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CHILDREN SERVICES

Teammates for Kids Foundation

Grants to Support Children's Services

Program: The Teammates for Kids Foundation accepts proposals from organizations that serve children with education, health, and inner-city programs. The foundation is looking for health programs that focus on prevention and recovery from health problems as well as education initiatives that encourage healthy living. Grants support direct services. The foundation is interested in funding programs that demonstrate both short and long-term impacts on the lives of children.

Funds: Range of grants: \$10,000 to \$50,000

Deadline: February 1, 2005

Eligible: Nonprofit organizations with 501(c)(3) status

Information: Teammates for Kids Foundation, 7851 South Elati Street, Suite 200, Littleton, CO 80120, Link: http://www.touchemall.com/apply_for_grant/apply_grant.htm

DISABILITIES

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

State Implementation Projects for Preventing Secondary Conditions and Promoting the Health of People with Disabilities

Program: The state capacity cooperative agreements are providing financial assistance to:

- 1) Establish and/or sustain state offices for preventing secondary conditions and promoting the health of people with disabilities as a state public health priority, and serve as a technical assistance resource and statewide focus for the prevention of secondary conditions;
- 2) Support an advisory function to coordinate and provide policy and program direction guidance in the state;
- 3) Develop and/or implement a state strategic plan or policy instrument for health promotion for persons with disabilities;
- 4) Establish and implement partnerships with universities or state health departments or other state agencies to support and complement project activities;
- 5) Maintain and refine prescribed public health surveillance or survey activities related to disability and/or secondary conditions in order to implement prevention efforts and program evaluation activities;
- 6) Provide technical assistance to communities; and
- 7) Promote education and health promotion programs for persons with disabilities, conduct training of health professionals, and facilitate access to services for persons with disabilities.

Measurable outcomes of the program will be in alignment with one or more of the

following performance goals for the National Center on Birth Defects and Developmental Disabilities: to improve the health and quality of life of Americans with disabilities.

- Funds:** Total funds available: \$2,500,000
Range of grants: \$125,000 to \$360,000
Number of awards: nine to 11
- Deadline:** Letter of intent: December 3, 2004
Application: January 3, 2005
- Eligible:** State health departments or their bona fide agents or designees
- Information:** Donald Betts, Lead Public Health Analyst, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center on Birth Defects and Developmental Disabilities, 1600 Clifton Road, NE (MS E 88), Atlanta, GA 30333, Telephone: (404) 498-3957, E-mail: dbetts@cdc.gov, Link: <http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/06jun20041800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2004/04-24514.htm>
- FR:** 11/3 64062-64067

EDUCATION

The Character Education Partnership National Schools of Character Program

Program: The Character Education Partnership's 2005 National Schools of Character awards program recognizes schools and school districts, serving students in kindergarten through grade twelve, with outstanding character education programs that lead to improvements in student behavior, school atmosphere, and academic performance. Programs should emphasize ethical values such as caring, honesty, respect, and responsibility.

Funds: Award size: \$2,000

Deadline: December 6, 2004

Eligible: Public and private schools in the United States with character education programs

Information: National Schools of Character, Character Education Partnership, 1025 Connecticut Avenue, N.W., Suite 1011, Washington, DC 20036, Telephone: (202) 296-7743, Email: geninfo@character.org, Link: <http://www.character.org>

U.S. Department of Education Office of Innovation and Improvement Advanced Placement Incentive Program

Program: The Advanced Placement Incentive program awards competitive grants designed to increase the successful participation of low-income students in pre-advanced placement and advanced placement courses and tests. By supporting increased access to, and participation in, pre-advanced placement and advanced placement courses and tests, the program provides greater opportunities for low-income students to achieve to high standards in English, mathematics, science, and other core subjects.

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Funds: Total funds available: \$51,534,000
Average grant size: \$750,000
Number of awards: 32

Deadline: Letter of intent: December 15, 2004
Applications: January 5, 2005

Eligible: State educational agencies, local educational agencies including charter schools that are considered local educational agencies, and national nonprofit educational entities with expertise in advanced placement services.

