psychological needs of individuals and communities in the aftermath of disaster.

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 4/1/2017

Funds: Awards are available up to \$20,000 Contact: Erin Carney at ecarney@apa.org

Website: http://www.apa.org/apf/funding/visionary.aspx

Grant ID: GD6684

Youth Athletic Programs and Camps. *Finish Line Youth Foundation* announces funds for athletic programs and camps geared towards youth. Funding is intended primarily for projects that promote an active lifestyle for underserved and special needs kids and young adults (up to age 18).

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations

Deadline: 9/30/2016

Funds: Awards are available up to \$5,000

Contact: Marty Posch at Youthfoundation@finishline.com

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

Grant ID: GD6695

Additional Funding Resources and Announcements

All Things Nonprofit Workshop. The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services and the Department of Consumer & Regulatory Affairs Small Business Resource Center are cohosting an All Things Nonprofit Workshop August 18, 2016 from 9:30 - 11:30 am at 441 4th Street, NW - Rm 805S. During this workshops you will learn how to start a non-profit business (corporate registration, licensing, and tax registration) and also how to apply for grants available for non-profit organizations. Meet the experts from DC Government agencies, non-profit foundations, and the D.C. Bar Pro Bono Center. For more information 202/442-4538 or 202/727-8900. To register visit http://dcbiz.ecenterdirect.com

Crossing the Street (Call for Artists) Walter Reed Army Medical Center. Humanities Council of Washington, D.C. announces its Crossing the Street (Call for Artists) Walter Reed Army Medical Center project. For more than 100 years, the Walter Reed Army Medical Center (WRAMC) was the U.S. Army's flagship medical center, serving more than 150,000 military personnel as well as elected officials and heads of state. The Humanities Council's goal is for the public to "cross the street" for a project that both observes the sacred nature of the site as well as provides a joyous, inspired experience. This place making project should honor the site's military history and its role in the surrounding community. It should be the first step, the first "light" in ushering in a new era for the Walter Reed complex and its relationship to our city. Deadline for applications is August 7. If interested and for more information visit https://form.jotform.com/61885330084962.

GlobalGiving Accelerator. GlobalGiving is accepting applications for the September 2016 GlobalGiving Accelerator. This is free two weeks of virtual training in online fundraising and you will participate in a two week crowdfunding campaign. All participants will have opportunities to earn matching funding and bonus prizes and graduates of the Accelerator will be featured in a press release, have their work promoted to a global audience of

potential donors, and earn permanent partnership with GlobalGiving. If interested apply by August 1st at https://www.globalgiving.org/accelerator/.

Peer Reviewers Needed. The Mayor's Office on Latino Affairs (MOLA) is currently accepting applications for Peer reviewers. MOLA relies on the expertise of the Peer Reviewers to make the best decision for the District of Columbia Latino community. Peer reviewers will have up to 30 days to read and score up to 5 Districts of Columbia Latino Community Base Organizations project proposals to address: education; jobs & economic development; public safety; housing; transportation; environment; health & wellness; good government; and arts & creative economy. For more information on how to apply, please click on the following link: http://ola.dc.gov/service/volunteer-opportunities.

Previous Funding Resources and Announcements

Family Volunteer Day Grant Applications. generationOn is accepting grant applications to support Family Volunteer Day support. Family Volunteer Day is a day of service that celebrates the power of families who work together to support their communities and neighborhoods. Volunteering is a great way for kids and adults to make new friends, develop compassion for their neighbors, and even pick up a new skill or two! Family Volunteer Day takes place on November 19, 2016 and is being powered by generationOn and sponsored by Disney Friends for Change, a global initiative that inspires kids and families to take action to help people, communities and the planet. Grants are awarded up to \$1,000. Applications will be open from July 5th-August 5th for more information and the apply visit http://generationon.org/orgs/campaigns/opportunities/family-volunteer-day-grant-application

Youth Service America and State Farm. Youth Service America (YSA) and State Farm will support up to 100 Lead Agencies for Global Youth Service Day 2017, April 21 - 23, 2017. Nonprofit organizations located in the United States are eligible to apply. The program offers organizations the funding, official designation, capacity-building training, and ongoing consultancy to lead high-impact; high-visibility youth service activities and celebration events for Global Youth Service Day. As the official organizer of Global Youth Service Day in their region, GYSD Lead Agencies are a vital part of creating a culture where young people have the opportunities and support to create positive change in their communities. The maximum amount of awards is \$1,000 and the deadline for applications is August 21. Fifteen thousand dollars in prizes will be awarded post-GYSD to the Lead Agencies that go above and beyond at achieving scale, visibility, youth leadership, and impact. For more information and to apply visit http://ysa.org/grants/organization-grants/gysdlead/.

