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ARTS

Network of Cultural Centers of Color and National Performance Network Collaborative Subsidy Project

Program: The Network of Cultural Centers of Color and the National Performance Network will

provide grants to support minority artists in a performance residency that consists of community activities and at least one public performance. Grants may be used only to

pay artists' expenses, including housing and transportation.

Funds: Grant size: up to \$5,000

Deadline: August 1, 2005

Eligible: Minority artists in the United States

Information: National Performance Network, 225 Baronne Street, Suite 1712, New Orleans, LA

70112, Telephone: (504) 595-8008, Fax: (504) 595-8006, E-mail:

jwilson@npnweb.org, Link: www.npnweb.org/nccc

The Grammy Foundation

Grant Program

Program: The Grammy Foundation supports projects in music archiving, preservation, and

research. Research projects should focus on the effects of music education in early childhood, music study and human development, and the medical and occupational well-being of music professionals. Archiving and preservation projects support efforts that advance the archiving and preservation of the music and recorded sound heritage

of the Americas.

Funds: Range of grants: \$10,000 to \$40,000

Deadline: October 1, 2005

Eligible: Music-education organizations and individuals who support efforts to advance music

archiving, preservation, and research.

Information: Kristin Murphy, Grammy Foundation, 3402 Pico Boulevard, Santa Monica, CA

90405, Telephone: (310) 392-3777, ext. 8662, Fax: (310) 392-2188, E-mail:

grant@grammy.com, Link: www.grammyfoundation.com/grants

CHILDREN AND FAMILIES

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Administration for Children and Families

Office of Planning, Research, and Evaluation

Secondary Analysis of Data from the National Survey of Child Abuse and Neglect

Program: The Administration for Children and Families has funding available to support grants

for secondary analysis of data available from the National Survey on Child and

Adolescent Well-Being. The planned analyses should be designed to advance the state of knowledge in child maltreatment, child welfare services, child and family services,

and child development for high risk children.

Funds: Total funds available: \$800,000

Average grant size: \$75,000 Number of awards: five to ten

Deadline: August 5, 2005

Eligible: Entities that are eligible to obtain licenses for National Survey on Child and

Adolescent Well-Being data, as described under the licensing agreements available at the National Data Archive on Child Abuse and Neglect at www.ndacan.cornell.edu

the National Data Archive on Child Aduse and Neglect at www.ndacan.comen.edu

Information: Mary Bruce Webb, Administration for Children and Families, Office of Planning, Research and Evaluation, 370 L'Enfant Promenade, Washington, DC 20447,

Telephone: (202) 205-8628, E-mail: mbwebb@acf.hhs.gov, Link:

http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/01jan20051800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2005

/05-12157.htm

FR: 6/21 35670-35678

Harvard University and the Annie E. Casey Foundation

Annie E. Casey Innovations Award in Children and Family System Reform

Program: The Ash Institute for Democratic Governance and Innovation at Harvard University

has announced a collaboration with the Annie E. Casey Foundation to create the Annie E. Casey Innovations Award in Children and Family System Reform, a program of the Ash Institute and sponsored by the Annie E. Casey Foundation. This new award focuses specifically on public policy innovation in the area of child and

family services with a priority and emphasis on systemic reform.

Funds: Average grant size: \$100,000

Deadline: September 15, 2005 **Eligible:** All levels of government

Information: Ash Institute for Democratic Governance and Innovation, John F. Kennedy School of

Government, Harvard University, 79 John F. Kennedy Street, Cambridge, MA 02138

Telephone: (800) 722-0074, Fax: (617) 496-4602, E-Mail:

webmaster@innovationsaward.harvard.edu, Link: www.innovationsaward.harvard.edu/AnnieECasey.cfm

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Administration on Children, Youth and Families, Children's Bureau

Developing Adoption Services and Supports for Youth Who Wish to Retain Contact with Family Members in Order to Improve Permanency Outcomes