Information: Madeline E. Baggett, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Room 4W210, Washington, DC 20202-5943, Telephone: (202) 260-2502, Email: madeline.baggett@ed.gov, Link: <http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/06jun20041800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2004/04-24896.htm>

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**U.S. Department of Education
Office of Innovation and Improvement
Advanced Placement Test Fee Program**

Program: The Advanced Placement Test Fee program provides grants to states to enable them to pay advanced placement test fees on behalf of eligible low-income students who are enrolled in an advanced placement course and plan to take an advanced placement exam. The program is designed to increase the number of low-income students who take advanced placement tests and receive scores for college academic credit. Participation in this program helps low-income students achieve higher standards in English, mathematics, science, and other core subjects. The program also seeks to increase the number of low-income students who achieve baccalaureate and advanced degrees.

Funds: Total funds available: \$51,534,000
Range of grants: \$5,000 to \$500,000
Number of awards: 50

Deadline: Letter of intent: December 1, 2004
Applications: December 13, 2004

Eligible: State educational agencies

Information: Madeline E. Baggett, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., room 4W210, Washington, DC 20202-5943, Telephone: (202) 260-2502, E-mail: madeline.baggett@ed.gov, Link: <http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/06jun20041800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2004/04-24895.htm>

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**Staples Foundation
Funds to Promote Learning**

Program: The Staples Foundation for Learning will provide funds to support programs providing job skills and education for all people, with emphasis on disadvantage

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youth.
Funds: Range of grants: \$5,000 to \$25,000
Deadline: January 3, 2005
Eligible: Nonprofit organizations with 501 (c) (3) status
Information: Staples Foundation for Learning, 500 Staples Drive Four West, Framingham, MA 01702, Fax: (508) 253-9600, E-mail: foundationinfo@staples.com, Link: <http://www.staplesfoundation.org/>

HEALTH

**U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Dissemination Research on Fall Prevention: Development and Testing of an Exercise Program Package to Prevent Older Adult Falls**

Program: This research study is a cooperative agreement that seeks to:

- A) Translate an effective exercise fall intervention for older adults into a program package that can be delivered to community-based organizations for implementation with older adults, and
- B) Develop and implement dissemination research that is focused on reach and adoption, feasibility for the organizations offering the program and the individual participants, fidelity by the provider to the key elements that made the original intervention effective, and acceptability of the program to the organizations and to the older adult recipients.

Development of the program package will involve developing multiple package components, including the materials needed to:

- 1) Recruit organizations and individuals,
- 2) Train program providers, and
- 3) Deliver and implement the program in a non-research setting.

The principal investigator is expected to seek collaboration with and feedback from relevant experts such as representatives from the administrations of senior service organizations; technical experts in areas such as health care, physical therapy, and occupational therapy; health education specialists; and community-dwelling seniors. In addition, the principal investigator may use video and other media experts. As a result of this translation and dissemination research, future dissemination activities will be informed about strategies that may enhance reach; increase organizational uptake in diverse, non-research, community-based settings; improve provider fidelity to key elements in program delivery; and increase organizations' and older adults' acceptance of the fall prevention exercise program.

Funds: Total funds available: \$350,000
Number of awards: one
Deadline: Letter of intent: December 8, 2004
Application: February 7, 2005
Eligible: Public and private nonprofit and for profit organizations and governments and their

agencies, including research institutions, universities, colleges, hospitals, and community and faith-based organizations

Information: Karin Mack, Ph.D., National Center for Injury Prevention and Control, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), 4770 Buford Hwy NE., Mailstop K-63, Atlanta, GA 30341, Telephone: (770) 488-4389, E-mail: KMack@cdc.gov, Link: <http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/06jun20041800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2004/04-24715.htm>

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**U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Public Health Injury Surveillance and Prevention Program**

Program: The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention announces the availability of fiscal year 2005 funds for a cooperative agreement program for the development, enhancement, and integration of injury prevention and control and surveillance programs. The purpose of this program is to enable state public health agencies to develop or strengthen their organizational focus related to the prevention and control of injuries and to develop or strengthen their injury surveillance programs, particularly those with a focus on traumatic brain injury. This announcement incorporates funding guidance for the following four components:

- 1) Part A – the Integrated Core Injury Prevention and Control Program to support the planning, implementation and integration of comprehensive injury prevention and control activities with basic injury surveillance activities. CDC defines injury program integration as a coordinated approach to reducing the incidence, morbidity, and mortality of injury through surveillance and prevention efforts.
- 2) Part B – the Traumatic Brain Injury Extended Surveillance Program to support efforts to provide expanded information on the incidence of traumatic brain injury.
- 3) Part C – the Traumatic Brain Injury Emergency Department Surveillance Program to component support efforts to provide information on the incidence of mild traumatic brain injury treated in the emergency department, and
- 4) Part D – the Traumatic Brain Injury Service Linkage Program to support efforts to link individuals with traumatic brain injury to information about services.

Measurable outcomes of the program will be in alignment with one or more of the following performance goals for the National Center for Injury Prevention and Control:

- 1) Increase the capacity of injury prevention and control programs to address the prevention of injuries and violence.
- 2) Monitor and detect fatal and non-fatal injuries.

Funds: *Part A:*
Total funds available: \$4,750,000
Average grant size: \$144,000
Number of awards: 33

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Part B:

Total funds available: \$440,000

Average grant size: \$110,000

Number of awards: four

Part C:

Total funds available: \$300,000

Grant size: \$150,000

Number of awards: two

Part D:

Total funds available: \$150,000

Grant size: \$50,000

Number of awards: three

Deadline: Letter of intent: December 8, 2004

Application: February 7, 2005.

Eligible: Health departments of states and territories or their bona fide agents

Information: Angela Marr, Project Officer, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 4770

Buford Hwy., NE., M.S. F-41, Atlanta, GA 30341-3724, Telephone: (770) 488-1428,

E-mail: amarr@cdc.gov, Link:

<http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/06jun20041800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2004/04-24809.htm>

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U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

New Investigator Training Awards for Unintentional Injury, Violence Related Injury, Injury Biomechanics, and Acute Injury Care Research

Program: The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention announces the availability of fiscal year 2005 funds for grants for new investigator training awards in four research areas:

- 1) unintentional injury prevention,
- 2) violence-related injury prevention,
- 3) injury-related acute care/mass trauma research, and
- 4) injury-related biomechanics research.

Funds: Total funds available: \$900,000

Average grant size: \$100,000

Number of awards: nine

Deadline: Letter of intent: December 6, 2004

Application: February 2, 2005.

Eligible: Public and private nonprofit organizations, universities, colleges, research institutions, hospitals, and community and faith-based organizations

Information: Paul Smutz, Ph.D, Project Officer, National Center for Injury Prevention and Control, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 4770 Buford Highway, NE., Mailstop K-02, Atlanta, GA 30341, Telephone: (770) 488-1508, E-mail: wsmutz1@cdc.gov, Link: <http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/06jun20041800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2004/04-24616.htm>

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**U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Violence-Related Injury Prevention Research: Youth Violence, Suicidal Behavior, Child
Maltreatment, Intimate Partner Violence, and Sexual Violence**

Program: The purposes of the program are to:

- 1) Build the scientific base for the prevention and control of fatal and nonfatal injuries and related disabilities;
- 2) Encourage professionals from a wide spectrum of disciplines of epidemiology, behavioral and social sciences, medicine, biostatistics, public health, law, criminal justice, and engineering to perform research in order to prevent and control injuries more effectively;
- 3) Encourage investigators to propose research that involves intervention development and testing as well as research on methods and enhances the adoption and maintenance of effective intervention strategies among individuals, organizations, or communities.

Funds: Total funds available: \$1,680,000
Average grant size: \$300,000
Number of awards: five to six

Deadline: Letter of intent: December 6, 2004
Application: February 2, 2005

Eligible: Public and private nonprofit and for profit organizations, including universities, colleges, research institutions, hospitals, and community-based organizations.

Information: Paul Smutz, Ph.D, Project Officer, National Center for Injury Prevention and Control, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 4770 Buford Highway, NE., Mailstop K-02, Atlanta, GA 30341, Telephone: (770) 488-1508, Email: wsmutz@cdc.gov.