Pro Bono Professional Services. The Taproot Foundation connects nonprofit organizations with the services of professional consultants on a pro-bono basis through its Service Grants program. Each service grant has a minimum value of \$45,000 and is delivered by a team of five to six business professionals to nonprofit organizations in Washington, D.C. To qualify for a grant, applicants must be a 501(c)(3) tax-exempt organization or a public school and work within one of the foundation's program areas (i.e., the arts, education, the environment, health, and social services). To be eligible for a grant, organizations also must have at least three full-time employees and an annual budget of at least \$350,000. The foundation will be holding an informational webinar for grantseekers on August 5, at 2:30 P.M. and registration is required. For more information visit https://www.taprootfoundation.org/.

What Your Nonprofit Needs to Know About the New Overtime Regulations. The D.C. Bar Pro Bono Center, in conjunction with the law firm of Littler Mendelson, will be hosting a free workshop for nonprofits about how to deal with the new overtime regulations July 21, from 9:00 A.M. – 11:00 A.M. at Littler Mendelson, 815 Connecticut Ave., NW. Last month, the Department of Labor published new rules that change the rules regarding which employees are eligible for overtime pay. Under these rules, beginning December 1, 2016, employees who earn less than \$913 per week (\$47,476 per year) are automatically eligible for overtime pay when they work more than 40 hours a week, regardless of what their job duties are. This new rule could have a significant impact on your nonprofit's personnel costs. At the workshop, the facilitator will review the difference between exempt and non-exempt employees; what the new overtime regulations provide and how they will impact your organization; what steps your organization should be taking now so you are ready for December 1; and how these changes will impact your

responsibilities under other federal and local laws, including the DC Wage Theft Prevention Act. To register and for more information visit Workshop if you have any questions, please contact Stanley Augustin at saugustin@dcbar.org or 202-737-4700, ext. 3293.

Criminal Justice Coordinating Council's Bridging Research to Practice Series. Evaluation in the District of Columbia: Goals, Value, and Low-Cost Evaluation panel discussion will cover (a) the basics of evaluation, and how it can be beneficial to your organization or agency, (b) how to apply findings and (c) how to undertake a low cost evaluation. The session will be held on July 28, 10:00 am – 11:30am 441 4th St NW, Room #1117. For more information contact Ellen.McCann@dc.gov.

Lacrosse Grants. US Lacrosse Foundation is accepting applications for 2016 physical education lacrosse workshop grants and soft lacrosse equipment grants. Soft lacrosse is a co-ed version of lacrosse that utilizes plastic sticks with specially molded-heads and a large, soft ball. This modified equipment is designed for youth to achieve quick success executing the basics skills of lacrosse (cradling, scooping, passing, catching and shooting). No additional protective equipment is required. The US Lacrosse Soft Lacrosse Equipment Grant, targeted for schools and community-based organizations, provides a set of 30 soft lacrosse sticks, 30 soft lacrosse balls, one (1) copy of the US Lacrosse Physical Education Curriculum Guide and (1) copy of the Teaching Soft-Stick Lacrosse DVD. Physical Education Workshop Grant provides in-service training for up to 30 educators in a school district or school system. In addition to the in-service training (3 hours in length), this grant awards a set of soft lacrosse equipment to each school that is represented at the workshop. Participating educators will leave the workshop feeling confident and able to teach students how to play co-ed soft lacrosse in an age-appropriate and safe manner. Deadline for applications is November 2016. For information visit http://www.uslacrosse.org/resources/programs-grants/soft-stick-program.aspx.

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