



Wyoming Medical Center Foundation

Grant Application Now Open!

Deadline to apply is November 23 at noon.

We are excited to launch our grantmaking, and we appreciate your consideration to apply. We acknowledge that this is a quick process and we apologize for any inconvenience. We do not plan on doing business exactly like this in the future and we so appreciate your patience.

This funding cycle represents about half of our funding for the next year. We will have funding opportunities available next year. At this time, the funding is limited to two specific opportunities.

1. Mental and Behavioral Health Services - We are seeking to fund organizations already providing mental and behavioral health services such as support groups, therapy, addiction treatment, suicide prevention, intensive case management, and similar services. We will consider proposals from organizations who want to offer such services as long as it is included in their strategic plan and/or they can demonstrate how they are well-positioned to expand in this area.

2. Special Populations - Organizations who primarily support LGBTQ+, immigrants, people of color, North Casper residents, and/or single parents with kids 5 and under, This does not need to be related to mental and behavioral health.

If your work doesn't fit into the priority areas above, please stay in touch and informed through the newsletter for future funding priorities. Please also ensure you meet the eligibility requirements below.

[Click Here for Application](#)

Grant Cycle Timeline

- November 11-November 23 at noon - Application is open and able to be submitted. Note that all requested documents should be emailed to kgibson@wyohealthfoundation.org and received by noon on November 23.
- December 6 - Notification to applicants and contracting process.
- December 13 - Electronic payments sent.

As this is generally two-years of funding, an additional payment will be sent in December 2022, assuming continued adherence to contract.

Miss the Q&A Session?

If you missed the Q&A session on November 11, no worries! You can review a recording here. Still have a question that needs to be answered? Please email Meredith Benton at mbenton@wyohealthfoundation.org.

[Watch the Q&A Session](#)

Eligibility Requirements

- 501c3 public charity or have a 501c3 public charity as a fiscal agent/sponsor
- Organization is already providing services in and can demonstrate a benefit to Natrona County
- Organization has a statement of inclusiveness and provides access to all programs and services regardless of race, creed, ethnicity, gender, age, disability, sexual orientation, socioeconomic status, and other factors that deny the essential humanity of Natrona County residents
- Health (health care, mental health, behavioral health, nutrition, and/or housing) is the majority of your work (50% percent of your budget) OR your work primarily serves people of color, immigrants, LGBTQ+, single parents (particularly with kids 5 and under), or North Casper
- You attest that you've reviewed the list of what we don't fund and that your organization does not fall into that list.

What We Don't Fund

In addition to sharing what we want to fund, we also want to be transparent and share what we will not consider for funding in this round of funding or in future rounds of funding for the foreseeable future.

- Individuals or fraternal organizations
- Lobbying as defined by the U.S. Internal Revenue Code (IRC), section 4945(d)(1)
- Activities supporting political candidates or voter registrations drives, as defined in IRC section 4945(d)(2).
- Basic biomedical research, drug therapies or devices
- Single disease, research-oriented organizations
- Fundraising event sponsorships
- Endowments
- Public, private, or parochial educational institutions, including their foundations unless it is directly aligned with one of the foundation's strategic priorities
- Capital projects: purchase, construction, or renovation of facilities unless directly aligned with one of the foundation's strategic priorities
- National organizations without Wyoming-based board, staff, and independent financials
- Organizations whose purpose is to raise money for another nonprofit
- Religious institutions without programs and services that serve the community beyond their members
- Organizations that cannot demonstrate a benefit to the residents of Natrona County
- Organizations or projects that discriminate with regard to employees, volunteers, delivery of programs or services, or clients served based on race, creed, ethnicity, gender, age, disability, sexual orientation, socioeconomic status or other factors that deny the essential humanity of all Natrona County residents.

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