Program: The Children's Bureau will fund demonstration projects that:

1) Demonstrate the effective implementation of strategies for introducing the concept of open adoption to youth or sibling groups who prefer to maintain contact with birth families or siblings;

- 2) Demonstrate effective implementation strategies for connecting youth to adults to promote a range of permanency options, particularly adoption and open adoption, and including guardianship and kinship care;
- 3) Demonstrate effective models of youth leadership and collaboration among

youth, siblings, and other family members, caseworkers, and possible adoptive families in planning for youth permanency;

- 4) Evaluate the processes and outcomes of these strategies and models; and
- 5) Disseminate information about these strategies and models so that other states and communities seeking to implement effective open adoption programs for youth and sibling groups have a demonstrated resource for guidance, insight, and possible replication.

Applicants should demonstrate strong partnerships among the child welfare agency, the courts, and youth development organizations. Collaborative efforts are encouraged, but applications should identify a primary applicant responsible for administering the grant.

Funds: Total funds available: \$1,800,000

Maximum grant size: \$300,000 Number of awards: up to six

Deadline: August 10, 2005

Eligible: State and local governments and nonprofit organizations, including faith-based and

community organizations

Information: Patsy Buida, Children's Bureau, 330 C Street, SW., Washington, DC 20447,

Telephone: (202) 205-8769, E-mail: pbuida@acf.hhs.gov, Link:

http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/01jan20051800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2005

/05-13302.htm

FR: 7/6 38948-38957

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Administration on Children, Youth, and Families, Children's Bureau

National Quality Improvement Center on the Privatization of Child Welfare Services

Program: The Children's Bureau will award a cooperative agreement for the creation of a

national Quality Improvement Center focused on identifying effective practices in the privatization of child welfare services. The center will assess needs and resources, then plan and implement research and demonstration activities to develop knowledge

about improving child welfare services and systems through privatization.

Funds: Total funds available: \$900,000

Number of awards: one

Deadline: August 5, 2005

Eligible: Private and state controlled institutions of higher education non-profit organizations **Information:** Jan Shafer, Administration for Children and Families, Children's Bureau, 330 C

Street, SW, Washington, DC 20447, Telephone: (202) 205-8172, E-mail:

jshafer@acf.hhs.gov, Link:

http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/01jan20051800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2005

/05-11197.htm

CFDA: 93.670

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Administration on Children, Youth and Families, Children's Bureau

Model Development or Replication to Implement the CAPTA Requirement to Identify and Serve Substance Exposed Newborns

Program: The purpose of this funding opportunity is to provide financial support to develop or

replicate and test a model of policies and procedures that implement the new provisions of the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act regarding substance exposed newborns. Applicants may choose to develop new models, replicate existing models, or replicate key components of existing models of policies and procedures for identifying and serving families with children prenatally exposed to illegal drugs, and to test the effectiveness of the model in other settings. The projects funded under this

priority area will incorporate features and components that hold promise for contributing to an expansion of the knowledge base about the development of effective policies and procedures for states and communities to use in identifying and

providing services to these children and their families.

Funds: Total funds available: \$600,000

Average grant size: \$150,000 Number of awards: up to four

Deadline: August 5, 2005

Eligible: State and local governments, private and state controlled institutions of higher

education, and nonprofit organizations

Information: Irene Bocella, Children's Bureau, 330 C Street, SW, Washington, DC 20447,

Telephone: (202) 205-1723, E-mail: <u>ibocella@acf.hhs.gov</u>, Link:

http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/01jan20051800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2005

/05-11196.htm

CFDA: 93.551

DISABILITIES

Christopher Reeve Paralysis Foundation

Quality of Life Grants Program

Program: The Christopher Reeve Paralysis Foundation is committed to funding research that

develops treatments and cures for paralysis caused by spinal cord injury and other central nervous system disorders. The foundation also vigorously works to improve the quality of life for people living with disabilities through its grants program, paralysis resource center, and advocacy efforts. Quality of Life grants support non-

profit organizations that address the needs of persons living with paralysis,

particularly spinal cord injury, their families, and caregivers. Funding is awarded in thirteen categories, including: accessibility, advocacy, arts, assistive technology, children, counseling, education, employment, health promotion, independent living,

practical service, sports and recreation, and therapeutic riding.

