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<b>SECTION 1: NEW THIS MONTH!</b>				
<b>NEW!</b> USDA Rural Development Community Facilities Program (ARRA)	OPEN (until ARRA funds expended)	To finance and facilitate the development of essential community facilities servicing rural areas and maximize job creation and economic benefit	Hospitals; medical clinics; elderly care facilities; police stations and vehicles; fire and rescue stations and vehicles; vocational and medical rehabilitation centers; and educational facilities; amounts will vary; number of awards available will vary; cost sharing is not required	USDA Rural Development State Office, 700 West Capitol Avenue, Room 3416, Little Rock, AR 72201-3225 501-301-3200 <a href="http://www.usda.gov/wps/portal/tut/p/s.7_0_A/7_0_IOB?navtype=SU&amp;navid=RURAL_DEVELOPMENT">http://www.usda.gov/wps/portal/tut/p/s.7_0_A/7_0_IOB?navtype=SU&amp;navid=RURAL_DEVELOPMENT</a> or view the Federal Register announcement at <a href="http://edocket.access.gpo.gov/2009/pdf/E9-17512.pdf">http://edocket.access.gpo.gov/2009/pdf/E9-17512.pdf</a> .
<b>NEW!</b> American Medical Association (AMA) Healthy Communities/Healthy America	08/31/09 <b>(LOI due date)</b>	Expand medical coverage for diabetes management and education projects	Tax exempt/501c3 non-profit for at least 3 consecutive years but less than 10 that meet the National Association of Free Clinics definition of a free clinic; max award \$10,000; up to 10 awards available; cost sharing encouraged but not required	<b>May be invited to submit a full proposal</b> Luella Hung, Program Officer 312-464-5357 <a href="http://www.ama-assn.org/ama/pub/about-ama/ama-foundation/our-programs/public-health/healthy-communities-healthy.shtml">http://www.ama-assn.org/ama/pub/about-ama/ama-foundation/our-programs/public-health/healthy-communities-healthy.shtml</a>
<b>NEW!</b> Barbara Bush Foundation for Family Literacy	09/14/09	To develop or expand projects designed to support development of literacy skills for adult primary care givers and their children	Non-profit or public entity in existence for 2 or more years; \$65,000 award max; approximately 10 awards available; cost sharing is not required	The Barbara Bush Foundation for Family Literacy 1201 15 <sup>th</sup> Street NW, Suite 420 Washington, DC 20005 202-955-6183 <a href="http://www.barbarabushfoundation.com">www.barbarabushfoundation.com</a>
<b>NEW!</b> DHHS/HRSA Rural Health Network Development Planning Grant	09/14/09	Achieve efficiencies, expand access to, coordinate and improve quality of essential health care services, and strengthen the rural health care system	<u>Lead</u> applicant organization must be a rural, non-profit or public entity that represents a consortium/network of three or more health related entities; 1-year project period; max award \$85,000; up to 20 awards available; cost sharing is not required	Eileen Holloran HRSA/ORHP/ Network Development Planning Grant Program Parklawn Building, Room 9A-42 5600 Fishers Lane Rockville, MD 10867 301-443-7529 <a href="http://www.ruralhealth.hrsa.gov">www.ruralhealth.hrsa.gov</a>
<b>NEW!</b> Home Depot Foundation Building Healthy Communities	09/15/09 12/15/09	Using the power of volunteers to create healthier, more stable communities	501c3 non-profit organizations, public schools, tax-exempt public service agencies; award up to \$2,500; number available is unknown	<b>Awards are made in the form of Home Depot gift cards</b> <a href="http://corporate.homedepot.com/wps/portal">http://corporate.homedepot.com/wps/portal</a>
<b>NEW!</b> U.S. Dept. of Labor Employment and Training Administration Health Care Sector and Other High Growth and Emerging Entities (ARRA)	10/05/09	Teach workers necessary skills for/help them pursue careers in, health care and other high growth and emerging industry sectors	Public or private nonprofit entities; must demonstrate a robust strategic partnership – including public workforce investment system, public and private employers, & education/training community; award range \$2M-\$5M; 45-65 awards available; cost sharing is not required	Ariam Ferro Grants Management Specialist Division of Federal Assistance 202-693-3968 <a href="http://www.doleta.gov/grants/find_grants.cfm">http://www.doleta.gov/grants/find_grants.cfm</a>

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<i>NEW!</i> Lowe's Toolbox for Education	10/16/09 02/12/10	Supporting basic needs of public schools	Non-profit public K-12 or its associated parent group – group must be 501c3 org.; max award \$5,000; 1-year project period; 1,000 awards available; cost sharing is not required	<a href="http://www.toolboxforeducation.com/hta.html">http://www.toolboxforeducation.com/hta.html</a>
