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ARTS & CULTURE

President's Committee on the Arts and Humanities

Save America's Treasures Grants

Program: Save America's Treasures grants support the preservation and conservation of the nation's intellectual and cultural artifacts and historic structures and sites. The grants are administered by the National Park Service, in partnership with the Institute of Museum and Library Services, the National Endowment for the Humanities, the National Endowment for the Arts, and the President's Committee on the Arts and Humanities. Grants are available for preservation and/or conservation work on nationally significant intellectual and cultural artifacts and nationally significant historic structures and sites. Intellectual and cultural artifacts include artifacts, collections, documents, sculpture, and works of art. Historic structures and sites include historic districts, sites, buildings, structures, and objects.

Deadline: May 20, 2003.

Funds:

- ✓ The minimum grant request for collections projects is \$50,000.
- ✓ The minimum grant request for historic property projects is \$250,000.
- ✓ The maximum grant request for all projects is \$1 million.

A Federal Save America's Treasures Grant requires a dollar-for-dollar non-Federal match, which can be cash or donated services. The grant and the non-Federal match must be used during the grant period, which is generally 2 to 3 years, to execute the project.

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- Eligible:** Federal agencies funded by the Department of the Interior and related agencies; nonprofit, tax-exempt, 501(c) organizations; units of state or local government; and federally recognized Indian tribes.
- Info:** The President's Committee on the Arts and the Humanities, 1100 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, Suite 526, Washington, DC 20506, Phone: (202) 682-5409, Email: choffman@neh.gov, Link: <http://www2.cr.nps.gov/treasures/index.htm>

EDUCATION

Department of Education/Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services Special Education/Technical Assistance and Dissemination to Improve Services and Results for Children with Disabilities Program

- Program:** This program provides technical assistance and information that (1) support States and local entities in building capacity to improve early intervention, educational, and transitional services and results for children with disabilities and their families; and (2) address goals and priorities for changing State systems that provide early intervention, educational, and transitional services for children with disabilities and their families.
- Funds:** Average award size: \$465,000.
- Deadline:** June 2, 2003.
- Eligible:** State educational agencies (SEAs) of the 50 States.
- Info:** The Grants and Contracts Services Team, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Room 3317, Switzer Building, Washington, DC 20202-2550, Phone: (202) 205-8207, Link: <http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003/03-9540.htm>
- FR:** 4/18 19194-19197

Department of Education/Office of Postsecondary Education Teacher Quality Enhancement Grants Program/Partnership Grants

- Program:** The program will provide grants to promote improvements in the quality of new teachers, with the ultimate goal of increasing student achievement in the nation's K-12 classrooms. Partnership grants are designed to promote significant improvements in teacher education by strengthening the vital role of K-12 educators in the design and implementation of effective teacher education programs, and by increasing collaboration among these educators and institutions of higher education, and departments of arts and sciences.
- Funds:** Number of Awards: 4.
Average award size: \$1.058 million per year.
- Deadline:** June 2, 2003, for pre-applications.
August 8, 2003, for full applications.
- Eligible:** Partnerships which include, at a minimum:
- ✓ An institution of higher education with an eligible teacher preparation program.

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- ✓ A school of arts and sciences.
 - ✓ A high-need local educational agency (LEA).

Info: Luretha Kelley, Teacher Quality Program, Office of Postsecondary Education, U.S. Department of Education, 1990 K Street, NW, Room 7101, Washington, DC 20006-8525, Phone: (202) 502-7878, Fax: (202) 502-7864, Email: Luretha.Kelley@ed.gov.
Link:
<http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003/03-9709.htm>

FR: 4/21 19520-19521

**Department Of Education/Office of Postsecondary Education
Underground Railroad Educational and Cultural Program**

Program: The Underground Railroad Educational and Cultural program will provide grants to nonprofit educational organizations that are established to research, display, interpret, and collect artifacts relating to the history of the Underground Railroad.

Funds: Number of awards: 2-4.
Range of awards: \$100,000 to \$750,000.

Deadline: June 2, 2003.

