Grant Opportunities

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Colorado Community Initiated Solutions Grants

Deadline: October 15, 2024

Purpose: The Colorado Health Foundation provides funding for projects that directly engage community members to identify health challenges and implement solutions that meet the specific needs of their communities.

Organizations are required to work collaboratively with community members to:

- Address a health challenge
- Develop and implement a solution
- Leverage existing strengths and resources
- Improve health equity

Priority will be given to projects that advance health equity or that center on communities of color.

Areas of Focus: Community Health

Amount of Funding: Not stated

Eligibility: Eligible applicants include:

- Community based groups or nonprofit organizations with 501(c)(3) status
- Organizations that can demonstrate a substantial commitment to community-identified and community-led efforts to address complex health-related issues and/or challenges

Organizations without 501(c)(3) status may apply through a fiscal sponsor.

Application Process: Links to <u>application instructions</u> and the <u>online application portal</u> are available on the program website.

Link to grant: https://coloradohealth.org/funding-opportunities/community-initiated-solutions

Sponsors: Colorado Health Foundation

Medications for Opioid Use Disorder (MOUD) Training and Mentoring

Deadline: Applications accepted on an ongoing basis

Purpose: This program provides free training and mentoring services for eligible healthcare providers to effectively use buprenorphine and other medications to treat opioid use disorder (OUD) in high-need communities. Completion of the training will count toward meeting MATE Act training requirements for practitioners registering for or renewing a DEA license. The training is free to complete, and is available in-person or online. The MD/DO training course is 8 hours, and the courses for nurse practitioners, physician assistants, and other advance practice nurses are 24 hours.

Areas of Focus: Treatment

Amount of Funding: The course is provided at no cost to eligible clinicians.

Eligibility: Eligible participants have an active Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) number to dispense controlled substances and are one of the following:

- Physician (MD or DO)
- Nurse practitioner (NP)
- Physician assistant (PA)
- Certified nurse-midwife (CNM)
- Certified registered nurse anesthetist (CRNA)
- Medical students

Application Process: Links to additional guidance are available on the program website.

Link to grant: https://nhsc.hrsa.gov/loan-repayment/receive-medications-for-oud-training

Sponsors: HRSA