<i>NEW!</i> Alzheimer's Foundation of America Family Respite Care Grant	11/01/09 05/01/10	Alleviate cost of respite care for families caring for loved ones with Alzheimer's disease or related dementia	Individuals may only apply for this grant through one of AFA's participating nonprofit member organizations; max award \$1,000 each to dozens of families	<b>To located Arkansas AFA members, visit:</b> <a href="http://www.afamembers.org/general-results.php?process=basic_search&amp;state=AR">http://www.afamembers.org/general-results.php?process=basic_search&amp;state=AR</a> 866-232-8484
<i>NEW!</i> The Arkansas Affiliate of Susan G. Komen for the Cure	11/06/09	Supports community-based programs that provide the medically underserved with access to breast health/breast cancer education, screening and treatment support services	Non-profit, tax-exempt organizations; award amount will vary; 1-year project period; actual number of awards available will vary	<b>The Arkansas Affiliate of Susan G. Komen for the Cure serves 63/75 counties in Arkansas. Visit website for your county's eligibility</b> Arkansas Affiliate of Susan G. Komen for the Cure Attn: Elizabeth Clark, Missions Director 904 Autumn Road, Suite 500 Little Rock, AR 72211 <a href="http://www.komenarkansas.org/grants/how-to-apply-for-funding">http://www.komenarkansas.org/grants/how-to-apply-for-funding</a>
<i>NEW!</i> Nathan Cummings Foundation	01/15/10 08/15/10	Supports arts/culture; the environment; health; inter-program initiatives for social and economic justice; and the Jewish life and values/contemplative practice programs	501c3 organizations; amount of award will vary based on request; number of awards available will vary	<b>Initial contact is by Letter of Inquiry; may be invited to submit a full proposal</b> The Nathan Cummings Foundation 475 Tenth Avenue, 14th Floor New York, NY 10018 212-787-7300
<b>SECTION 2: Proposals Due August 2009</b>				
U.S. Dept. of Education Innovative Strategies in Community Colleges for Working Adults/Displaced Workers	08/04/09	Propose innovative strategies to benefit working adults and displaced workers who are pursuing degrees or credentials in community colleges	Institutions of Higher Education, public & private nonprofit institutions and agencies; 28 awards available; up to 36-month project period; award range \$300,000-\$750,000 for project period	<a href="http://www.ed.gov/programs/fipsecc/applicant.html">http://www.ed.gov/programs/fipsecc/applicant.html</a>
Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Active Living Research and Healthy Eating Research	08/14/09	Support research to identify promising policy and environmental strategies for increasing physical activity, promoting healthy eating and preventing obesity	Public entities and 501c3 organizations; 10-12 awards available; max award is \$150,000; 1-year project period	<b>Mandatory letter of intent; invitation to submit full proposal may follow</b> Chad Spoon, M.R.P. 619-260-5539 Laura L. Klein, M.P.H. 800-578-8636 <a href="http://www.rwjf.org/applications/solicited/cfp.jsp?ID=20681%20">www.rwjf.org/applications/solicited/cfp.jsp?ID=20681%20</a>
Open Meadows Foundation	08/15/09	Projects that are led by and benefit women and girls	501c3 organizations whose organizational budget does not exceed \$150,000; max award \$2,000; number available will vary	Open Meadows Foundation P.O. Box 150-607 Van Brunt Station Brooklyn, NY 11215-607 718-885-0969 <a href="http://www.openmeadows.org">http://www.openmeadows.org</a>

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Libri Foundation	08/15/09	Provides children's books to small, rural public libraries	Libraries; award provided in books (not funds)	<a href="http://www.librifoundation.org/apps.html">http://www.librifoundation.org/apps.html</a>
EPA Advancing Public Health Protection through Water Infrastructure Sustainability	08/17/09	Advance public health protection with improvements in the condition and function of the water infrastructure	Public or private nonprofit institutions, state, local or tribal government; up to 8 awards; max award \$600,000; up to 4 year project period; cost sharing is not required	William Stelz 202-343-9802 <a href="http://www.epa.gov/ncer/rfa/2009/2009_star_water_infrastructure.html#Eligibility">http://www.epa.gov/ncer/rfa/2009/2009_star_water_infrastructure.html#Eligibility</a>
Bikes Belong Coalition	08/24/09 11/23/09	To help put more people on bikes more often	Non-profit organizations, public agencies and departments; max award up to \$10,000; an average of 20 awards made annually	Elizabeth Train, Grants and Research Director 303-449-4893 ext. 3 <a href="http://www.bikesbelong.org/node/42">http://www.bikesbelong.org/node/42</a>
National Endowment for the Humanities America's Historical & Cultural Org.: Planning Grants	08/26/09	Stories, ideas, & beliefs that deepen our understanding of our lives and our world	501c3 organizations and state/local government; 12-month project period; average award \$40,000; cost sharing is not required	NEH's Division of Public Programs 202-606-8269 <a href="http://www.neh.gov/grants/guidelines/AHCO_PlaningGuidelines.html">http://www.neh.gov/grants/guidelines/AHCO_PlaningGuidelines.html</a>