Link:

<http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/06jun20041800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2004/04-24618.htm>

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HOUSING

**U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development
Revitalization of Severely Distressed Public Housing
HOPE VI Revitalization Grants Fiscal Year 2004**

Program: The purpose of HOPE VI revitalization grants is to assist public housing authorities to:

- 1) Improve the living environment for public housing residents of severely distressed public housing projects through the demolition, rehabilitation, reconfiguration, or replacement of obsolete public housing projects;
- 2) Revitalize sites, including remaining public housing dwelling units, on which

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such public housing projects are located and contribute to the improvement of the surrounding neighborhood;

- 3) Provide housing that will avoid or decrease the concentration of very low-income families; and
- 4) Build sustainable communities.

Funds: Total funds available:
Revitalization Grants: \$120 million
Housing Choice Voucher Assistance: \$ 20 million

Deadline: February 1, 2005

Eligible: Public housing authorities that have severely distressed housing in their inventory and are otherwise in conformance with the threshold requirements of the federal funding

Information: Mr. Milan Ozdinec, Deputy Assistant Secretary for Public Housing Investments, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, SW., Room 4130, Washington, DC 20410-5000, Telephone: (202) 401-8812, Fax: (202) 401-2370, Link:
<http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/06jun20041800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2004/04-24275.htm>

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JOB TRAINING

Neighborhood Jobs Trust and the Office of Jobs and Community Services Request for Proposals for “Steps to Employment” Adult Skills Training Services

Program: On behalf of the Neighborhood Jobs Trust, the Office of Jobs and Community Services plans to issue a Request for Proposals (RFP) for adult skills training services on November 22, 2004. The purpose of this “Steps to Employment” Skills Training RFP is to identify basic and vocational skills training services which will enable unemployed and underemployed Boston residents to move into skilled, entry-level employment. The Office of Jobs and Community Services seeks proposals that will integrate basic skills with specific occupational skills, provide comprehensive case management, and demonstrate strong employer involvement. The funder has a particular interest in evening and weekend training to accommodate the needs of many Bostonians who are only able to participate in off-hours training. Among the service populations, the Office of Jobs and Community Services also hopes to reach in larger numbers are men of all ages to address the historical under-representation of men in skills training programs. The RFP will be available at the Office of Jobs and Community Services. A bidders’ conference will be held November 30 at 10:00 a.m. in the Rabb Lecture Hall of the Copley Library.

Funds: Total funds available: \$1 million

Deadline: Letters of intent to apply: December 3, 2004
Proposals: January 6, 2005 at 4:00 p.m.

Eligible: Public and nonprofit agencies and organizations, including institutions of higher education,

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Information: Ken Barnes, Office of Jobs and Community Services, 43 Hawkins Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02114, E-mail: ken.barnes.jcs@ci.boston.ma.us

JUSTICE

Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety Disproportionate Minority Contact Reduction in Boston

Program: The Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety (EOPS) has funding available over the next three years for a project or program that aims to reduce the overrepresentation of Boston minority youth who are detained in secure juvenile detention facilities.

Funds: Total funds available: \$350,000

Deadline: Letter of intent: December 6, 2004
Application: Monday, December 20, 2004 at 4:00 p.m.

Eligible: State agencies, units of local government, and private not-for-profit agencies

Information: Elizabeth Spinney, DMC Reduction Specialist, Executive Office of Public Safety Programs Division, One Ashburton Place, Suite 2110, Boston, MA 02108, Telephone: (617) 727-6300, x25356, E-mail: Elizabeth.Spinney@state.ma.us, Link: http://www.mass.gov/ccj/download/DMC_application.pdf

U.S. Department of Justice Office for Victims of Crime Grants for Victims' Rights Awareness

Program: The Justice Department's Office for Victims of Crime will award funds to communities conducting National Crime Victims' Week Community Awareness Projects. The office seeks "innovative and collaborative approaches to promote community-wide awareness of victims' rights and available services." Selected communities will be eligible for reimbursement of expenses for conducting these awareness initiatives. The National Crime Victims' Week takes place from April 10 to 16, 2005.

