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The Office Of Partnerships And Grant Services Needs Your Help. Help us get 1000 likes on our Facebook page. If you like us you will get time sensitive information on funding opportunities, job announcements, upcoming events and more that might not be in the Funding Alert. Like Us Now.



<u>Grant Information Resource Center (GIRC).</u> 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 <u>www.opgs.dc.gov</u>. All information that should be posted to the Clearinghouse should be sent to <u>dcgrants@dc.gov</u>.

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 <u>www.opgs.dc.gov</u> 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 <u>www.ocp.dc.gov</u> and follow these instructions: click on "Solicitation"; click on "List All Opportunities" and finally click on "Electronic Solicitations". For additional information contact <u>Ajaya.Damireddy@dc.gov</u>

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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
Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development	FY 2016 Creative and Open Space Modernization	Rolling Application through June 1, 2016
Department of Health	School Based Health Centers	May 2, 2016
Serve DC	School Health Services Program	May 2, 2016
Commission on the Arts and Humanities	2016 AmeriCorps State Formula Grant Competition	May 25, 2016
	Grants Supporting Fellowships	May 31,2016

Additional Government of the District of Columbia Opportunities

2017 LOCAL Appropriations (OVS&JG). Office of Victim Services & Justice Grants announces funds to develop a curriculum for sexual assault advocate credentialing. The Request for Applications (RFA) will be available April 11.

- Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations and community-based organizations
- Deadline: 5/11/2016
- Contact: Kelley Dillon at (202) 727-3934 or Kelley.Dillon@dc.gov.
- Website: <u>http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse</u>
- Grant ID: GD6496

Crime Victim Assistance Grant Program (VOCA) (OVS&JG). Office of Victim Services & Justice Grants announces funds to improve the treatment of victims of crime by providing victims with the assistance and services necessary to speed their restoration after a violent criminal act, and to support and aid them as they move through the criminal justice process in the District of Columbia. The Request for Applications (RFA) will be available electronically on Monday, April 18.



Eligibility:	Nonprofit organizations and community-based organizations
Deadline:	5/18/2016
Contact:	Daniza Figueroa at (202) 442-4936 or Daniza.Figueroa@dc.gov
Website:	http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse
Grant ID:	GD6491

FY 2017 Show Up, Stand Out Program: Consolidated Community-Based Truancy Reduction Grant Initiative (OVS&JG). Office of Victim Services & Justice Grants announces funds for strategies designed to address truancy in the District through the Show Up, Stand Out program. Data-driven and evidence-based practices should be implemented to enhance attendance and access to community-based services for families of those k-8 youth who are truant prior to interventions by the Child and Family Services Agency, Office of the Attorney General, and/or Court Social Services. The RFA will be available on Monday, April 18,

Eligibility:	Nonprofit organizations, faith-based organizations and community-based organizations
Deadline:	5/18/2016
Contact:	Janelle Junior at (202) 727-0605 or janelle.junior@dc.gov
Website:	http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse

Grant ID: GD6499

LOCAL Appropriations (OVS&JG). Office of Victim Services & Justice Grants announces funds to sustain and/or expand the provision of direct services to victims of violent crime in the District of Columbia. The Request for Applications (RFA) will be available 0n April 18.

Eligibility:	Nonprofit organizations, community-based organizations and DC government agencies
Deadline:	5/18/2016
Contact:	Jaime Farrant at (202) 727-6239 or Jaime.Farrant@dc.gov
Website:	http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse
Grant ID:	GD6494

LOCAL Appropriations (LOCAL) (OVS&JG). Office of Victim Services & Justice Grants announces funds to operate a youth-oriented sexual assault hotline. The Request for Applications (RFA) will be available on April 11.

Eligibility:	Nonprofit organizations and community-based organizations
Deadline:	5/11/2016
Contact:	Kelley Dillon at (202) 727-3934 or Kelley.Dillon@dc.gov
Website:	http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse
Grant ID:	GD6495

The Services*Training*Officers*Prosecution(S*T*O*P) Violence Against Women Formula Grant (OVS&JG). *Office of Victim Services & Justice Grants* announces funds to encourage a coordinated community response between members of law enforcement, prosecution, courts, and victim service agencies to address the issues of domestic violence, stalking, sexual assault and dating violence. The Request for Applications (RFA) will be available on April 18

Eligibility: Nonprofit organizations and community-based organizations



Deadline:	5/18/2016
Contact:	Kelley Dillon at (202) 727-3934 or Kelley.Dillon@dc.gov
Website:	http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse
Grant ID:	GD6492

The Sexual Assault Services Formula Grant Program (SASP) (OVS&JG). Office of Victim Services & Justice Grants announces funds to provide funding for direct intervention and related assistance to victims of sexual assault. The Request for Applications (RFA) will be available on April 18.