National Endowment for the Humanities America's Historical and Cultural Organizations: Implementation Grants	08/26/09	Stories, ideas, & beliefs that deepen our understanding of our lives and our world	501c3 organizations and state/local government; project period of 18-36 months; average award \$400,000; cost sharing is not required	NEH's Division of Public Programs 202-606-8269 <a href="http://www.neh.gov/grants/guidelines/AHCO_ImplementationGuidelines.html">http://www.neh.gov/grants/guidelines/AHCO_ImplementationGuidelines.html</a>
AR Dept. of Parks & Tourism Fun Park Grant	08/28/09	To establish a local park	Mayors and county judges of incorporated cities with population less an 2,500 or unincorporated rural areas; max award \$45,000; number available will vary; cash match is not required	<b>Site visits by park staff must be scheduled by 08/03/09</b> 501-682-1301 <a href="http://www.outdoorgrants.com">www.outdoorgrants.com</a>
AR Dept. of Parks & Tourism 50/50 Matching Grant	08/28/09	To provide "outdoor" (unenclosed) recreation	Incorporated cities, counties; max award \$250,000; number available will vary; cash match is required	<b>A public hearing concerning project must be held prior to 08/28/09</b> 501-682-1301 <a href="http://www.outdoorgrants.com">www.outdoorgrants.com</a>
National Eye Institute 2010 Healthy Vision Community Award	08/29/09	To strengthen capabilities of community-based org. to develop innovative eye health education and promotion projects	Non-profit organizations; 12-month project period; max award \$10,000; number available will vary	<a href="http://www.healthyvision2010.org/news/hvca">http://www.healthyvision2010.org/news/hvca</a>
Build-A-Bear Workshop Bear Hugs Foundation Literacy and Education Grants	08/31/09 11/30/09	Supports children's literacy and education programs	501c3 organizations; award range \$1,000-\$10,000; number available is unknown	<a href="http://www.buildabear.com/aboutus/community/grants/default.aspx">http://www.buildabear.com/aboutus/community/grants/default.aspx</a>

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<b>SECTION 3: Proposals Due September 2009 and Forward</b>				
Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Local Funding Partnerships Peaceful Pathways: Reducing Exposure to Violence	09/01/09 01/05/10	Reduce violence in specific communities such as those defined by race, ethnicity, tribe, gender, sexual identity or rural/frontier location	Applicants must be nominated by a diversity-focused funder; up to 8 awards available; award range \$50,000-\$200,000; up to a 3-year project period; match is required	Leticia Peguero, Deputy Director 609-275-4128 <a href="http://www.rwjf.org/applications/solicited/cfp.jsp?ID=20781">http://www.rwjf.org/applications/solicited/cfp.jsp?ID=20781</a>
Christopher and Dana Reeve Foundation Quality of Life Grants	09/02/09 03/01/10	Assist people living with paralysis, particularly spinal cord injury, their families and care givers	Non-profit organizations; max award \$25,000; 1-year project period; number available is unknown	<a href="http://www.christopherreeve.org/site/c.ddJFKRNoFiG/b.4425937/k.A6D3/Program_Overview.htm">http://www.christopherreeve.org/site/c.ddJFKRNoFiG/b.4425937/k.A6D3/Program_Overview.htm</a>
Women Helping Others (WHO) Foundation	09/08/09	To serve the overlooked needs of women and children	501c3 organizations; max award \$20,000; number available is not known at this time	The WHO Foundation Grants P.O. Box 816029 Dallas, TX 75381-6029 <a href="http://www.whofoundation.org/WhoWeAre_mission.htm">http://www.whofoundation.org/WhoWeAre_mission.htm</a>
Ezra Jack Keats Foundation Mini-Grants	09/15/09	Encourage literacy and creativity in children	Public schools and libraries; max award \$500; number available is not known at this time	Ezra Jack Keats Minigrant Program 450 14th Street Brooklyn, New York 11215 <a href="http://www.ezra-jack-keats.org/programs/minigrant.html">www.ezra-jack-keats.org/programs/minigrant.html</a>
Avon Foundation Breast Cancer Crusade "Safety Net" Program	09/15/09 <b>LOI Due Date</b>	Supports programs that improve access to quality breast diagnostics & access to breast health care for the medically underserved	Public, community, and safety net hospitals and health care systems; project period of 1-2 years; award range \$100,000-\$500,000 in total project costs; number available will vary	<b>Invitation for full proposal may follow</b> Carolyn Ricci, Project Manager Avon Foundation Breast Cancer Crusade 1345 Avenue of the Americas New York, NY 10105 212-282-5531 <a href="http://www.avoncompany.com/women/avonfoundation/gapeop.html">http://www.avoncompany.com/women/avonfoundation/gapeop.html</a>