Eligible: Nonprofit educational organizations that are established to research, display, interpret, and collect artifacts relating to the history of the Underground Railroad.

Info: Jay Donahue, U.S. Department of Education, 6th Floor, 1990 K Street, NW, Room 6162, Washington, DC 20006-8544, Phone: (202) 502-7507, Email: Jay.Donahue@ed.gov, Link: <http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003/03-9883.htm>

FR: 4/22 19794

**Department of Education/Office of Special Education and Rehabilitative Services/National Institute on Disability and Rehabilitation Research
Rehabilitation Engineering Research Centers (RERCs) Program**

Program: RERCs conduct research, development, and training activities regarding rehabilitation technology--including rehabilitation engineering, assistive technology devices, and assistive technology services, in order to enhance opportunities for meeting the needs of, and addressing the barriers confronted by, individuals with disabilities in all aspects of their lives.

Funds: ✓ \$1,000,000 per year for the Universal Interface and Information Technologies topic area.
✓ \$950,000 per year for all other topic areas.

Deadline: June 27, 2003.

Eligible: States, public or private agencies, including for-profit agencies, public or private organizations, including for-profit organizations, institutions of higher education.

Info: Donna Nangle, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue, SW, Room 3414, Switzer Building, Washington, DC 20202-2645, Phone: (202) 205-5880, Email:

Donna.Nangle@ed.gov, Link:

<http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003/03-9940.htm>

FR: 4/22 19925-19927

ENVIRONMENT

The Energy Foundation

Climate Program

Program: The Energy Foundation, a partnership of major foundations interested in sustainable energy, has announced the launch of a new funding area focused on state and regional climate policy initiatives. The new program, known as the Climate Program, is supported by the David and Lucile Packard Foundation. It replaces the U.S. Clean Energy Program, which is being phased out. The program's mission is to develop and promote U.S. state and regional policies to reduce global warming pollution, in order to build models for and momentum toward federal climate policy. The program is based on evidence that states are taking the lead on defining U.S. climate policies. The policy and education efforts supported by this program are expressly focused on mitigating climate change. Potential areas of work include: state and regional carbon cap-and-trade programs; state and regional greenhouse gas plans and targets; GHG reporting and reduction initiatives; and financial mechanisms, like incentives or carbon taxes. The Energy Foundation continues to award grants and take direct initiatives in the areas of: Power; Buildings; Transportation; Integrated Issues; and the China Sustainable Energy Program. The foundation's geographic focus is the United States, with special emphasis on regional initiatives.

Deadline: Open.

Funds: NA.

Eligible: Nonprofit charitable organizations classified as 501(c)(3) public charities by the IRS.

Info: The Energy Foundation, 1012 Torney Avenue #1, San Francisco, CA 94129, Phone: (415) 561-6700, Fax: (415) 561-6709, Email: energyfund@ef.org, Link: <http://www.ef.org/resources.cfm#352>

Environmental Protection Agency

Mobile Source Outreach Assistance Competition Fiscal Years 2003/2004

Program: EPA's Office of Transportation and Air Quality (OTAQ) and EPA's Regional offices have entered into agreements and established partnerships with a number of organizations to (1) provide national support for community-based mobile source public education efforts supporting implementation of the Clean Air Act and the Transportation Equity Act for the 21st Century, (2) encourage responsible choices for organizational and individual actions through public education.

Funds: Funding from this competition may not exceed \$100,000 for the entire project period of the

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Deadline: selected proposal.
Letter of intent: May 23, 2003
Full proposals: July 7, 2003.

Eligible: Air pollution control agencies as defined under section 302(b) of the Clean Air Act, (for projects to be undertaken which will have replicability to other communities nationally).

