



Funding Opportunity: Small Grants to Support Domestic Violence Nonprofits Impacted by the Coronavirus (COVID-19) Pandemic

DEADLINE: APRIL 17, 2020

Small grants (\$4,500) will be awarded to U.S. domestic violence organizations providing services to survivors of domestic violence that have been impacted by the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic. This opportunity is open to local domestic violence organizations based in the United States (including all states, territories, and tribal lands).

Funding for the grant program is made possible by The Allstate Foundation with oversight and implementation of the grant program by the National Network to End Domestic Violence (NNEDV).

If selected, awardees will be required to submit a short report within 60 days of receipt of funds to demonstrate how funds were used. Use of award funds will be restricted to the activities identified by the applicant in the following application.

Eligibility: Local domestic violence shelters and programs whose budgets do not exceed \$750,000 per year. Priority will be given to small nonprofit organizations who demonstrate the greatest need.

Contact Information: Organizations selected for a small grant will be contacted using the information provided in the application.

Selection Criteria: Organizations will be selected based on their eligibility, demonstrated need for resources, and their ability to use these funds to impact the most survivors. Priority will be given to small DV organizations who demonstrate the greatest need.

Examples of Allowable Activities: Funding should be used to offset hardships caused by the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic and to pay for services that will help you respond to urgent needs.

NNEDV requests the following information to be included in an application:

1. Eligibility Information

- a. Organization name
 - b. Organization EIN/Tax ID number
 - c. Nonprofit status
 - d. Organization mission statement
 - e. Organization's total expense, along with a copy of the organization's most recent 990. (ONLY if you are a Tribal DV program housed in Tribal Government, please upload an approved OVW, FVSPA, or other organization budget.)
 - f. Number of survivors of domestic violence organization served in the last fiscal year
2. Contact Information
- a. Contact name, position, email address
 - b. Organization phone number, mailing address
 - c. Finance/fiscal point-of-contact email address
3. Application Information
- a. Please explain why your community is in greatest need of these limited funds to help survivors.
 - b. Please explain why your current funding sources are not adequate to meet the current need.
 - c. Please explain how the coronavirus (COVID-19) pandemic is affecting your organization and the survivors that you are serving.
 - d. Estimated number of survivors and their children the organization will be able to serve with the small grant.
 - e. Please explain how your organization will use this small grant.

The application will be available through a SurveyMonkey link that can be accessed at [NNEDV.org/EmergencyGrants](https://www.nnedv.org/EmergencyGrants) starting on April 8, 2020.



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