



HCJFS GRANT OPPORTUNITIES UPDATE

This information is a weekly summary of current grant opportunities compiled by John Ingram, JFS Grants Manager. Its purpose is to assist you with the development and/or maintenance of funding. All grant updates are archived [here](#) on the JFS website. If you would like to follow up on a grant listed below, or need assistance with funding for other program areas, please call me at 513-946-2317, or e-mail at ingraj@jfs.hamilton-co.org.

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Grant Name: Recreational Programs, CFDA # 84.128
Funder: US Dept. of Education
Eligibility: States, public agencies, and nonprofit private organizations.

Award Range/Funding Period: \$130,000 - \$140,000 for project periods up to 36 months, with matches in years 2 and 3.

Summary: The purpose of the Recreational Programs is to provide individuals with disabilities with recreational activities and related experiences to aid in their employment, mobility, socialization, independence, and community integration.

Due Date: 5-22-07

Website:

<http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/01jan20071800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2007/pdf/E7-5371.pdf>

Related Information: N/A

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SAMHSA

Grant Name: Drug Free Communities Support Mentoring Program,, CFDA # 93.276

Funder: US Dept of HHS/SAMHSA

Eligibility: Existing DFC grantees.

Award Range/Funding Period: Up to

\$75,000/year for up to 2 years.

Summary: The purpose of the DFC Mentoring Program is to provide grant funds to existing DFC grantees (mentors) to support development and/or expansion of new community coalitions (mentees) that are focused on strengthening communities and reducing substance abuse among youth. The DFC Program, a collaborative initiative sponsored by ONDCP in partnership with SAMHSA, is designed to achieve two goals:

- Establish and strengthen collaboration among communities, private nonprofit agencies, and Federal, State, local and tribal governments to support the efforts of community coalitions to prevent and reduce substance abuse among youth.
- Reduce substance abuse among youth and, over time, among adults by addressing the factors in a community that increase the risk of substance abuse and promoting the factors that minimize the risk of substance abuse. (Substances include, but are not limited to, narcotics, depressants, stimulants, hallucinogens, cannabis, inhalants, alcohol and tobacco, where their use is prohibited by Federal, State, or local law.)

Note: DFC projects must focus on multiple drugs of abuse. When the term “drug” or “substance” is used in this funding announcement, it is intended to include all of the above drugs.

Due Date: 5-11-07

Website: http://www.samhsa.gov/Grants/2007/sp_07_002.aspx

Related Information: Request for Applications (RFA) No. SP-07-002



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Grant Name: Integration of Schools and Mental Health Systems, CFDA # 84.215M

Funder: US Dept of Education/Office of Safe and Drug-Free Schools

Eligibility: State educational agencies (SEAs), local educational agencies (LEAs). Former or current recipients under the Safe Schools/Healthy Students program (CFDA 84.184L) are not eligible to receive a Grant for the Integration of Schools and Mental Health Systems.

Award Range/Funding Period: The award range is \$150,000 - \$350,000, for project periods up to 18 months.

Summary: Grants for the Integration of Schools and Mental Health Systems will provide funds to increase student access to high-quality mental health care by developing innovative approaches that link school systems with the local mental health system. A program funded under this absolute priority must include all of the following activities:

- (1) Enhancing, improving, or developing collaborative efforts between school-based service systems and mental health service systems to provide, enhance, or improve prevention, diagnosis, and treatment services to students.
- (2) Enhancing the availability of crisis intervention services, appropriate referrals for students potentially in need of mental health services, and ongoing mental health services.
- (3) Providing training for the school personnel and mental health professionals who will participate in the program.
- (4) Providing technical assistance and consultation to school systems and mental health agencies and families participating in the program.
- (5) Providing linguistically appropriate and culturally competent services.
- (6) Evaluating the effectiveness of the program in increasing student access to quality mental health services, and making recommendations to the Secretary about sustainability of the program.

Due Date: 5-15-07

Website:

<http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/01jan20071800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2007/07-1465.htm>

Related Information: N/A

SMALLER GRANTS



Grant Name: A T & T Exceleator Grants

Funder: A T & T Corporate Giving

Eligibility: Nonprofits who target 51% or more underserved populations.

Award Range/Funding Period: One-year grants from \$2,500 to \$25,000. Collaborating groups may apply for up to

\$50,000.

Summary: AT&T Exceleator helps nonprofit organizations better serve their communities by improving technology resources — including hardware, software and networking tools. These grants also fund resources, such as Internet access and computer training, to assist organizations with various programs, many aimed to increase educational learning and job skills development. AT&T Exceleator addresses a wide variety of community needs in four main program areas — Education, Community Development, Health and Human Services, and Arts and Culture.

Due Date: 5-4-07

Website: <http://www.grantsalert.com/grants.cfm?id=4&gid=4113> OR <http://www.att.com/gen/corporate-citizenship?pid=7745>

Related Information: N/A



Grant Name: Helping Children of Domestic Violence

Funder: Avon Foundation

Eligibility: Predominantly 501(c)(3) or equivalent; agencies that assist children who have been exposed

to domestic violence.

Award Range/Funding Period: Grant Amounts range from \$10,000 - \$50,000 depending on the size, scope and impact of the program proposed. Grants are non-renewable.

However, an organization may submit a new proposal the following year for continued funding. The Avon Foundation will support organizations through the *Helping Children of Domestic Violence Program* for a maximum of three years.

Summary: For 2007, the Avon Foundation has identified three strategic priorities. An organization must quantify its work under one (or more) of these strategic priorities in order to be considered.

- Coordinated response models between domestic violence organizations and child abuse agencies.

- Programs that enable teens to develop and create materials and resources to help other teens speak out against domestic violence.
- Safety planning or counseling for children who are not residing in domestic violence shelters.

Due Date: 5-1-07

Website: <http://www.avoncompany.com/women/avonfoundation/gapeop.html>

(download program-specific guidelines in Word document at bottom)

Related Information: N/A



Grant Name: Local Store Grants Program

Funder: Target Foundation

Eligibility: 501(c)(3)'s, public libraries, schools, or public agencies

Award Range/Funding Period: \$1,000 - \$3,000 for one-year projects.

Summary: Target offers grants in the following areas: [ARTS](#)

[GRANTS](#): These grants are awarded to programs that bring the arts to schools or make it affordable for families to participate in cultural experiences. [EARLY CHILDHOOD](#)

[READING GRANTS](#): These grants support programs that promote a love of reading and encourage children, from birth through age 9, to read together with their families. [FAMILY](#)

[VIOLENCE PREVENTION PROGRAM](#): These grants support programs that strengthen families by preventing or reducing the cycle of family violence.

Due Date: 5-31-07

Website: <http://sites.target.com/site/en/corporate/page.jsp?contentId=PRD03-001818>

Related Information: Each program has its own on-line application.

OTHER ITEMS OF INTEREST:



The March 27 issue of the weekly **Digest of Federal Grants with Faith-Based and Community Organization** eligibility can be found [here](#).