Funds: Award size: \$5,000
Number of awards: approximately 60

Deadline: December 3, 2004

Eligible: Public agencies, nonprofit organizations, community-based victim service organizations, faith-based organizations, tribal organizations, and community coalitions committed to advocating for the rights and services of crime victims

Information: U.S. Department of Justice, Office for Victims of Crime, Fax: (202) 305-2440, E-mail: AskOVC@usdoj.gov, Link: <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ovc/fund/2005NCVRFund/welcome.html>

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**U.S Department of Justice Department
Office of Victims of Crime
Helping Outreach Programs to Expand Grant Program**

- Program:** Through a series of roundtable meetings with crime victims and victim advocates, the Office for Victims of Crime became aware of a growing body of grassroots, nonprofit, community- and faith-based victim organizations and coalitions that are not linked to mainstream victim service programs and do not have access to traditional funding for services, outreach, and networking. Oftentimes, these organizations need only a small amount of money and access to resources to expand and enhance their outreach and services to crime victims. The U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Office for Victims of Crime will provide funding to grassroots community and faith-based victim service organizations and coalitions to improve outreach and services to crime victims, through support of program development, networking, coalition building, and service delivery. Funds may be used to develop program literature, train advocates, produce a newsletter, support victim outreach efforts, and recruit volunteers.
- Funds:** Award size: up to \$5,000
- Deadline:** Open
- Eligible:** Established organizations and coalitions in operation for at least one year that do not receive federal Victims of Crime Act victim assistance grant funding and operate with \$50,000 or less in annual funding.
- Information:** U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Justice Programs, Office for Victims of Crime, 810 Seventh Street NW, Washington, DC 20531, Telephone: (202) 307-5983, Fax: (202) 514-6383 or (202) 305-2440, Link: <http://www.ojp.usdoj.gov/ovc/fund/expandingoutreach/welcome.html>

SPORTS

**Women's Sports Foundation
Travel and Training Fund**

- Program:** The goal of the fund is to relieve female athletes of the financial burden associated with competing at higher levels and to permit them to concentrate on their training. Requests for assistance are considered for coaching, specialized training, equipment, attire, and travel.
- Funds:** Award size: up to \$2,000 for individuals and up to \$4,000 for teams
- Deadline:** December 31, 2004
- Eligible:** U.S. citizens or legal residents who are amateur female athletes or teams that compete regionally, nationally, or internationally, or are ranked by a national governing body, and have a successful record within a sport or age group. Funding requests will not be considered from high school, college or university, or community recreation sports teams.
- Information:** Women's Sports Foundation, Travel and Training Fund, Eisenhower Park East Meadow, NY 11554, Link: <http://www.womenssportsfoundation.org/cgi->

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SUBSTANCE ABUSE

**U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration
State Adolescent Substance Abuse Treatment Coordination**

Program: The purpose of State Adolescent Substance Abuse Treatment Coordination grants is to build capacity in states to provide effective, accessible, and affordable substance abuse treatment for youth and their families. Grants will provide funding to support a staff position, who must be a state official whose sole responsibility is ensuring the effectiveness of adolescent substance abuse treatment state-wide, and a state process to assess, facilitate, and coordinate ongoing, self-sustaining cross- system planning for effective adolescent substance abuse treatment. Grantees are required to hire or dedicate a full-time employee at the state level vested with the authority to convene and coordinate all of the state agencies that allocate public health resources that may provide funding and other support for adolescents and their families needing early intervention and treatment services for substance use disorders. The state adolescent substance abuse treatment coordinator also shall also form linkages with other service systems that provide mental health, education, health, child welfare, and juvenile justice services for youth and their families and identify opportunities to coordinate funding and treatment resources across these systems to the fullest extent possible. The grantee must create a position vested with the authority necessary to accomplish these tasks, and to hire or designate an individual who has the necessary skills and experience appropriate for the position, including an understanding of the correlation of co-occurring mental health and substance use disorders.