Funds: Grant size: up to \$25,000 **Deadline:** September 1 and March 1

Eligible: Tax-exempt, not-for-profit organizations

Information: Donna L. Valente, Quality of Life Grants Coordinator, Christopher and Dana Reeve

Paralysis Resource Center, 636 Morris Turnpike, Suite 3A, Short Hills, NJ 07078,

Telephone: (973) 467-8270, ext. 211, E-mail: qol@crpf.org, Link: www.christopherreeve.org/QLGrants/QLGrantsList.cfm?c=11

EDUCATION

U.S. Department of Education

Office of Safe and Drug-Free Schools

Grants to States to Improve Management of Drug and Violence Prevention Programs

Program: This program provides federal financial assistance to support the development,

enhancement, or expansion of the capacity of states and other entities that receive Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Community State Grants funds to collect, analyze, and use

data to improve the management of drug and violence prevention programs.

Funds: Total funds available: \$3,000,000

Range of grants: \$350,000 to \$500,000

Number of awards: seven

Deadline: July 22, 2005

Eligible: State educational agencies and other state agencies administering the Safe and Drug-

Free Schools and Communities Act State Grants program.

Information: Maria Worthen, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Room

3E324, Washington, DC 20202- 6450, Telephone: (202) 205-5632, E-mail:

maria.worthen@ed.gov, Link:

http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/01jan20051800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2005

/05-11654.htm

CFDA: 84.184R

U.S. Department Of Education

Office of Safe and Drug-Free Schools

Emergency Response and Crisis Management Grant Program

Program: The Emergency Response and Crisis Management grant program supports efforts by

local educational agencies to improve and strengthen their school emergency response and crisis management plans, including training school personnel and students in emergency response procedures; communicating emergency plans and procedures with parents; and coordinating with local law enforcement, public safety, public

health, and mental health agencies.

Funds: Total funds available: \$27,000,000

Range of grants: \$100,000 to \$500,000

Number of awards: 104

Deadline: July 29, 2005

Eligible: Local educational agencies

Information: Sara Strizzi, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW., Room

3E320, Washington, DC 20202- 6450, Telephone: (202) 708-4850, E-mail:

sara.strizzi@ed.gov, Link:

http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/01jan20051800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2005

/05-12224.htm

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U.S. Department of Education

Office of Innovation and Improvement

Presidential Academies for American History and Civics Education

Program: This program supports the establishment of Presidential Academies for the Teaching

of American History and Civics that offer workshops for both veteran and new

teachers of American history and civics to strengthen their knowledge and preparation

for teaching these subjects.

Funds: Total funds available: \$700,000

Range of grants: \$300,000 to \$600,000 per budget period

Number of awards: one to two

Deadline: Intent to Apply: July 21, 2005

Applications: August 5, 2005

Eligible: Institutions of higher education, museums, libraries, and other public and private

agencies, organizations, and institutions and consortia

Information: Neil Danberg, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Room

4W324, Washington, DC 20202- 5960, Telephone: (202) 205-3385, E-mail:

academies@ed.gov, Link:

http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/01jan20051800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2005

/05-12227.htm

CFDA: 84.215A

U.S. Department of Education

Office of Vocational and Adult Education

School Dropout Prevention Program

Program: This program supports the development and implementation of effective, sustainable,

and coordinated school dropout prevention and reentry programs. With this funding state educational agencies may create collaborations with other agencies and work with local educational agencies to assist schools in dropout prevention and reentry activities, including using eighth grade assessments and other data to develop and implement individual performance plans for students entering the ninth grade who are at risk of failing to meet challenging state academic standards and of dropping out of high school. The dropout prevention and reentry strategies implemented by the state educational agencies must be scientifically-based, sustainable, and widely replicated. State educational agencies must use the funds received under this competition to support activities in schools that serve students in grades 6 through 12 and have annual school dropout rates that are above the state average; or in the middle schools

that feed students into the schools described above.