Info: Susan Bullard, Director of Outreach, USEPA Office of Transportation and Air Quality (OTAQ), 1200 Pennsylvania Avenue, NW, (mail code 6406J), Washington, DC 20460, Phone: (202) 564-985, Fax: (202) 565-2085, Email: bullard.susan@epa.gov, Link: <http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003/03-9744.htm>

FR: 4/21 19525-19528

HEALTH

Department of Health and Human Services/Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Cooperative Agreement for Early Hearing Detection and Intervention (EHDI) Tracking, Surveillance, and Integration

Program: The purpose of the program is to:

- ✓ Develop or enhance a sustainable, centralized EHDI tracking and surveillance system.
- ✓ Integrate the EHDI system with other newborn screening programs.

EHDI is a national initiative to improve the communicative, cognitive, and social outcomes of children with hearing loss through a program of services and research. 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 Disabilities: Prevent birth defects and developmental disabilities and improve the health and quality of life of Americans with disabilities.

Funds: Number of awards: 2.
Average award size: \$150,000.

Deadline: Letter of intent: May 13, 2003
Full proposal: June 9, 2003.

Eligible: State and local governments or their bona fide agents.

Info: Lee Ann B. Ramsey, BBA, GCPH, Public Health Analyst, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Center on Birth Defects and Developmental Disabilities, 1600 Clifton Road, NE, Mailstop F-35, Atlanta, GA 30333, Phone: (404) 498-3034, Email: LRamsey@cdc.gov, Link: <http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003/03-9977.htm>

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Department of Health and Human Services/Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Public Health Conference Support Cooperative Agreement Program for Human Immunodeficiency Virus Prevention

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Program: The purpose of this program is to provide partial support for specific non-Federal conferences in the areas of health promotion and disease prevention information/education programs. Because conference support by CDC creates the appearance of CDC co-sponsorship, there will be active participation by CDC in the development and approval of those portions of the agenda supported by CDC funds. In addition, CDC reserves the right to approve or reject the content of the full agenda, press events, promotional materials (including press releases), speaker selection, and site selection. CDC funds will not be used for portions of meetings that are not approved.

Funds: Number of awards: 5.
Average award size: \$20,000.

Deadline: Letter of intent: May 19, 2003.
Full Proposal: July 28, 2003.

Eligible: Public nonprofit organizations, private nonprofit organizations, universities, colleges, technical schools, research institutions, hospitals, community-based organizations, faith-based organizations, state and local governments or their bona fide agents.

Info: Victoria E. Saho, Project Officer, Technical Information and Communications Branch, Division of HIV/AIDS Prevention, Intervention Research and Support, National Center for HIV, STD and TB Prevention, 1600 Clifton Road, NE, M/S E49, Atlanta, GA 30333, Phone: (404) 639-5211, Email: vsaho@cdc.gov, Link: <http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003/03-9978.htm>

FR: 4/23 20010-20013

Department of Health and Human Services/Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Program Sexually Transmitted Disease (STD) Prevention Program Communication Network

Program: The purpose of this program is to facilitate, coordinate, integrate, and expand state and local efforts to improve overall delivery of national STD prevention services. Specifically, this program will provide a dynamic mechanism for:

- ✓ Creating a flexible communications network among state and local STD Prevention Programs.
- ✓ Establishing a STD prevention services provider platform for integrated problem solving.
- ✓ National STD prevention policy analysis by states.
- ✓ Decision making among state and local STD Prevention Program leaders.
- ✓ Expanding STD prevention partnerships and enhancing STD prevention knowledge, skills, and practice methods across STD project areas and local communities.
- ✓ Providing a National representation and integrated focus of STD prevention concerns, issues, and ideas from state and local levels.

Funds: Number of awards: 1
Award size: \$300,000 to \$600,000.

Deadline: June 23, 2003.

Eligible: Public or private national nonprofit organizations with a comprehensive State and local area representation of key officials who are actively engaged in directing STD Prevention Program efforts.