Funds: Total funds available: \$7.1 million
Grant size: up to \$400,000 in total costs per year for up to three years
Number of awards: up to 22

Deadline: January 12, 2005

Eligible: States

Information: Randolph D. Muck, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration/
Center for Substance Abuse Treatment/DSI, One Choke Cherry Road, Room 5-1083,
Rockville, MD 20857, Telephone: (240) 276-1576, E-mail:
randy.muck@samhsa.hhs.gov, Link:
<http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/06jun20041800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2004/04-25187.htm>

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**U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration
Targeted Capacity Expansion Grants Program**

Program: The purpose of the Targeted Capacity Expansion Grants program is to expand and

enhance the community's ability to provide a comprehensive, integrated, and community-based response to a targeted, well-documented substance abuse treatment capacity problem and improve the quality and intensity of services. For example, a community might seek a Targeted Capacity Expansion Grant to add state-of-the-art treatment approaches or new services to address emerging trends or unmet needs, such as intensive case management, referral, and follow-up services to address related HIV, tuberculosis, hepatitis B and C, and other primary health care needs of substance abusing clients. Applicants are encouraged to engage, through coordination or subcontracting, the skills of private, non-profit, and community-based organizations not eligible to apply on their own. Grants will fund programs in three categories:

- 1) Treatment for selected native populations, including American Indian, Alaska Native, or Asian American/Pacific Islanders;
- 2) Treatment focused on methamphetamine and other emerging drugs in adult, rural populations; and
- 3) Campus screening and brief intervention to both combat underage drinking and substance use and promote innovative screening, brief intervention, and referral to treatment of college and university students with or at high risk of substance use disorders.

Funding is not designed to meet statewide treatment needs, but to meet the needs of individual communities in cities, towns, counties, and multi-county partnerships. Therefore, states that apply for category one and two must identify a specific city, town, county or multi-county partnership that will be the targeted geographic area of need.

- Funds:** Total funds available: \$16 million
Grant size: up to \$500,000 in total costs per year for up to three years
- Deadline:** January 13, 2005
- Eligible:** States and units of local government, such as cities, towns, and counties are eligible to apply for funding in categories one and two. Public and private, non-profit colleges and universities are eligible to apply for funding in category three.
- Information:** Ken Robertson, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration/ Center for Substance Abuse Treatment, One Choke Cherry Road, Room 5-1001, Rockville, MD 20857, Telephone (240) 276- 1621; E-mail: kenneth.robertson@samhsa.hhs.gov,
Link:
<http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/06jun20041800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2004/04-25188.htm>
- FR:** 11/12 65441-65445

**U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
Community-Based Interventions for Alcohol-Impaired Driving**

Program: This research study is a cooperative agreement that seeks to evaluate interventions to decrease alcohol-impaired driving in community settings and the resulting deaths and injuries. This announcement is appropriate for organizations that are currently conducting research of multifaceted, community-based intervention that targets

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alcohol and motor vehicle-related injuries. Funds will be provided to:

- 1) Evaluate the supplementary benefits from adding one or more strategies to reduce alcohol-impaired driving to an existing multifaceted community-based program to prevent alcohol- and/or motor vehicle-related injuries; or
- 2) Evaluate the results of an existing, effective multifaceted community-based intervention to reduce alcohol-impaired driving when applied to another community with different demographic characteristics.

Funds: Total funds available: \$350,000

Number of awards: one

Deadline: Letter of intent: December 20, 2004

Application: February 7, 2005

Eligible: Public and private nonprofit and for profit organizations and governments and their agencies, including state, local, and tribal public health departments, transportation and traffic safety agencies, research institutions, and colleges and universities

Information: L.J. David Wallace, MS, Injury Prevention Specialist, National Center for Injury Prevention and Control, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 4770 Buford Highway, NE., Mailstop K-02, Atlanta, GA 30341, Telephone: (770) 488- 4712, E-mail: Dwallace2@cdc.gov, Link: <http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/06jun20041800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2004/04-25672.htm>

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YOUTH

Associated Grant Makers

Summer Fund

Program: The Summer Fund is a donor collaborative, managed by Associated Grant Makers, that generates resources to support and strengthen summer camps serving the low-income neighborhoods of Boston, Cambridge, Chelsea, and Somerville. Through the Summer Fund process, Associated Grant Makers serves as a broker between community agencies administering summer camps and the corporate, foundation, and individual donors who offer financial support to these camps. The Fund contributes to quality summer camps that provide youth with opportunities for skill development, personal growth, and new experiences. The Summer Fund provides funding in four categories.