Funds: Total funds available: \$4,500,000

Average grant size: \$2,200,000

Number of awards: two

Deadline: August 17, 2005

Eligible: State educational agencies

Information: Valerie Randall-Walker, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW.,

Potomac Center Plaza, room 11081, Washington, DC 20202-7241, Telephone: (202)

245-7794, E-mail: dropoutprevention@ed.gov, Link:

http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/01jan20051800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2005

/05-13578.htm 7/8 39496-39499

HEALTH

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Johnson & Johnson / Society for the Arts in Healthcare Partnership to Promote Arts and Healing Grant Program

Program: Johnson & Johnson, working in conjunction with the Society for the Arts in

Healthcare, seeks to promote the use of the arts to enhance the healthcare experience for patients, their families, and caregivers. Proposals are being sought from healthcare organizations and arts agencies working in partnership to produce innovative projects to serve patients, their families, and caregivers in healthcare settings and to promote healing and preventative health. Projects may be located in a variety of settings, including clinics, hospitals, hospices, medical schools, public health services, or other community health programs. The range of grant projects is intended to be broad and highly innovative. Preference will be given to projects that are new initiatives and have the potential to be replicated. Projects might include creating new exhibition space or curating arts and healing exhibitions; transforming the patient experience through hands-on visual, literary, or performing arts projects; hiring an artist or artists to design architecturally integrated or portable work for a public space; creating a healing garden for a new healthcare setting; and other activities designed to advance the incorporation of the arts into the delivery of healthcare. The program is giving a special emphasis to HIV/AIDS for 2005. In addition to projects serving broad patient populations and health care providers, a portion of funds will be reserved for arts programs serving those living with HIV/AIDS, their families, and caregivers.

Funds: In-kind

Deadline: Letter of inquiry: August 22, 2005

Eligible: Tax exempt, nonprofit health-care and arts organizations located in the United States

or Canada that are members of the Society for the Arts in Healthcare; arts

organizations must propose working in a formal partnership with a healthcare agency.

Information: J&J/SAH Partnership, Society for the Arts in Healthcare, 2437 15th Street, NW, B

South, Washington, D.C. 20009, Telephone: (202) 299-9770, Fax (202) 299-9887, E-

mail: mail@thesah.org, Link: www.thesah.org/grants/johnson05.html

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

Community Health Leadership Program

Program: The Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Community Health Leadership Program is

accepting nominations to honor people for their efforts to create or improve health-

care programs that serve communities with ignored or unmet needs.

Funds: Grant size: \$15,000 personal stipend and \$105,000 over three years for program

support.

Number of awards: ten

Deadline: Letters of intent: September 22, 2005

Eligible: Individuals who:

§ Are affiliated with tax-exempt organizations;

§ Are residents of the United States or Puerto Rico;

§ Have a five to 15 year record of work in the community health field;

§ Have experience as a direct provider of health-care services or are involved in the improvement of health-care access and delivery;

§ Demonstrate a full-time commitment to working with needy people; and

§ Have received no significant national recognition.