Info: Gladys Gissentanna, Contract Specialist, CDC Procurement and Grants Office, 2920 Brandywine Rd., Atlanta, GA 30341-4146, Phone: (770) 488-2753, Email: gcg4@cdc.gov, Link: <http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003/03-10110.htm>

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American Dental Association

Samuel Harris Fund for Children's Dental Health

Program: The ADA Foundation, the charitable arm of the American Dental Association, has established the Samuel Harris Fund for Children's Dental Health, a permanent endowment fund that is dedicated to preventing dental caries and other oral diseases of children. As part of its goal to help children whose economic status places them at greatest risk, the grant program seeks to help increase voluntary efforts by the dental health community. The program also aims to encourage cooperative pooling of resources from the dental community, industry, and public charities that, through education, will help to significantly reduce the incidence of children's oral disease and help to instill oral health promotion activities that contribute to the oral health of children most at risk.

Deadline: July 11, 2003.

Funds: Award size: Up to \$5,000.

Eligible: Community-based, not-for-profit, oral health promotion programs.

Info: Mr. Robert N. Czarnecki, ADA Foundation, 211 East Chicago Avenue, Chicago, IL 60611-2616, Phone: (312) 440-2544, Email: czarneckir@ada.org, Link: <http://www.ada.org/ada/charitable/adahf/childgrant.html>

HIV & AIDS

Children Affected by AIDS Foundation

Request for Funding Proposals

Program: The mission of the Children Affected by AIDS Foundation (CAAF) is to make a positive difference in the lives of children infected with HIV and affected by HIV/AIDS. CAAF grants funds only to organizations with 501(c)(3) status, as determined by the IRS. Funds are granted to organizations that provide direct care, support and assistance to children, age birth to 13 years, who are HIV positive or otherwise affected by HIV/AIDS. This includes children who are HIV-infected, those who are or may become orphaned as a result of losing

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parents to HIV disease, and those who have siblings, parents or caregivers who are infected with HIV. CAAF is currently accepting proposals for HIV-related programs in the following funding categories:

- ✓ Basic Needs Category (\$1,000 - \$20,000): Support for items such as clothing, formula, food, diapers, burial services, transportation (to/from medical visits, outpatient visits, and other social services appointments), emergency childcare, and respite services.
- ✓ Social & Recreational Category (\$1,000 - \$10,000): Funding intended to benefit programs that involve children in social activities such as arts and crafts, sports, holiday parties, field expeditions, and other forms of recreation. This year CAAF will consider grant proposals in the Social and Recreational category for programs other than camps. (A separate CAAF Camp Network RFP will be released in May 2003. Organizations that intend to respond to the Camp Network RFP should not respond to this RFP.)
- ✓ Care Category (\$1,000 - \$50,000): Grants for direct services related to the provision of primary care, medical treatment, community-based social services, emotional, and mental health services, permanency planning, legal and public/private benefits' application, and any other services connected to the direct care of children.

Organizations may submit only one proposal and request funds from one category only.

Funds: See above.
Deadline: May 16, 2003.
Eligible: See RFP.
Info: Francisco M. Cacho, Phone: (310) 258-0850, ext. 14, Fax: (310) 258-0851, Email: francisco.cacho@caaf4kids.org

HOUSING

Department of Housing and Urban Development

Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) for the Permanent Housing and Special Efforts for Subpopulations Technical Assistance Program

Program: The purpose of the technical assistance (TA) program is to provide technical assistance to grantees, project sponsors, and potential applicants for the McKinney-Vento Act funded Supportive Housing Program, Section 8 Moderate Rehabilitation Single Room Occupancy, and Shelter Plus Care projects to promote the development of permanent housing and supportive services as part of the Continuum of Care (CoC) approach, including innovative approaches to enable homeless persons to live as independently as possible. A Continuum of Care approach helps communities plan for and provide a balance of emergency, transitional, and permanent housing and service resources to address the needs of homeless persons so they can make the critical transition from the streets to permanent housing and independent living. In addition to prevention, the fundamental components of a CoC system are outreach and assessment to identify an individual's or family's needs and make connections to facilities

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and services, emergency shelter, transitional housing, and permanent housing arrangements. In addition, this TA program is intended to provide assistance to faith-based and other community grassroots organizations, veteran-specific organizations, and organizations serving Colonias areas to better enable them to develop and implement viable project proposals to assist homeless persons using McKinney-Vento funds.