- 1) General Camp Operating Support: Helping Kids Learn, Grow, and Have Fun – The Summer Fund provides camps with funding that can be used for general operating expenses.
- 2) The Educational Initiative: Giving Kids An Academic Boost – Through training and educational resources specifically designed for staff working with urban youth, camps are more prepared to provide services that address the whole child while building their educational programming.
- 3) Cultural Day: Providing Kids with Cultural Experiences – The Cultural Day program supports free admissions during the summer for campers to eight

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leading Boston area cultural and educational programs, as well as reduced cost admissions to 27 other organizations, including the Franklin Park Zoo, the USS Constitution, museums, dance workshops, and theater productions.

- 4) Homeless Campership Fund: Getting Homeless Kids to Camp – The Homeless Campership Fund offers subsidies to camps that provide access to homeless children living in shelters.

The Summer Fund provides camps with funding that can be used for general operating expenses, not capital improvements. Recommendations are based on the camp's proposal, request, final report, site visit evaluations, and the anticipated funds available through the 2005 Summer Fund. First-time applicants are eligible to apply for a maximum of \$5,000, while camps that have been funded for a year or more may apply for up to 40 percent of their cash budget.

Funds: Total funds awarded: \$1.2 million annually
Average grant: \$17,000

Deadline: Monday, January 3, 2005 by 5:00 p.m.

Eligible: Summer camps with a private nonprofit fiscal agent are eligible to apply. Residential camps should meet American Camping Association guidelines and day camps should meet Department of Public Health requirements. The Summer Fund is intended for summer camps serving inner-city, school-age youth from Boston, Cambridge, Chelsea, and Somerville.

Information: Associated Grant Makers, Summer Fund, 55 Court Street, Suite 520, Boston, MA 02108, Telephone: (617) 426-2606, Fax: (617) 426-2849, Link: www.agmconnect.org/summerfund/index.html

Suffolk County District Attorney Drug Forfeiture Grant Program

Program: The Suffolk County District Attorney's Office is seeking applications for programs to prevent crime and drug use among young people. The money will be disbursed from the Forfeiture Reinvestment Program to fund community intervention and prevention efforts that reduce the use of drugs and the negative consequences of drug abuse among at-risk youth.

Deadline: November 26, 2004

Funds: Total funds available: \$40,000 per year for two years

Eligible: Not-for-profit community organizations

Information: David Procopio, Press Secretary, District Attorney of Suffolk County, One Bulfinch Place, Boston, MA 02114, Telephone: (617) 619-4189, Fax: (617) 619-4210

Boston Youth Sports Initiative Good Sports Community Partners Program

Program: The Boston Youth Sports Initiative, in collaboration with United Way of Massachusetts Bay and Good Sports, is inviting youth athletic organizations to participate in their equipment donation program. Good Sport's goal is to increase the participation of urban youth in sports, fitness, and recreational programs. Good Sports is an entrepreneurial non-profit organization that helps make sports and fitness

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equipment accessible to young people throughout Massachusetts. Good Sports will serve over 12,000 kids this year by providing necessary sports equipment and apparel to youth and athletic organizations in low-income, urban areas. Good Sports develops partnerships with sports equipment organizations, colleges and universities, and the general public to secure donations and distribute that equipment to community-based athletic programs in need.

