

Corporate Contributions Program – Family Stability

Exceptional service in our communities

Sandia is committed to improve the lives of people in our local communities by increasing family stability, improving educational success, and supporting community leadership.

Overview

Sandia National Laboratories (Sandia) is committed to serving its local communities through our culture of giving. Corporate contributions is an integral part of Sandia’s past, present, and future.

Sandia is managed by National Technologies and Engineering Solutions of Sandia LLC (NTESS), a wholly owned subsidiary of Honeywell International.

Sandia and NTESS are committed to addressing the greatest challenges in our communities at our locations in Albuquerque, New Mexico (primary site) and Livermore, California. New Mexico faces many challenges including the highest childhood poverty rate in the United States. We are investing our corporate contributions in the areas of Family Stability, Educational Success and Community Leadership to improve the quality of life for residents in our communities.



Grant Process and Cycles

In 2018, Sandia will be accepting grant proposals in two focus areas:

Focus Area	Grant Amount	Grant Cycle Open Date	Grant Cycle Close Date	Review Period	Announcement Period
Educational Success	\$5000-\$25,000	February 1	February 19 at 6 pm MST	February 20 – March 9	May 7-May 11
Family Stability	\$5000-\$25,000	May 10	June 4 at 6 pm MST	June 5- June 29	July 9-July 13

Family Stability Criteria

This grant opportunity is intended to support non-profit organizations that are helping families in crisis provide and sustain a stable home environment, especially for families with children. Priority will be given to services addressing food insecurity, housing stability and/or workforce development. Please include how your organization/programs demonstrates:

1. Sustainable improvement in a families' ability to provide a stable home environment
2. Partnering with other organizations to create efficiencies and avoid duplication of services

Geographic Boundaries

Due to limited resources, Sandia can only consider proposals from non-profits serving the following geographical areas:

New Mexico – Bernalillo, Sandoval, Torrance, and Valencia counties

California –Alameda County and San Joaquin County. Priority will be given to cities closest to Sandia's Livermore Laboratory

Requirements

The grant application is available online via [SHARE New Mexico](#). The following information will be requested in the application.

- Legal name of the agency
- DBA (Doing Business As) name (if applicable)
- Fiscal agent partner (if applicable)
- Web site address
- Tax ID / EIN number



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- Agency mission statement
- Actual total revenues from last completed fiscal year
- Total current year annual operating budget
- Number of paid staff
- Number of board members
- Grant request program title
- Project description
- Project start date
- Project end date
- Amount requested
- Description of program for which you are applying for funds (this should include the goals for the program, the need for the program, the population who will benefit and the approximate number of people the program will serve)
- # of clients/served including number of families/clients with children
- Describe the qualitative measures and results for this program (if existing) or another comparable program provided by your organization.
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- How specifically the funds will be used
- The names and amounts of committed and pending funders for this program
- List of the top three accomplishments of your organization in the past year

General FAQs

Who is eligible for a grant?

Qualified 501(c)(3) charitable non-profit organizations working to stabilize families with children who are experiencing food insecurity, unstable housing, or who are working to improve their employability opportunities, within the four-county Greater Albuquerque Metropolitan Area, including Bernalillo, Sandoval, Valencia and Torrance or in the Livermore area, including Alameda and San Joaquin counties.

I'm not a non-profit organization; I'm just a person who needs some extra help. Can I apply for a grant?

We are unable to award grants to individuals.

Does Sandia fund local offices, chapters or affiliates of national organizations?

Yes.

Does Sandia only fund large organizations...or only small organizations?

There is not a "right" size organization.

Does my organization need a 501(c)(3) designation from the IRS before I can apply for funds?

Your organization must have a 501(c)(3) designation or be a public educational institution.



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What is a 501(c)(3) designation? How can I get one?

501(c)(3) refers to the specific section of the Internal Revenue Code that defines a charitable organization. For more information, contact the Internal Revenue Service.

Sometimes an organization can use another non-profit organization's 501(c)(3). This would be called a "fiscal sponsorship." Organizations using a fiscal sponsor are eligible for funding.

If my organization has received grants in the past, are there limitations to how many years we can receive grants?

No.

Does Sandia provide multi-year grants?

No, Sandia does not make any multi-year grants.

Does Sandia fund faith-based 501(c)(3) organizations?

Sandia may fund faith-based organizations but does not fund projects of a religious nature or projects that deny receives services based on religion, gender, race, sexual orientation, gender identity or that have a policy explicitly permitting their own chapters, affiliates, etc. to do so.

Does Sandia have submission deadlines for requests?

Yes. Sandia will run multiple cycle grants each year and each posted grant will include deadlines.

How are grant applicants notified?

Per the above grant cycle, Sandia will contact organizations to inform them of their funding status.



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