USDA Rural Housing Service Rural Community Development Initiative	09/24/09	Provide financial/technical assistance to projects related to housing, community facilities, or community and economic development	Private, nonprofit, including faith-based, and community organizations; award range \$50,000-\$300,000; matching funds are required; number available will vary	Mr. Jerry Virden Arkansas State Rural Development Office 700 W. Capitol Ave., Rm. 3416 Little Rock, AR, 72201-3225 501-301-3250 <a href="http://edocket.access.gpo.gov/2009/E9-15128.htm">http://edocket.access.gpo.gov/2009/E9-15128.htm</a>
Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality (AHRQ) Utilizing Health Information Technology to Improve Health Care Quality	09/25/09	To improve the quality, safety, effectiveness and efficiency of health care in ambulatory settings	Public or private non-profit institution, units of government; max award \$1.2M over 3 years; number available is not known at this time; match is not required	Angela Lavanderos Center for Primary Care, Prevention, and Clinical Partnerships HIT/AHRQ 540 Gaither Road Rockville, MD 20850 301-427-1505 <a href="http://www.ahrq.gov/fund/grantix.htm">http://www.ahrq.gov/fund/grantix.htm</a>

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U.S. Dept. of Labor Employment and Training Administration Pathways Out of Poverty Program	09/29/09	Projects that focus on connecting target populations to career pathways in green industries	Public or private nonprofit organizations; award range \$2M-\$4M; up to 24-month project period; number available will vary; cost sharing is not required	<b>Webinar - July 14, 2009 - 2-3:30 p.m. ET</b> Melissa Abdullah, Grants Management Specialist Division of Federal Assistance 202-693-3346 <a href="http://www.workforce3one.org">www.workforce3one.org</a>
Share Our Strength Great American Bake Sale	09/30/09	Increase participation in USDA-reimbursed after-school & summer meal programs through outreach and advocacy	501c3 org., schools, or local government entities; award range \$1,000-\$10,000; number available will vary	<a href="http://gaabs.strength.org/site/PageServer?pagename=GABS_grants%20">http://gaabs.strength.org/site/PageServer?pagename=GABS_grants%20</a>
Captain Planet Foundation	09/30/09 12/31/09	Fund and support hands-on, environmental projects for children and youth	Tax exempt organizations under IRS code section 501; award range \$250-\$2,500; one year project period	Captain Planet Foundation 133 Luckie Street, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor Atlanta, GA 30303 404-522-4270 <a href="http://www.captainplanetfoundation.org">www.captainplanetfoundation.org</a>
Tony Hawk Foundation Skate Park Grants	10/01/09	To promote high-quality, public skate parks in low-income areas	501c3 organizations, state or local agency; max award \$25,000; 12-month project period; number available will vary	<b>Application period opens August 15, 2009</b> <a href="http://www.tonyhawkfoundation.org/grant_application.asp">http://www.tonyhawkfoundation.org/grant_application.asp</a>
Baseball Tomorrow Fund	10/01/09	Promote and enhance youth participation in baseball and softball	Non-profit and tax-exempt organizations involved in youth baseball and softball programs; approximately 40 awards available; average award \$50,000	<b>LOI required; invitation may follow</b> Baseball Tomorrow Fund 245 Park Avenue New York, NY 10167 <a href="http://mlb.mlb.com/mlb/official_info/community/btf.jsp?content=grant_process">http://mlb.mlb.com/mlb/official_info/community/btf.jsp?content=grant_process</a>
NIH School-Based Interventions to Prevent Obesity	10/05/09	Encourages partnerships between academic institutions & school systems to develop and implement controlled, school-based intervention strategies designed to reduce prevalence of obesity in childhood	Non-profit and for-profit organizations, higher education, small businesses, government entities, tribal entities; cost sharing is not required; amount available will vary; number available will vary	Gilman Grave, M.D. Center for Research for Mothers and Children National Institute of Child Health and Human Development 6100 Executive Boulevard, 4B-11, MSC 7510 Bethesda, MD 20892-7510 301-496-5593 <a href="http://www.grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-07-180.html#SectionIII">http://www.grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-07-180.html#SectionIII</a>
National Institutes of Health Identifying and Reducing Diabetes and Obesity Related Health Disparities within Healthcare Systems	10/05/09	Identify or address factors or barriers that result in disparate outcomes within a healthcare system	Higher education, non-profit organizations, for profit organizations, small businesses, government entities, Indian tribes, HBCUs; award amounts will vary; number available will vary depending on award amounts	Christine Hunter, Ph.D., ABPP Div. Diabetes/Endocrinology/Metabolic Diseases Nat'l Inst. of Diabetes/Digestive/Kidney Diseases 6707 Democracy Blvd, Room 605 Bethesda, Maryland 20892 301-594-4728 <a href="http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-07-388.html">http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-07-388.html</a>