Eligibility:	Nonprofit organizations and community-based organizations
Deadline:	5/18/2016
Contact:	Kelley Dillon at (202) 727-3934 or Kelley.Dillon@dc.gov
Website:	http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse
Grant ID:	GD6493

Wheelchair Accessible Vehicle Taxi Grant. (DCTC). *DC Taxicab Commission* announces funds to provide a financial incentive to DCTC approved District of Columbia based taxicab companies and operators that reside in the District of Columbia to purchase new wheelchair accessible vehicles (WAVs) to increase the number of available wheelchair accessible taxicabs in the District of Columbia.

Eligibility:	For-profit organizations and small businesses
Deadline:	5/9/2016
Funds:	\$13,600 is available for awards
Contact:	Karl Muhammad at (202) 645-4435 or karl.muhammad2@dc.gov
Website:	http://opgs.dc.gov/page/opgs-district-grants-clearinghouse
Grant ID:	GD6497

Federal Opportunities

2016 Enhanced Collaborative Model to Combat Human Trafficking (DOJ). *Department of Justice* announces funds to support the development and enhancement of multidisciplinary human trafficking task forces that implement collaborative approaches to combat all forms of human trafficking, sex trafficking and labor trafficking of foreign nationals and U.S. citizens (of all sexes and ages) within the United States.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, state governments, nonprofit organizations and DC government agencies

Deadline: 5/10/2016

Funds: \$22,500,000 is available for 15 awards

Contact: Grants.gov Customer Support Hotline at <u>support@grants.gov</u>

Website: https://www.bja.gov/Funding/ECMHumanTrafficking16.pdf

Grant ID: GD6477

2016 Targeted Capacity Expansion: Medication Assisted Treatment - Prescription Drug and Opioid Addiction (MAT-PDOA) Grants (HHS). Department of Health and Human Services announces funds to



expand/enhance access to medication-assisted treatment (MAT) services for persons with opioid use disorder seeking or receiving MAT.

State governments and DC government agencies
6/30/2016
\$11,000,000 is available for eleven awards
Eileen Bermudez at (240) 276-1412 or FOACSAT@samhsa.hhs.gov
http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html
GD6487

Community Oriented Policing Services (DOJ). *Department of Justice* announces funds to engage in or to supervise anti-heroin and other opioid investigative activities.

Eligibility:	State governments and DC government agencies
Deadline:	6/1/2016
Funds:	\$1,500,000 is available for awards
Contact:	COPS Office Response Center at (800) 421-6770 or askCopsRC@usdoj.gov
Website:	http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html
Grant ID:	GD6481

Comprehensive Services for Victims of all Forms of Human Trafficking (DOJ). Department of Justice announces funds to enhance the quality and quantity of services available to assist victims of all forms of human trafficking by enhancing interagency collaboration and the coordinated community response to victims of human trafficking, and through the provision of high-quality services that address the individual needs of trafficking victims.

Eligibility:City or township governments, special district governments, state governments, nonprofit
organizations and DC government agenciesDeadline:5/2/2016Funds:\$7,500,000 is available for ten awards and a match is required.Contact:Kisha Green at Kisha.W.Green@usdoj.govWebsite:http://ojp.gov/ovc/grants/pdftxt/OVC_FY16_Comprehensive_Services_508.pdfGrant ID:GD6476

COPS-Community-Policing-Development (DOJ). *Department of Justice* announces funds to advance the practice of community policing in law enforcement agencies through training and technical assistance, demonstration projects, the development of innovative community policing strategies, applied research, guidebooks, and best practices.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, faith-based organizations, private institutions of higher education, community-based organizations and DC government agencies
Deadline: 6/1/2016

Deadline: 6/1/2016 Funds: \$8,000,000 is available for awards



Contact: COPS Office Response Center at <u>askCopsRC@usdoj.gov</u>

Website: http://www.cops.usdoj.gov/Default.asp?Item=2450

Grant ID: GD6490

Family Violence Prevention and Services Discretionary Grants: National and Special Issue Resource Centers - Culturally Specific Special Issue Resource Center (HHS). Department of Health and Human Services announces funds to support three CSSIRC's that will address domestic violence intervention and prevention efforts for victims of domestic violence who are members of underserved and historically marginalized racial and ethnic communities.