Information: Edward Chu, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Community Health Leadership

Program, 89 South Street, Suite 405, Boston, MA 02111, Telephone: (617) 426-9772,

Fax (617) 654-9922, E-mail website@communityhealthleaders.org, Link:

www.communityhealthleaders.org

JUVENILE JUSTICE

Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act Grant Funds

Program:

The Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety has funding available from the federal Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention Act Formula Grant Program for services and initiatives that aim to improve the lives of young people in the Commonwealth by preventing their involvement with the juvenile justice system and by improving the operation and services provided by the juvenile justice system. The

- § Aftercare/Reentry
- § Alternatives to Detention
- § Delinquency Prevention
- § Disproportionate Minority Contact

priority funding areas for Massachusetts are:

- § Diversion
- § Gender-Specific Services
- § Mental Health Services
- § School Programs

§ Substance Abuse

Funds: Total funds available: \$1.7 million **Deadline:** Letters of intent: August 1, 2005

Applications: Friday, August 12, 2005 by noon

Eligible: Tax-exempt, not-for-profit organizations and local government agencies **Information:** Elizabeth Spinney, Disproportionate Minority Contact Reduction Specialist,

Commonwealth of Massachusetts Executive Office of Public Safety, Programs Division, Ten Park Plaza, Suite 3720, Boston, MA 02116, Telephone: (617) 725-

3367, Fax: (617) 725-0260, Link: www.mass.gov/eopsfunding

LITERACY

Barbara Bush Foundation for Family Literacy Grants to Support Literacy Skills

Program: The Barbara Bush Foundation for Family Literacy has announced the 2006 national

grant competition. The foundation's grant program seeks to fund the creation or expansion of projects that are designed to support the development of literacy skills for adult primary care givers and their children. The foundation will provide grants to organizations operating instructional literacy programs that have been in existence for

at least two years and include one or more of the following components:

§ literacy for adults,

§ parent education,

§ pre-literacy or literacy instruction for children in preschool through grade three and

§ intergenerational literacy activities.

Funds: Total funds available: \$650.000

Grant size: up to \$65,000

Deadline: September 9, 2005

Eligible: Non-profit organizations

Information: Crystal Hurd, Program Associate, Barbara Bush Foundation for Family Literacy, 1201

15th Street NW, Suite 420, Washington, DC 20005, Telephone: (202) 955-6183, Fax:

(202) 955-5492, E-mail:

churd@cfncr.org, Link: www.barbarabushfoundation.com/

MUSIC

Mocking Bird Foundation Grants for Music Education

Program: The Mockingbird Foundation, Inc. offers competitive grants to schools and nonprofit

organizations with a programmatic focus on music education for children, under the

following guidelines:

§ Music: Mockingbird is particularly interested in projects that encourage and

- foster creative expression in any musical form, including composition, instrumentation, vocalization, or improvisation, but also recognizes broader and more basic needs within conventional instruction. Mockingbird encourages applications associated with diverse or unusual musical styles, genres, forms, and philosophies.
- § *Education*: Education may include the provision of instruments, texts, and office materials, and the support of learning space, practice space, performance space, and instructors or instruction. Mockingbird is particularly interested in projects that foster self-esteem and free expression, but does not typically fund music therapy which is not education or music appreciation that does not include participation.
- § *Children*: Mockingbird is interested in targeting children eighteen years or younger, but will consider projects which benefit college students, teachers, instructors, or adult students. Mockingbird is particularly interested in programs that benefit disenfranchised groups, including those with low skill levels, income, or education; with disabilities or terminal illnesses; and in foster homes, shelters, hospitals, prisons, or other remote or isolated situations.

Mockingbird is particularly interested in organizations with low overhead, innovative

approaches, and collaborative elements to their work.

Funds: Range of grants: \$50 to \$5,000 **Deadline:** Letter of inquiry: August 1, 2005

Eligible: Non-profit organizations with tax-exempt status and public schools

Information: Jack R. Lebowitz, c/o Lemery MacKrell Greisler, 10 Railroad Place, Suite 502;

Saratoga Springs, NY 12866-3033, E-mail: grants@mockingbirdfoundation.org

Link: www.mockingbirdfoundation.org/funding/guidelines.html

SPORTS

Balance Bar Company

Sports and Recreation Grants

Program: Grants from the Balance Bar Company support nonprofit groups to develop projects

that help communities pursue a sport or recreational activity that enhances physical health. Past grants have supported the purchase of equipment, training, and other activities related to archery, cycling, hiking, the martial arts, rock climbing, running,

yoga, and other pursuits.