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Avon Foundation 2009 Supporting the Safety Net	10/15/09 <b>(LOI due 09/15/09)</b>	To support programs that improve access to quality breast diagnostics & access to breast health care for the medically underserved	Public, community, and safety net hospitals and health care systems; 1-2 year project period; award range \$100,000-\$500,000	<b>May be invited to submit a full proposal!</b> Avon Foundation Breast Care Fund c/o Cicatelli Associates Inc. 505 Eighth Ave, 16th Floor New York, NY 10018 <a href="http://www.avoncompany.com/women/avonfoundation/gapeop.html">http://www.avoncompany.com/women/avonfoundation/gapeop.html</a>
Medtronic Heart Rescue Grants	10/15/09	To understand risk factors for SCA, recognize SCA, and take immediate action	Nonprofit org., public institutions, schools, school districts & gov't agencies; award range \$5,000-\$30,000; number available will vary	<a href="http://www.medtronic.com/foundation/programs_hr_guidelines_us.html">http://www.medtronic.com/foundation/programs_hr_guidelines_us.html</a> <b>funds may not be used for the purchase of AEDs</b>
NEA Foundation Learning and Leadership Grants	10/15/09 02/01/10	Support high-quality professional development opportunities	Practicing US public school K-12 teachers, education support professionals, higher education faculty and staff; award max \$2,000 for individuals, \$5,000 for groups; 12-month project period	<a href="http://www.neafoundation.org/programs/Learning&amp;Leadership_Guidelines.htm">http://www.neafoundation.org/programs/Learning&amp;Leadership_Guidelines.htm</a>
NIH Building System Capacity for Implementing Evidence-Based Practices in Substance Abuse Treatment and Prevention	10/16/09	Research on the adoption, implementation, and sustainability of proven, innovative therapeutic approaches and business practices	Institutions of Higher Education, non-profit and for-profit org., small businesses, government entities, school districts; up to a 3-year project period; max award \$225,000 per project year; cost sharing is not required; number of awards available will vary	Lori J. Ducharme, Ph.D. Services Research Branch / DESPR National Institute on Drug Abuse 6001 Executive Blvd., Rm 5180, MSC 9589 Bethesda, MD 20892-9589 301-443-2279 <a href="http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-09-105.html">http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-09-105.html</a>
DHHS/AHRQ Small Research Grant to Improve Healthcare Quality through Health Information Technology	10/16/09	Support a wide variety of research designs to improve quality, safety, effectiveness & efficiency of health care	Public or private non-profit institutions, units of government; max award \$100,000 over 2-year project period; number of awards available will vary; match not required	Angela Lavanderos Center for Primary Care, Prevention, and Clinical Partnerships/Health Information Technology Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality 540 Gaither Road Rockville, MD 20850 301-427-1505 <a href="http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-08-268.html">http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-08-268.html</a>
DHHS/NIH Reducing Risk Behaviors by Promoting Positive Youth Development	10/16/09	Enhance understanding of effective positive youth development programs & mechanisms responsible for positive health and developmental outcomes	Government entities, school districts, non profit organizations, including faith/community based org., for profit org., higher education, businesses; award amounts will vary; number available will vary; cost sharing not required	Lynne Haverkos, MD, MPH Center for Research for Mothers and Children The Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD) Building 6100, Room Number 4B05G 6100 Executive Boulevard Bethesda, MD 20892-7510 301-435-6881 <a href="http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-08-242.html#SectionVII">http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-08-242.html#SectionVII</a>

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DHHS/NIH Impact of Health Communication Strategies on Dietary Behavior	10/16/09	Development and implementation of effective communication strategies related to diet and health	Gov't entities, school districts, non profit organizations, including faith/community based org., for profit org., higher education, businesses; max award \$200,000 per year; 2-year project period; cost sharing not required	Amy Yaroch, Ph.D., Nat'l Cancer Institute Division of Cancer Control/Population Sciences 6130 Executive Blvd., EPN Rm 4074, MSC 7335 Bethesda, MD 20892-7335 301-402-8425 <a href="http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-08-240.html">http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-08-240.html</a>