Eligibility:	Public and state controlled institutions of higher education, nonprofit organizations, private institutions of higher education and community-based organizations
Deadline:	5/31/2016
Funds:	\$2,250,000 is available for three awards
Contact:	ACF Applications Help Desk at app_support@acf.hhs.gov
Website:	http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html
Grant ID:	GD6483

Family Violence Prevention and Services/ Lesbian Gay Bisexual Transgender and Questioning Institute on Intimate Partner Violence (HHS). Department of Health and Human Services announces funds to expand and enhance the capacity of both domestic violence and LGBTQ-specific organizations to more effectively identify and respond to the unique needs of LGBTQ intimate partner violence victims.

Eligibility: City or township governments, county governments, public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, faith-based organizations, private institutions of higher education, for-profit organizations other than small businesses, small businesses, community-based organizations and DC government agencies

Deadline: 5/31/2016

Funds: \$600,000 is available for awards

Contact: ACF Applications Help Desk at acf.hhs.gov

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

Grant ID: GD6482

FY 2016 Smart on Juvenile Justice: Statewide Juvenile Justice Reform Planning Training & Technical

Assistance (DOJ). Department of Justice announces funds to select a Training & Technical Assistance (TTA) provider to deliver direct training and technical assistance and provide pass-through funding to assess their current juvenile justice systems and develop system-wide juvenile justice reform strategic plans.

Eligibility: Public and state controlled institutions of higher education, state governments, nonprofit organizations, private institutions of higher education, for-profit organizations other than small businesses, small businesses and DC government agencies

Deadline: 5/31/2016

Funds: \$800,000 is available for five awards



Contact: Response Center at (800) 851-3420 or grants@ncjrs.gov

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

Grant ID: GD6485

Grants to Prevent Prescription Drug/Opioid Overdose-Related Deaths (PDO) (HHS). Department of Health and Human Services announces funds to reduce the number of prescription drug/opioid overdose-related deaths and adverse events among individuals 18 years of age and older by training first responders and other key community sectors on the prevention of prescription drug/opioid overdose-related deaths and implementing secondary prevention strategies, including the purchase and distribution of naloxone to first responders.

Eligibility:	State governments and DC government agencies
Deadline:	5/31/2016
Funds:	\$11,000,000 is available for 11 awards
Contact:	Eileen Bermudez at (240) 276-1412 or FOACSAP@samhsa.hhs.gov
Website:	http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html
Grant ID:	GD6486

Preventing Teen Dating and Youth Violence by Addressing Shared Risk and Protective Factors (HHS).

Department of Health and Human Services announces funds to support communities with demonstrated high rates of violence to implement the best available strategies to prevent youth violence and teen dating violence that will result in communities decreasing the burden of youth violence and teen dating violence, and address shared risk and protective factors for multiple forms of violence.

Eligibility:	City or township governments, county governments and DC government agencies
Deadline:	6/6/2016
Funds:	\$2,000,000 is available for five awards
Contact:	Neil Rainford at <u>ner0@cdc.gov</u>
Website:	http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html
Grant ID:	GD6484

Foundation Opportunities

Community Grants Program. *M*·A·*C AIDS Fund* announces funds to service providers for programs that offer food and nutrition or housing services to people living with HIV/AIDS. Applications for Food and Nutrition Programs grants will be available on April 1 and applications for Housing Programs for people living with HIV/AIDS will be available on May 6.

Eligibility:	Nonprofit organizations
Deadline:	5/2/2016
Contact:	M-A-C AIDS Fund at macaidsf@maccosmetics.com
Website:	http://www.macaidsfund.org/thework/applications
Grant ID:	GD6480



Community-Police Partnership. *MetLife Foundation/Local Initiatives Support Corporation (LISC)* announces funds to support partnerships that can exhibit tangible accomplishments in their efforts to advance the process, outcome, and evaluation of potent police-community collaborations.