Funds: Up to \$2 million in FY 2002 funds is available for the PHASES-TA program. (Approximately \$1 million will be available in TA funds for development and implementation of permanent housing, with the remaining \$1 million to be used for technical assistance for faith-based and other community organizations, veteran-specific organizations, and organizations either currently serving or desiring to serve Colonias.)

Deadline: June 18, 2003

Eligible: HUD is specifically looking for applicants who satisfy any one, or a combination of, the conditions from the following list:

- ✓ Applicant is a provider of permanent housing and/or supportive services to homeless individuals and/or families.
- ✓ Applicant has experience with the McKinney-Vento funding process.
- ✓ Applicant is a provider that services primarily homeless veterans and their families or focuses on homeless veterans as part of the homeless population it serves.
- ✓ Applicant is a provider that serves homeless persons in Colonias and their families.
- ✓ Applicant is a faith-based or community organization that serves homeless individuals and/or families.
- ✓ Applicant is a public and/or private nonprofit or for-profit group, including educational institutions and area-wide planning organizations, qualified to provide technical assistance on McKinney-Vento Act Homeless Assistance activities.

Info: Jean Whaley, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Office of Community Planning and Development (CPD) Processing and Control Branch, Room 7251, 451 Seventh Street, SW, Washington, DC 20410, Phone: 202-708-3176, x2774, Link: <http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003/03-10094.htm>

FR: 4/24 20313-20321

JUSTICE

Department of Justice/Office of Community Oriented Policing Services FY 2003 Community Policing Discretionary Grants

Program: The U.S. Department of Justice, Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) announces the availability of Universal Hiring Programs (UHP) grants to pay up to 75 percent of the entry-level salary and benefits for newly hired, additional sworn officers over a three year grant term for a total of 36 months, up to a maximum of \$75,000 per officer, to initiate or enhance community oriented policing. A minimum 25 percent local match, paid with state or local funds, is required. To qualify for funding, officers must be hired on or after the grant

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award start date. Funding will begin once the new officers have been hired on or after the date of the award, and will be paid over the course of the grant. At the time of application, applicants must agree to plan for the retention of each COPS-funded UHP position awarded with state, local or other non-COPS funds at the conclusion of federal funding for each position, for a minimum of one full local budget cycle. All policing agencies, as well as jurisdictions seeking to establish new policing agencies, are eligible to apply for this program.

Funds: See RFP.

Deadline: June 6, 2003.

Eligible: At the time of application, applicants must also agree to plan for the retention of each additional COPS-funded UHP position with state, local or other non-COPS funds at the conclusion of federal funding, for a minimum of one full local budget cycle. The retention requirement cannot be satisfied through attrition.

Info: To obtain a copy of an application or for additional information, call the U.S. Department of Justice Response Center, (800) 421-6770. The UHP application kit and information on the COPS Office are also available on the Internet via COPS Online at:

<http://www.cops.usdoj.gov>, Link:

<http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003/03-9550.htm>

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Department of Justice/Office of Community Oriented Policing Services

The COPS in Schools Grant Program

Program: The Department of Justice Office of Community Oriented Policing Services (COPS) announces the availability of the COPS in Schools grant program, which will assist law enforcement agencies in hiring new, additional School Resource Officers (SROs) to engage in community policing in and around primary and secondary schools. This program provides an incentive for law enforcement agencies to build collaborative partnerships with the school community and to use community-policing efforts to combat school violence. The School Resource Officer must devote at least 75% of their time to work in and around primary and secondary schools, in addition to the time that your agency was devoting in the absence of the COPS in Schools grant.

Funds: Maximum Federal contribution of up to \$125,000 per officer position over the three-year grant period, with any remaining costs to be paid with local funds.

Deadline: June 13, 2003.

Eligible: Law enforcement agencies in hiring new, additional School Resource Officers (SROs) to engage in community policing in and around primary and secondary schools.

