



NOTICE OF FUNDING OPPORTUNITY

Clackamas County Vaccine Funding for Community Partners

Total amount of funds

\$1,100,000.00

Overview

Clackamas County Public Health Division (CCPHD) has funding for community partners to support vaccination efforts to build vaccine confidence, connect individuals with vaccine opportunities, and increase access to COVID-19 vaccines through community-based and customized distribution. This funding from the Oregon Health Authority focuses on Black, Indigenous, Latinx and other communities of color, low-income, houseless, people with disabilities, and rural communities.

Eligibility

501c3 community-based organizations, faith-based communities, organizations funded by the Oregon Health Authority for COVID-19 response, and small businesses.

Funding

We can fund up to \$30,000 for vaccine efforts, depending on the project and number of applications received. Funds must be spent by December 30, 2021.

Applicants may apply for multiple activities. Other ideas welcomed. Budgets are negotiable.

1. Outreach and Engagement. Includes vaccine education and promotion to increase vaccine confidence, sharing information about existing vaccination clinics.
 - a. Canvassing in neighborhoods and outreach
 - b. Engaging minority-owned businesses*
 - c. Host vaccine-related education event(s)
2. Provide on-site support (interpreters, staff/volunteers for the day of county-sponsored event)
3. Co-host / coordinate customized vaccine event(s) or mobile clinics. An event may include small, on-site mobile clinics customized to meet community needs. Preference given to vaccine distribution that is paired with or incorporated into an existing event or location where communities congregate. Includes vaccine education and promotion in advance to increase vaccine confidence. Venues include but not limited to:
 - a. Schools
 - b. Worksites
 - c. Local businesses & markets
 - d. Apartment complexes or neighborhoods
 - e. Places of worship
4. Support community members attending a vaccination event through transportation
5. Other: _____

* CCPHD has a list of minority-owned businesses from Micro Enterprise Service of Oregon

Allowable expenses

- Staff time
- Staff cost for remote events
- Payment to volunteers
- Subcontractor or contractor work
- Workforce recruitment and training
- Mileage and parking
- Outreach materials
- Translation and interpretation services
- Vaccine site space rental
- Event-required purchases and supplies
- Transportation
- Administrative overhead costs
- Incentives not to exceed \$50/person/dose

Requirements

Applicants must have completed or commit to complete a webinar, either by OHA, CCPHD or Boost Oregon, to learn about COVID-19 vaccines.

Criteria for applications:

- Primary focus on under-vaccinated communities in Clackamas County:
 - Hispanic/Latino,
 - Diverse communities,
 - Black, Indigenous, people of color,
 - Low-income,
 - People with disabilities
 - People with severe & persistent mental illness,
 - Rural communities
- Contributes to County's vaccine goals:
 - Aligns with Clackamas County Equity Plan
 - 80% or greater of eligible population vaccinated overall and within race and ethnicity subgroups
- Meets an identified community need
- Plans to coordinate with CCPHD
- Emphasizes collaboration over duplication (i.e. with OHA, with different CBOs serving the same populations, etc.)

Reporting

Report true and verifiable expenses (maintain receipts)

Final report of activities and outcomes (template will be provided)

Timeline

Applications can be submitted anytime before October 1, 2021. The goal is to make this application as simple as possible to get the funds out to organizations quickly. Public Health staff may meet with organizations to create a fundable plan. Funds must be spent by December 30, 2021.

Activity	Date
Funding announced	July 19, 2021
Zoom meeting to explain funding & answer questions	July 22, 2021 2:00 p.m.
Applications accepted any time before October 1st	October 1, 2021
Applications reviewed weekly by CCPHD staff to confirm applicants meet the minimum criteria.	Weekly
Applications reviewed weekly by committee members discuss applications, raise questions / concerns, and identify opportunities for collaboration.	Weekly
Funds spent by	December 30, 2021
Reports due	January 15, 2022

Questions

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