Eligibility:	City or township governments, county governments, state governments, nonprofit organizations, for- profit organizations other than small businesses, small businesses and DC government agencies
Deadline:	4/17/2016
Funds:	Awards are available up to \$20,000
Contact:	Mona Mangat at (212) 455-9357 or csi@lisc.org
Website:	http://programs.lisc.org/csi/news_&_multimedia/community-police_partnership_awards/index.php
Grant ID:	GD6479

Cultivating Healthy Communities Grant Program. *Aetna Foundation* announces funds to help local communities to become healthier places to live, with emphasis on projects that benefit underserved, low-income, and minority communities. Stage 1 applications are due April 15.

Eligibility:	City or township governments, county governments, state governments, nonprofit organizations and DC government agencies
Deadline:	4/15/2016
Funds:	\$2,000,000 is available for awards up to \$100,000
Contact:	Aetna Foundation
Website:	https://www.aetna-foundation.org/grants-partnerships/grants/cultivating-healthy-communities-rfp.html
Grant ID:	GD6478

Library Grant Program. *Lois Lenski Covey Foundation* announces funds to provide support to school libraries, non-traditional libraries, and bookmobile programs for the purchase of books published for young people preschool through grade 8 with a focus on libraries that serve economically or socially at-risk children, have limited book budgets, and demonstrate real need.

Eligibility:Independent school districts and Local Educational AgenciesDeadline:5/13/2016Funds:Awards are available up to \$3,000Contact:Lois Lenski Covey Foundation at michael.covey@loislenskicovey.orgWebsite:http://www.loislenskicovey.org/6.htmlGrant ID:GD6488

Additional Funding Resources and Announcements

USA Football Foundation. USA Football, the sport's national governing body on youth and amateur levels, is accepting applications for equipment grants to youth, middle school and high school football programs throughout the country based on merit and need. USA Football awards grant credits, which can be redeemed through Riddell, the official protective equipment partner of USA Football. Grant credits range from \$500-\$1,500 for youth organizations and from \$1,000-\$2,500 for high school programs. Youth football organizations who hold a 501 (c) (3) tax-exempt status, and school sponsored football programs at the elementary, middle, junior high, and senior



high school levels are all eligible. Deadline for application is April 20. For additional information visit http://www2.usafootball.com/grants .

"POWER UP DC 2016: *Get Money, Get Movin'.* On Tuesday, May 3, 8:00am to 12:30pm, at the Marriot Marquis Hotel, 901 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, don't miss your opportunity to learn about how to access capital for your for small business owners and nonprofit organizations. The conference is being hosted by the DC Chamber of Commerce, the Greater Washington Hispanic Chamber of Commerce and the Restaurant Association Metropolitan Washington along with participating business resource partners the U.S. Women's Chamber of Commerce, U.S. Small Business Administration, DC Small Business Development Center at Howard University, DC Department of Consumer & Regulatory Affairs, Coalition for Non-Profit Housing and Economic Development, DC Department of Small and Local Business Development, Washington DC Economic Partnership, the Latino Economic Development Corporation and the Congress Heights Training and Development Corporation. The forum will focus on one of the greatest needs of small business owners and nonprofit organizations access to capital. Three powerful workshops will be featured with expert panelists who will share information to enhance business growth through non-traditional funding streams and creative financing options. Reserve your space by April 22, 2016 at DCHealthLink.com/powerupdc2016/registration. For more information, contact Linda Currie at 202-638-7337 or at Icurrie@dcchamber.org.

Completing the IRS 1023 for Nonprofit Tax Exempt Status. The Office of Partnerships and Grant Services is hosting a comprehensive workshop on how to complete the IRS 1023 for Nonprofit Tax Exempt Status. Are you applying for nonprofit status with the IRS, thinking about applying or feeling lost in the process? If you answered "yes" to any of these questions, this is the workshop for you! The workshop presenter will review the IRS 1023 application line by line to help you maneuver through the application maze to help you answer the questions correctly. The workshop will be held on Friday, April 29, from 9:30 a.m. to 12 p.m. at the Public Welfare Foundation, 1200 U St NW, Washington, DC 20009. To register or for more information call (202) 727-8900.