DHHS/NIH Planning Grant for Oral Health Promotion across the Life Span	10/16/09	Support formation of partnerships and/or coalitions among stakeholders to develop a comprehensive research plan on health promotion for a specific oral disease or condition	Non profit and for profit organizations, higher education, businesses, units of state government; award max \$100,000 per year; cost sharing is not required; number available will vary	Maria Teresa Canto, DDS, MS, MPH Center for Clinical Research National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research Building 45, Room 4AS43D 45 Center Drive MSC 6401 Bethesda, MD 20892 301-594-5497 <a href="http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-07-224.html">http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PAR-07-224.html</a>
DHHS National Institutes of Health Women's Mental Health in Pregnancy and the Postpartum Period	10/16/09	Encourage research on women's mental health in relation to pregnancy and the postpartum period	Non profit and for profit entities, units of government, higher education, small businesses, Indian tribes and tribal governments, etc.; max award \$275,000 for a 2-year project period; number available will vary	Kathleen M. O'Leary, M.S.W. Office for Special Populations/NIH 6001 Executive Blvd., Room 8125, MSC 9659 Bethesda, MD 20892-9659 Rockville, MD 20852 (for courier or express service) 301-443-3945 <a href="http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-09-175.html#SectionVII">http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-09-175.html#SectionVII</a>
Healthy Sprouts Award	10/17/09	Encourage growth of health-focused youth gardens	Schools and community-based organizations; up to 20 awards available; max monetary award is a \$500 gift certificate	<a href="http://www.kidsgardening.com/healthysprouts.asp">http://www.kidsgardening.com/healthysprouts.asp</a>
The Rotary Club of Little Rock Grant Program	10/23/09	Youth and community development	Charitable, educational and cultural organizations or groups/individuals; award amounts may vary; number available is unknown	Chair, Research & Development Committee The Rotary Club of Little Rock 1501 North University Avenue, Suite 240 Little Rock, AR 72207 501-663-0063 <a href="http://www.littlerockrotary.org">http://www.littlerockrotary.org</a>
AR Department of Parks and Tourism Trails for Life Grant	10/30/09	To construct trails or other facilities that encourage physical exercise for health reasons	Incorporated city & county governments; max award \$70,000; number available will vary; cash match is not required	<b>Site visits by park staff must be scheduled by 08/03/09 to determine if site is suitable for the proposed development</b> 501-682-1301 <a href="http://www.outdoorgrants.com">http://www.outdoorgrants.com</a>
Build-A-Bear Workshop Bear Hugs Foundation Champ A-Champion Fur Kids	10/31/09 01/31/10	Supports children's health and wellness	501c3 organizations; award range \$1,000-\$10,000; number available is unknown	<a href="http://www.buildabear.com/aboutus/community/grants/default.aspx">http://www.buildabear.com/aboutus/community/grants/default.aspx</a>
National Gardening Association/The Home Depot – 2010 Youth Garden Grants	11/02/09	Reap awards and vital life lessons by working in gardens and habitats	Schools and community organizations with child-centered garden programs; awards will be in the form of 'gift cards'; 100 awards	<a href="http://www.kidsgardening.com/YGG.asp">http://www.kidsgardening.com/YGG.asp</a>

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Love Your Veggies Grant Program	11/07/09	Help schools improve nutrition	Elementary schools; max award \$15,000; 10 awards available	<b>Applications will be available shortly</b> <a href="http://www.loveyourveggies.com">www.loveyourveggies.com</a>
Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality Exploratory and Developmental Grant to Improve Healthcare Quality through HIT	11/16/09	To develop and disseminate evidence on how health IT improves the quality and safety of health care	Public or non-profit private institution, units of government, max award \$300,000; up to 2-year project period; cost sharing is not required; number of awards available will vary	Angela Lavanderos Center for Primary Care, Prevention, and Clinical Partnerships/HIT Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality 540 Gaither Road Rockville, MD 20850 301-427-1505 <a href="http://www.ahrq.gov/fund/grantix.htm">http://www.ahrq.gov/fund/grantix.htm</a>