Info: U.S. Department of Justice Response Center: (800) 421-6770, Link:

<http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003/03-9969.htm>

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MISCELLANEOUS

Legal Services Corporation

Notice of Availability of Calendar Year 2004 Competitive Grant Funds

Program: The Legal Services Corporation (LSC) is the national organization charged with administering federal funds provided for civil legal services to low-income people. LSC hereby announces the availability of competitive grant funds and is soliciting grant proposals from interested parties who are qualified to provide effective, efficient and high quality civil legal services to eligible clients in the service area(s) of the states and territories identified below.

Funds: NA.

Deadline: May 23, 2003.

Eligible: Nonprofit organizations that have as a purpose the furnishing of legal assistance to eligible clients, private attorneys, groups of private attorneys or law firms, State or local governments, substate regional planning and coordination agencies which are composed of substate areas and whose governing boards are controlled by locally elected officials.

Info: Legal Services Corporation, Competitive Grants, 750 First Street NE, 10th Floor, Washington, DC 20002-4250, Starting June 2, 2003, the address will be Legal Services Corporation, Competitive Grants, 3333 K Street, NW, Washington, DC 20007, Link: <http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003/03-9465.htm>

FR: 4/18 19230-19231

Department of the Treasury/Internal Revenue Service

Low Income Taxpayer Clinic Grant Program

Program: The Internal Revenue Service is to award organizations matching grants of up to \$100,000 for the development, expansion, or continuation of qualified low-income taxpayer clinics. Section 7526 authorizes the IRS to provide grants to qualified organizations that represent low income taxpayers in controversies with the IRS and/or inform individuals for whom English is a second language of their tax rights and responsibilities. The IRS may award grants to qualifying organizations to fund one-year, two-year or three-year project periods.

Funds: Total funds available: Up to \$6,000,000.

Deadline: July 1, 2003.

Eligible: See RFP.

Info: Internal Revenue Service, Taxpayer Advocate Service, LITC Program Office, Mail Stop 211- D, 401 W. Peachtree St. NW, Atlanta, GA 30308, Phone: (404) 338- 7185
Link:

<http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003/03-9780.htm>

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SUBSTANCE ABUSE

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Department of Health and Human Services/Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration

Support for Analyses in Substance Abuse

- Program:** The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA), Office of Applied Studies, is accepting applications for Fiscal Year 2003 to support dissertation research involving data analysis on substance abuse service issues. The purpose of the program is to expand the number of researchers who conduct high-quality substance abuse services research, the study of how various factors (social, financial, organizational, and personal) affect the need for and access to substance abuse treatment, the quality and cost of substance abuse treatment and, ultimately, health and well being.
- Funds:** Number of awards: 5.
Average annual award: \$20,000 to \$30,000 in total costs (direct and indirect).
- Deadline:** July 2, 2003.
- Eligible:** Students registered and in good standing at an accredited academic doctoral degree program (e.g., Ph.D., Sc.D., or Dr.P.H.), which requires a dissertation based on original research, may apply. The student must apply through a public or private nonprofit institution that will administer the grant on his or her behalf. Students in such fields as sociology, psychology, bio-statistics, epidemiology, economics, policy, management, medicine, nursing, public health or health services research are especially encouraged to apply.
- Info:** Sarah Q. Duffy, Ph.D., Office of Applied Studies, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 16-105 Rockville, MD 20857, Phone: (301) 443-8565, Email: Sduffy@samhsa.gov, Link: <http://a257.g.akamaitech.net/7/257/2422/14mar20010800/edocket.access.gpo.gov/2003/03-10076.htm>
- FR:** 4/24 20165-20166

WOMEN & GIRLS

Lalor Foundation

Program to Educate Young Women About Reproduction

- Program:** An initiative of the Boston, Massachusetts-based Lalor Foundation, the Anna Lalor Burdick Program seeks to educate young women about human reproduction in order to broaden and enhance their options in life. The program focuses particularly on young women who have inadequate access to information regarding reproductive health, including the subjects of contraception and pregnancy termination. The program will award a small number of grants in the range of \$10,000 to \$50,000. Grants are normally awarded for a year only. Reproductive education must be the centerpiece of the proposed project, which should include attention to the subjects of contraception and pregnancy termination. The project must focus on young women, including young mothers and preteens, and the proposal should include a succinct plan for assessing and reporting on the project's results.

