

Finding Grants and Awards

US Governmental Grant Sources

Local, state, and federal governments often have funding assistance available, but navigating the various governmental agencies in search of grants can be difficult. We have compiled the following list of sources to help narrow your search.

Grants.Gov

Grants.gov is a one-stop resource to electronically search all grants available from US federal sources.

grants.gov

Department of Education (DOE)

ed.gov/programs/gtep/index.html

ed.gov/about/offices/list/osdfs/programs.html

Department of Health and Human Services (HHS)

hhs.gov/grants/

National Institutes of Health (NIH)

<http://grants1.nih.gov/grants/oer.htm>

National Institute of Mental Health (NIMH)

nimh.nih.gov/research-funding/index.shtml

Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP)

ojjdp.gov/funding/funding.html

Safe Schools/Healthy Students

sshs.samhsa.gov/apply/default.aspx

Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA)

samhsa.gov/grants

Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)

hrsa.gov/grants/default.htm

Many organizations using the *Nonviolent Crisis Intervention*[®] training program look to help fund additional training through grants and awards. The websites listed here offer links to potential grantors and provide other tips and information to help you look for funding. The funding opportunities change often, so be sure to check these sources regularly for updates. Read each opportunity carefully; many are very specific about what type of organization is eligible and what projects will and will not be funded.

For your convenience, this information is also available at crisisprevention.com. Just click on the Grants link near the bottom of the home page and follow the links.

Grant Foundations and Other Private Sources

Private foundations are also an excellent source for funding your training project. The websites below provide search engines and tools to help you find private entities that could help fund your training.

Grant Wrangler

Grant Wrangler is a free grants-listing service from Nimble Press. It offers a tool to help find grant monies for schools and includes links to other grant-related resources. This site also publishes *The Grant Wrangler Bulletin*, a monthly email newsletter that includes the latest grants and awards information.

grantwrangler.com

Fundsnet

Fundsnet provides a state-by-state listing of nongovernmental funding available for a wide variety of projects.

fundsnet.services.com/showcats.php?sbcats_id=31&PHPSESSID=46b4ea83bd297e1f471b759a9d3d520e

Grant Foundations *(continued)*

SchoolGrants

SchoolGrants provides grant information to pre-K–12 educators. This site includes a number of links to potential grantors and provides information to help you search for and write your grants.

<http://k12grants.org>

The Foundation Center

Part of the Foundation Center's mission is to provide education and training for grant seekers. As a top authority on philanthropy and grant making, the Foundation Center collaborates with libraries, community foundations, and several other nonprofit grant resource centers across the country to provide free funding information centers.

<http://foundationcenter.org>

Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America

The Community Anti-Drug Coalitions of America (CADCA) provides an excellent resource page with tips and strategies for writing a successful grant.

cadca.org/CoalitionResources/Funding.asp

Online Help/Resources

Once you have found a source for funding, your next step is to apply. The resources listed below can help you write a compelling grant proposal.

Grant Writers Online

Grant Writers Online provides free resources on grant writing, such as what to include in your grant proposal, grant writing mistakes, and grant proposal samples.

grantwritersonline.com

Grantionary

This website provides definitions of the key terms associated with grants.

eduplace.com/grants/help/grantionary.html

Show Me the Money: Tips and Resources for Successful Grant Writing

This article gives excellent guidance on grant writing.

educationworld.com/a_curr/profdev/profdev039.shtml

Campus Safety Grant Strategies: Your 1st Steps

This *Campus Safety* magazine article provides grant writing strategies.

campussafetymagazine.com/Articles/?ArticleID=237&page=1



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