- Funds:** Total funds available: \$1 million in equipment over two years
- Deadline:** ongoing
- Eligible:** Organizations that meet the following criteria:
- Located and/or serve youth within Good Sports target communities of Boston, Brockton, Cambridge, Chicopee, Fall River, Framingham, Haverhill, Lawrence, Lowell, Lynn, New Bedford, Somerville, Springfield, and Worcester;
 - Operate an organized sport or recreation program that is not necessarily competitive, but must have coaching, be structured, and meet multiple times;
 - Directly serve youth aged five to 18 years old;
 - Demonstrates significant dosage of sports or recreation time with priority for programs that meet for longer durations or multiple times per week.
- Information:** Chris Lynch, Good Sports, Inc., 273 Summer Street, 4th Floor, Boston, MA 02210, Telephone: (617) 624-0503, E-mail: clynch@bostonyouthsports.org, Link: <http://www.good-sports.org/>

FOUNDATION PROFILES

The Overbrook Foundation Youth Program

- Program:** The goal of the Overbrook Foundation's Youth Program is to provide low-income adolescents and young adults with opportunities to develop leadership skills, practice active citizenship, and foster creativity. The foundation supports programs that include a direct services component and leadership development activities that encourage collective action and advocacy, promote systemic social change, and build communication skills in young people.
- Funds:** Total funds available: \$ 7 million per year
Range of grants: \$20,000 to \$75,000
- Deadline:** The foundation accepts letters of inquiry throughout the year and the board of directors meets four times annually to review recommended proposals.
- Eligible:** Nonprofit, tax-exempt organizations that meet Internal Revenue Code 501(c)(3) requirements and qualified governmental units or agencies.
- Information:** Rini Banerjee, Youth Program, The Overbrook Foundation, 122 East 42nd Street, Suite 2500, New York, NY 10168, Telephone: (212) 661-8710, Fax: (212) 661-8664, E-mail: apply@overbrookfoundation.org, Link: <http://www.overbrook.org/apply/apply.html>

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**Citizens Bank
Community Champions Program**

- Program:** Each quarter, Citizens Bank features a non-profit organization as a Community Champion in Rhode Island, Massachusetts, Connecticut, New Hampshire, and Philadelphia. The organizations serve a designated area of social concern and address a specific community need. Each Community Champion receives:
- A \$25,000 contribution in unrestricted funds from Citizens Bank Foundation.
 - Coverage from Citizens Bank’s media partners, including public service announcements and television profiles.
 - Volunteer support from Citizens Bank employees.
 - Public relations support.
 - Promotional support, including advertising in Citizens Bank branches and on Citizens Bank ATMs, as well as on the Citizens Bank website and its media partners’ websites.
- Funds:** Award size: \$25,000
- Deadline:** Quarterly: January, April, July, and October
- Eligible:** Massachusetts-based, nonprofit, 501(c) (3) organizations that provide services in Massachusetts and address the designated social concern for the quarter
- Information:** Citizens Bank, Public Affairs Department, Attention: Community Champions Program, 53 State Street, 8th Floor, Boston, MA 02109, Telephone: (800) 852-5577, Link: http://www.citizensbank.com/community/champion/cmnty_champions.asp

RECENT AWARDS

**United States Department of Health and Human Services
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration**

- Grants:**
- *Boston Public Health Commission* – \$500,000 per year for each of three years for Entre Familia, a program that provides comprehensive services based on a culturally-and gender-specific family focused model for Latinas. The grant will support the expansion of the program and provide the resources to serve approximately 30 women and their infants and children per project year .
- Information:** Leah Young, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, One Choke Cherry Road Room 8-1054, Rockville MD 20857, Telephone: (240) 276-2130, E-mail: Leah.Young@samhsa.hhs.gov, Link: <http://www.samhsa.gov/>

Ford Foundation

- Program:**
- *Greater Boston Physicians for Social Responsibility* – \$100,000 to conduct research for a book assessing the environmental causes of children’s illnesses

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in the United States.

- *Jobs for the Future* – \$75,000 to develop and implement a set of programs designed to increase the reach and effectiveness of work-force intermediary organizations in the United States.

Information: Ford Foundation, 320 East 43rd Street, New York, New York 10017, Telephone: (212) 573-5000, Fax: (212) 351-3677, Link: <http://www.fordfound.org>

Staples Foundation for Learning

Program: ▪ *Inner City Entrepreneurs* – \$15,000 to provide inner-city business owners with the training and support necessary to strengthen their businesses and become community leaders.

Information: Staples Foundation for Learning, 500 Staples Drive, Four West, Framingham, MA, 01702, Fax: (508) 253-9600, E-mail: foundationinfo@staples.com, Link: <http://www.staplesfoundation.org>

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