Funds: See above.
Deadline: May 15 & November 15 annually.
Eligible: U.S. applicants must be tax exempt under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Service Code and defined as "not a private foundation" under section 509(a) of the Code.
Info: The Lalor Foundation, Inc., c/o Ms. Pamela Labonte Maksy, Foundation Administrator Grants Management Associates, 77 Summer Street, 8th Floor, Boston, Massachusetts 02110-1006, Phone: (617) 426-7172, ext. 314, Fax: (617) 426-544, Email: pmaksy@grantsmanagement.com, Link: <http://www.lalorfound.org/tlfbpguide.html>

WORKFORCE DEVELOPMENT

Altria Group Community Kitchens Grant Program

Program: Altria Group, Inc. is accepting proposals for the Community Kitchens grantmaking initiative, a collaboration with America's Second Harvest and Kitchens INC, a program of DC Central Kitchen. Organizations in all fifty states and the District of Columbia that have an open and operational community-kitchen program are eligible to apply. A community-kitchen program is a culinary job-training program for unemployed or low-income individuals in a community-based shelter and/or meal program that provides meals produced by the trainees to various vulnerable populations, including people who are homeless, people living with HIV/AIDS, survivors of domestic violence, homebound elderly, and children in after school programs. These training programs are designed to place graduates in jobs and to provide meals to people in need in the community. This year, Altria will award Community Kitchens grants to established community-kitchen programs that have graduated at least three training classes by March 31, 2003.

Deadline: May 2, 2003.

Funds: Grant awards of up to \$50,000 (in multiples of \$500) are intended to fund food; kitchen/food handling equipment; transportation/distribution equipment; trainee stipends/monetary incentives; trainee transportation; salaries for chef trainer, social service, career/job placement, and/or job retention staff or partnerships (e.g., consultants); and/or other reasonable program costs.

Eligible: U.S. nonprofit, tax-exempt organizations under section 501(c)(3) of the IRS tax code.

Info: Email: RFPinfo@Altria.com, Link: http://www.altria.com/responsibility/04_05_11_ACKRFP_Main.asp#applicationassist

FOUNDATION PROFILES

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MetLife Foundation

- Program:** MetLife Foundation supports organizations that promote the general well being of the community. Grants are made in the areas of education, health care, social service, and culture.
- Social Services:*
Employment/life skills, emergency/food assistance, multi-services & counseling, youth development; community-based organizations that work to make our community more socially and economically viable, including youth programs, mentoring, job training, summer camps through AGM, and services directed toward the needs of the community.
- Education:*
Programs supporting basic education in the Boston Public School System, adult education, elementary and secondary education.
- Health/Mental Health:*
Community-based organizations that increase access to health care, programs that target under-served populations, health education, community health centers; hospice/home care, mental health/retardation, substance abuse.
- Funds:** Typical Grant Size: \$2,500-\$5000
- Deadline:** Requests are accepted and reviewed throughout the year. Requests and supporting materials are carefully evaluated by the Foundation.
- Eligible:** Nonprofits.
- Info:** Ms. Sibyl Jacobson, President, MetLife Foundation, One Madison Avenue, New York, NY 10010, Phone: (212) 578-7049, Link: <http://metlife.com/Companyinfo/Community/Found/>

New England Biolabs Foundation

- Program:** The Foundation supports grassroots organizations working with the environment, social change, the arts, elementary education, and science. Because the Foundation feels a responsibility towards its community, it ordinarily limits its grants in the United States to the greater Boston area with an emphasis on the North Shore.
- Funds:** Typical Grant Size: \$8,000
- Deadline:** 3/1, 9/1, 12/1.
- Eligible:** Nonprofits.
- Info:** Ms. Vickie Cataldo, 32 Tozer Road, Beverly, MA 01915, Phone: (978) 927-2404, Fax: (978) 921-1350, Email: cataldo@nebf.org, Link: <http://www.nebf.org>