US Dept. of Justice Weed and Seed Communities Competitive Program	12/01/09	To prevent, control, and reduce violent crime, criminal drug-related activity, and gang activity	State, local, or tribal governments, non-profit organizations in communities with <b>persistent high levels of serious violent crime</b> ; award available up to \$150,000; 12-month project period; 25% cost sharing is required	<b>Draft application due to US Attorney's Office by November 10, 2009</b> 202-616-1152 <a href="http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ccdo/funding/appl_kit.html">www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ccdo/funding/appl_kit.html</a>
Dairy MAX School Wellness through Expanding Breakfast Grant Program	12/01/09	Implement wellness policies through establishment of an <u>alternative breakfast service</u> method designed to increase breakfast participation	Child Nutrition Departments in schools participating in the National School Breakfast Program; max award \$1,000 per campus; number available will vary	Dairy MAX 2214 Paddock Way Drive, Suite 600 Grand Prairie, TX 75050-8709 800-332-4790 <a href="http://www.dairymax.org/expanding_grants.aspx">www.dairymax.org/expanding_grants.aspx</a>
<b>SECTION 4: Proposals with OPEN Application Deadlines</b>				
Jefferson Regional Medical Center Healthy Lifestyles Grants	OPEN	To develop programs and incentives for healthy lifestyle changes	Businesses, churches, and other community groups and organizations – tax exempt status is not required; award amount will vary; number available will vary	Pine Bluff Area Community Foundation D.W. Reynolds Community Service Center 211 W 3rd Ave., Suite 105 Pine Bluff, AR 71601 <a href="http://www.arcf.org/page12819.cfm">http://www.arcf.org/page12819.cfm</a>
The Aubrey Rose Hollenkamp Foundation	OPEN	Provides financial support for medical bills to families caring for children with life threatening illnesses	Individuals; amount available will vary; number of awards available will vary; eligibility based on need of family	Mr. Jerry Hollenkamp, Jr., Trustee 4480 Oakville Drive Cincinnati, OH 45211 <a href="http://www.aubreyrose.org/grants.htm">http://www.aubreyrose.org/grants.htm</a>
Charles Lafitte Foundation	OPEN	Supports education, children's advocacy, medical issues & research, and the arts	501c3 organizations; award amounts vary; number available will vary	<b>Send letter of inquiry; invitation for full proposal may follow</b> c/o Jennifer Vertetis 29520 2nd Ave SW Federal Way, WA 98023 <a href="http://www.charleslafitte.org/applications.html">http://www.charleslafitte.org/applications.html</a>
Rosie's For All Kids Early Childhood Care and Education	OPEN	Help disadvantaged children/low-income families	501c3 organizations; award range \$15,000-\$30,000; number of awards will vary; 12-month project period	<b>Initially submit a letter of intent; invitation to submit a full proposal may follow</b> <a href="http://www.forallkids.org">http://www.forallkids.org</a>
Jenny's Heroes Grant Program	OPEN	Supporting improvement to benefit communities	Any U.S. citizen 18 years old or older can apply to receive a grant; max award \$25,000; number available will vary	<a href="http://www.jennysheroes.com/index.shtml">http://www.jennysheroes.com/index.shtml</a>

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The Christopher Smithers Foundation	OPEN	Alcohol prevention and education	501c3 organization; award amounts vary; number available is unknown	<b>Initial contact - letter of introduction</b> Mrs. Adele Smithers-Fornaci, President The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation, Inc. Box 67 Mill Neck NY 11765 <a href="http://www.smithersfoundation.org/index.htm?smithersbody.htm&amp;2">www.smithersfoundation.org/index.htm?smithersbody.htm&amp;2</a>
Entergy Corporation Open Grants Program	OPEN	Focuses on improving communities as a whole	Non-profit organizations; number of awards available and amount of award will vary	<a href="http://www.energy.com/our_community/Grant_Guidelines.aspx">http://www.energy.com/our_community/Grant_Guidelines.aspx</a>
UnitedHealth Foundation	OPEN	Financial relief for families with children with medical needs not covered/not fully covered by a commercial health benefit plan	Eligible applicants are parents or guardians of a child age 16 or younger; child must be covered by a commercial health benefits plan; maximum lifetime benefit of \$7,500	<a href="https://www.unitedhealthcarechildrensfoundation.org/apply_applicant.html">https://www.unitedhealthcarechildrensfoundation.org/apply_applicant.html</a>
Multiple Sclerosis Foundation	OPEN	Improve quality of life for well-being for individuals diagnosed with MS	Eligible applicants must be 18 years of age or older or the parents of a minor child with MS; max value of assistance \$1,000	<b>Applications available beginning July 1</b> <a href="http://www.msfocus.org/programs_grants_bwmg.php">www.msfocus.org/programs_grants_bwmg.php</a>