Funds: Grant size: up to \$25,000

Deadline: August 31, 2005

Eligible: Non-profit organizations, including athletic programs and leagues, parks and

recreation departments, and youth organizations.

Information: Angela Tucker, Balance Bar Company, c/o Hunter Public Relations, 41 Madison

Avenue, Fifth Floor, New York, NY 10010, Telephone: (212) 679-6600, Fax: (212) 481-6076, E-mail: atucker@hunterpr.com, Link: www.balance.com/grants/rules.asp

SUBSTANCE ABUSE

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Tobacco Policy Change Program

Grants from the Tobacco Policy Change Program, sponsored by the Robert Wood **Program:**

> Johnson Foundation, support organizations that work on the local, regional, or national level to incorporate and sustain policies proven to decrease tobacco use.

Applicants must provide proof of matching funds for grants.

Funds: Grant size: up to \$150,000.00

Deadline: August 1, 2005

Eligible: Non-profit organizations

Information: Beverly J. Alston, Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, Route One and College Road

East, P.O. Box 2316, Princeton, N.J. 08543, Telephone: (888) 795-3636, Fax: (609)

514-5403, E-mail: tobaccopolicychange@rwjf.org, Link:

http://www.rwjf.org/tobaccopolicychange

WOMEN

WHO Foundation

Grants for Grassroots Charities Serving Women and Children

The WHO (Women Helping Others) Foundation supports grassroots charities around **Program:**

the country serving the overlooked needs of women and children. Specific projects and programs addressing health, education, and social service needs are the

foundation's priority. The foundation recognizes the value of new programs created to respond to changing needs and will consider funding projects of an original or pioneering nature within an existing organization. Organizations must have been incorporated for a minimum of three years prior to application and preference will be given to organizations with an operating budget of \$2 million or less, those not dependent on government grants, and those with greater organizational program costs

than personnel costs.

Funds: Range of grants: \$1,000 to \$20,000

Deadline: September 13, 2005

Eligible: Tax-exempt, not-for-profit organizations with 501(c)(3) status

WHO Foundation, Post Office Box 816029, Dallas, TX 75381-6029, Telephone: **Information:**

(800) 946-4663, E-mail: who@beauticontrol.com, Link: http://whofoundation.org

FOUNDATION PROFILE

Allen Foundation

Grants for Nutrition Programs

Program:

The Allen Foundation provides funding for projects that benefit human nutrition in the areas of education, training, and research. The priorities of the Allen Foundation are to:

- § make grants to fund relevant nutritional research;
- § support programs for the education and training of mothers during pregnancy and after the birth of their children, so that good nutritional habits can be formed at an early age;
- § assist in the training of persons to work as educators and demonstrators of good nutritional practices;
- § encourage the dissemination of information regarding healthful nutritional practices and habits; and
- § in limited situations, make grants to help solve immediate emergency hunger and malnutrition problems.

Funds: Range of grants: \$2,000 to \$1 million

Average grant size: \$75,000

Deadline: December 31 of each year

Eligible: Tax-exempt, not-for-profit organizations

Information: Dale Baum, Ph.D., Secretary, Allen Foundation Inc., Post Office Box 1606, Midland,

Michigan 48641-1606, Telephone: (517) 832-5678, Fax: (517) 832-8842, E-mail:

dalebaum@yahoo.com, Link: www.allenfoundation.org/

RECENT AWARDS

Robert Wood Johnson Foundation

Program:

- § *Institute for Healthcare Improvement* \$156,655 to develop financial tools related to the Transforming Care at the Bedside program.
- § *Boston University School of Public Health* \$84,574 to work with minority professional and volunteer organizations in order to help increase healthy eating and physical activity among children.

