

MISSION

The mission of St. Joseph's Community Health Foundation is to promote and support projects and services that contribute to the mental, physical and spiritual well being of residents in Northwest North Central North Dakota. The counties included are Bottineau, Burke, McHenry, McLean, Mountrail, Pierce, Renville, Rolette, Sheridan, Ward, and Wells.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

1. Letters of Intent are due mid October.
2. Applicants who submit Letters of Intent within the mission and current interests of the Foundation will be invited to submit full applications.

A St. Joseph's Community Health Foundation grant does not guarantee further support or a pledge for future support.

ADDITIONAL GUIDELINES

1. Applicants may be asked to provide an on-site visit to help clarify the application.
2. St. Joseph's Community Health Foundation's Grants Review Committee is scheduled to meet annually. Applicants who are invited to submit a full application may be asked to provide a representative at the meeting.
3. Applicants will be notified of their grant status within 30 days of the Grants Review Committee meeting. Resources are limited and, therefore, we cannot fund every request.
4. Successful applicants will be required to execute a Grant Agreement outlining the conditions of the grant.

GRANT PERFORMANCE REPORTS

Award recipients must submit a performance report to St. Joseph's Community Health Foundation within 60 days of the project completion date. Multi-year grants require annual performance reports. Further support consideration is contingent on timely submission of these required reports.

LIMITATIONS

Because we cannot fund every worthwhile endeavor, we direct our resources to those areas where we feel the most critical needs exist, and where our support can have the greatest impact.

In general, the Foundation does not consider the following for funding:

1. Incomplete applications (see check-off list for full application)
2. Political organizations, campaigns or lobbying activities and/or organizations designed primarily for lobbying and advocacy
3. Grants for the reduction of an operating deficit or to liquidate a debt
4. Fraternal organizations, societies, or orders
5. Benefit fundraisers, raffles, tickets, testimonial or recognition events
6. Telephone solicitations