Previous Funding Resources and Announcements

American Association on Health and Disability Scholarships. The American Association on Health and Disability (AAHD) is accepting applications for its 2016-17 Scholarship. The mission of the <u>American Association</u> on <u>Health and Disability</u> is to contribute to national, state, and local efforts to promote health and wellness in people with disabilities and identify effective intervention strategies that reduce health disparities between people with disabilities and the general population. AAHD accomplishes this mission through research, education, and advocacy at the national, state and community levels. The AAHD Scholarship Program supports students with disabilities pursuing higher education. Preference is given to students who plan to pursue undergraduate/graduate studies in the field of public health, health promotion, and disability studies (including disability policy and disability research). Royalties from the DHJO and private donations fund the AAHD Scholarship Program. Scholarships will be limited to less than \$1,000 and will be awarded in January 2017. Deadline for application is April 26. For complete program guidelines, information about previous recipients, and application instructions visit http://www.aahd.us/wp-content/uploads/2012/07/AAHDScholarship2016-17-1.pdf

Grants Management: Financial and Programmatic Oversight, Reporting and Compliance Workshop.

The Criminal Justice Coordinating Council, Office of Partnerships and Grant Services and the Office of Victim Services and Just Grant's Grants Planning Committee cordially invites you to Grants Management: Financial and Programmatic Oversight, Reporting and Compliance Workshop, the final training in the 2015-2016 Grant Writing and Management Training Series. The workshop will be held April 7 from 10 am to 12 pm, at 441 4th Street, NW, Washington, DC, room 1107. The workshop topics will cover: Understanding the Fundamentals-Post Award Requirements and Best Practices; Programmatic and Financial Oversight- Reporting and Compliance; and Communicating your Success, Advocating for Continuation Funding. To RSVP please email david.marimon@dc.gov with the name of the training in the subject line.

District Employers - Do You Need Free Summer Employees? The Marion S. Barry Summer Youth Employment Program (MBSYEP) is excited to announce that the 2016 application for MBSYEP Host Employers is now available. For decades, MBSYEP has provided youth ages 14 – 22 with enriching and constructive work



experiences through subsidized placements in the private and government sectors and under Mayor Muriel Bowser's leadership, MBSYEP has expanded to serve youth through age 24. As President Obama, <u>Recently</u> <u>Wrote</u> "my first summer job [scooping ice cream] wasn't exactly glamorous, but it taught me some valuable lessons. Responsibility. Hard work. Balancing a job with friends, family, and school." MBSYEP has created the platform to give District youth that same valuable learning experience, but it is incomplete without support from District Employers. This summer's success depends upon District employer involvement. We need private, nonprofit and government sectors partners to sign up as Host Employers. The six-week program runs from Monday, June 27 to Friday, August 5; MBSYEP is open to ALL District residents between the ages of 14 – 24 who are eligible to work in the U.S. ; the Office of Youth Programs pays participant wages; and matches are made based upon participants' career interests and employers' identified prerequisites. We are encouraging interested nonprofit, faithbased and for profit employers to apply. The deadline for applications is May 20. If interested in registering as a Host Employer for #MBSYEP2016 <u>Register Here</u>. For additional information and questions call 202-698-3492 or email <u>summerjobs@dc.gov</u>.

Scholarship Grant Awards. The Bollinger Foundation is accepting nominations for its 2016 grant awards. The scholarship grants are presented to families who have lost a parent or guardian where the deceased or surviving parent worked or works in the field of public housing, community development, or economic development. Grants are primarily awarded for educational expenses, including special educational needs, school materials, and college tuition. The Bollinger Foundation is named in memory of Steve Bollinger, who was Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development at the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development from 1981-1984. He was a dedicated professional who passed away unexpectedly in 1984, leaving behind his wife and four children to deal with the financial and emotional struggles that only the loss of a parent can bring. It is in his memory that the Foundation exists and to date we have awarded over \$898,000 and helped over 150 families. If you are interested in nominating an individual for a grant award visit www.bollingerfoundation.org or contact Diana Richer at dricher@iedconline.org. The deadline for nominations is May 6, 2016.

Advocates in Disability Award (ADA) Program. The Advocates in Disability Award (ADA) program awards and encourages young adults with a disabilities between the ages of 14 and 26 to positively affect the lives of individuals with disabilities and their families. The program supports an innovative project developed by the recipient to serve and empower individuals with disabilities. The ADA is a joint program of The HSC Foundation and the Mitsubishi Electric America Foundation. The selected recipient is awarded \$3,000 in recognition of his or her disability advocacy and will receive up to an additional \$7,000 in funding for a project to benefit the disability community. Applicants must be a citizen or permanent resident of the United States at the time of application submission and recipient selection. To apply, visit http://www.hscfoundation.org/Awards_Programs Applications must be received by Wednesday, April 13.

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