Information: Robert Wood Johnson Foundation, College Road East Post Office Box 2316,

Princeton, New Jersey 08543, Telephone: (888) 631-9989, E-mail: mail@rwjf.org,

Link: www.rwjf.org

Charles Stewart Mott Foundation

Program: § *Accion USA* – \$200,000 for organizational development

- § Budget and Policy Center \$100,000 for the State Fiscal Analysis Initiative, an effort to encourage states to provide timely, credible, and accessible tax and budget analysis on behalf of low and middle-income families.
- § *Programs for People* \$25,000 for job placement and training for low-income adults who are recovering from mental illness.

Information:

Charles Stewart Mott Foundation, 503 South Saginaw Street, Suite 1200, Flint, Michigan 48502-1851, Telephone: (810) 238-5651, Fax: (810) 766-1753, E-mail: info@mott.org, Link: www.mott.org

William Randolph Hearst Foundation

Program:

- § YWCA of Boston \$50,000 for Encore Plus, a cancer education and screening program for underinsured and uninsured women.
- § Massachusetts Association of Community Development Corporations \$100,000 to provide training and technical assistance to community development corporations in Massachusetts.
- § *YouthBuild USA* \$150,000 for training and technical assistance for rural YouthBuild programs.

Information:

William Randolph Hearst Foundation, 888 Seventh Avenue, 45th Floor, New York, New York 10106-0057, Telephone: (212) 586-5404, Fax :(212) 586-1917, Link: http://hearstfdn.org

Women's Funding Network

Program:

§ *Boston Women's Fund* – \$25,000 for awards through the 2004 Venture Fund, which honors nonprofit organizations serving women and girls that operate innovative fund-raising programs.

Information:

Women's Funding Network, 1375 Sutter Street, Suite 406, San Francisco, California 94109, Telephone: (415) 441-0706, E-mail: info@wfnet.org, Link: www.wfnet.org

George Gund Foundation

Program:

- § *Museum of Fine Arts* \$100,000 for the E-Learning Endowment.
- § *City Year* \$45,000 for its Young Heroes Program
- § Facing History and Ourselves National Foundation \$15,000 for operating support.

Information:

George Gund Foundation, 1845 Guildhall Building, 45 Prospect Avenue West, Cleveland, Ohio 44115, Telephone: (216) 241-3114, Fax: (216) 241-6560, E-mail: info@gundfdn.org, Link: www.gundfdn.org

William and Flora Hewlett Foundation

Program:

§ *Boston Plan for Excellence* – \$122,000 to implement reading assessments throughout the Boston Public Schools.

Information:

William and Flora Hewlett Foundation, 2121 Sand Hill Road, Menlo Park, CA 94025, Telephone: (650) 234-4500, Fax: (650) 234-4501, E-mail: info@hewlett.org, Link: www.hewlett.org

John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation

Program:

- § *WGBH Educational Foundation* \$500,000 for the Frontline/World documentary series.
- § *Lichtenstein Creative Media* \$300,000 to produce a documentary film examining the intersection of the education, foster-care, juvenile-justice, and mental-health systems.

Information:

John D. and Catherine T. MacArthur Foundation, 140 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60603, Telephone: (312) 726-8000, Link: www.macfound.org

Nord Family Foundation

Program:

- § *Carroll Center for the Blind* \$25,000 for a distance-learning program for people who are blind or visually impaired.
- § *Nativity Preparatory School* \$10,000 for a master teacher program at this tuition-free, private middle school that serves boys from low-income families who live in inner-city Boston.

Information:

7 Nord Family Foundation, 47 Milan Avenue, Amherst, Ohio 44001, Telephone: (440) 984-3939, Link: www.nordff.org

Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation

Program:

§ *Bridgespan Group* – \$2,950,000 over 11 months to develop business plans for eight school developers to inform their strategy to create new high schools, replicate schools, and convert high schools into smaller institutions that support student achievement and increased graduation rates.

Information:

Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation, P.O. Box 23350, Seattle, Washington 98102, Telephone: (206) 709-3140, E-mail: info@gatesfoundation.org, Link:

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