The MORGAN Project Quality of Life Grant Program	OPEN	Provide families with a wide variety of supports related to their medically fragile child with <b>physical special needs</b>	Eligible applicants are parents or guardians of a child age 18 or younger with a physical disability; max award \$1,000	Medical Advisory Committee 3830 S. Hwy. A1A, Suite C4, #153 Melbourne Beach, FL. 32951 <a href="http://www.themorganproject.org/Grants.html">http://www.themorganproject.org/Grants.html</a>
Brinker International Charities Committee	OPEN	Support programs/projects affiliated with children /family, arts and civic	501c3 organizations; amounts and number of available awards vary	Brinker International Charitable Committee 6820 LBJ Freeway Dallas, TX 75240 <a href="http://www.brinker.com/contact/charitable_requests.asp#gui">www.brinker.com/contact/charitable_requests.asp#gui</a>
Amy's Courage Fund	OPEN	Established to alleviate the financial constraints that often prevent a victim from escaping domestic abuse	501c3 organizations – applying on behalf of a victim of domestic violence; max award \$2,000; number available will vary	<a href="http://www.nnedv.org/projects/amysfund.html">http://www.nnedv.org/projects/amysfund.html</a> 202-543-5566
Sylvan Dell Publishing	OPEN	Bringing science and math to children through literature	Elementary schools (one school per district); award is a free one-year site license (value approximately \$600)	877-958-2600 <a href="http://www.sylvandellpublishing.com/ResourceGrant.htm">www.sylvandellpublishing.com/ResourceGrant.htm</a>
Glass Foundation	OPEN	Supports education and human services	Contact the foundation for specific eligibility information; eligible states: AR, TX and MO	David D. Glass, Director, Glass Family Foundation 17 Glenbrook Bentonville, AR 72712-3840
Kresge Foundation	OPEN	Building nonprofit sustainability through capital challenge grants	501c3 organizations; amount/number of awards available will vary	3215 W. Big Beaver Road Troy, MI 48084 248-643-9630 <a href="http://www.kresge.org">www.kresge.org</a>

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The Rebsamen Fund	OPEN	Arts/culture, education, health, youth dev., wildlife preservation & protection, human services	Contact the foundation for specific eligibility information	Rebsamen Fund 11219 Financial Centre Parkway, Suite 303 Little Rock, AR 72211
USDA/Communities Facilities Program Rural Emergency Responders	OPEN	Provide fire, police and ambulatory equipment	Non-profits and public bodies; max award \$50,000; <b>CAHs that need equipment upgrades in their ER department would be a high priority for grant funds if eligible</b>	<b>Applications are processed through one of the 6 Arkansas Area Offices - <a href="http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/ar">www.rurdev.usda.gov/ar</a> <a href="http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/rhs/cf/brief_cp_grant.htm">www.rurdev.usda.gov/rhs/cf/brief_cp_grant.htm</a></b>
Sunderland Foundation	OPEN	Dedicated to community building (prefers capital and special projects)	Publicly supported 501c3 charitable organizations; amount available varies, number available is unknown	President, The Sunderland Foundation P.O. Box 25900 Overland Park, Kansas 66225 <a href="http://www.sunderlandfoundation.org/">http://www.sunderlandfoundation.org/</a>
Verizon Foundation	OPEN	To improve the quality of life in Verizon communities	Non profit org., elementary/secondary schools; award amounts/# available vary	<a href="http://foundation.verizon.com/grant/application.shtml">http://foundation.verizon.com/grant/application.shtml</a>
Ralph and Eileen Swett Foundation	OPEN	Make a positive difference in the lives of individuals	501c3 organizations; award amounts and numbers available vary	<a href="http://www.swettfoundation.org">http://www.swettfoundation.org</a>
Guitar Center Music Foundation	OPEN	To experience the joys of making music	501c3 organizations; award range \$500-\$5,000; number available is unknown	<a href="http://www.guitarcentermusicfoundation.org/grants/index.cfm?sec=info">www.guitarcentermusicfoundation.org/grants/index.cfm?sec=info</a>
US DOJ Office for Victims of Crime Helping Outreach Programs to Expand (HOPE) Grant Program	OPEN	Improve outreach and services to victims of crime	Grassroots, community/faith-based, nonprofit victim org. in operation at least 1 yr/annual operating budget of less than \$50,000; max award \$5,000; number of awards is unknown	HOPE Program Mgr., Office for Victims of Crime 810 Seventh Street, NW. Washington, DC 20531 202-307-5983 <a href="http://www.ojp.gov/ovc/fund/expandingoutreach/welcome.html">www.ojp.gov/ovc/fund/expandingoutreach/welcome.html</a>
Allstate Foundation	OPEN	Foster safe and vital communities	501c3 organizations; award amount varies; number available varies	Cathy Neal 555 Marriott Drive, Suite 400 Nashville, TN 37214-4019 615- 885-7947 <a href="http://www.allstate.com/foundation/funding-guidelines.aspx">www.allstate.com/foundation/funding-guidelines.aspx</a>

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