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Carnegie Corporation of New York/New York Times I Love My Librarian Award

The Carnegie Corporation of New York/New York Times I Love My Librarian Award program recognizes librarians throughout the United States for exemplary service to their communities. Click above to learn more about the award guidelines and nomination process.

Rainforest Trust: Ark Initiative

The Rainforest Trust protects threatened tropical forests and endangered wildlife by partnering with local and community organizations in and around the areas that are being threatened. Click above to learn more about the funding guidelines and application process.

National Funding.

Support for Anti-Poverty Efforts Nationwide

Catholic Campaign for Human Development

The Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD), established by the Catholic bishops of the United States, is committed to supporting organizations led by low-income individuals as they work to break the cycle of poverty and improve their communities. CCHD's grant programs include the following: Community Development Grants support nonprofit organizations that

nurture the participation of people living in poverty to change structures and policies that affect their lives. At least 50 percent of those benefiting from the applying organization's efforts must be people experiencing poverty. Economic Development Grants support economic development institutions that include the voice of the poor and marginalized in developing new businesses that offer good jobs or develop assets that will be owned by local communities. Grants range between \$25,000 and \$75,000. Pre-applications for both programs may be submitted between September 1 and November 1, annually. (Organizations are encouraged to submit their pre-application prior to the November 1 deadline.) Visit the CCHD website for more information.

K-12 Field Trips Funded

Target Field Trip Grants

The Target Field Trip Grants program provides funds for K-12 field trips in order to give students throughout the country the opportunity to explore more of the world outside the classroom. Grants of up to \$700 each will be awarded to educators, teachers, principals, paraprofessionals, and classified staff who are employed by accredited K-12 public, private, or charter schools. (Parents, volunteers, after-school programs, Pre-K groups, and childcare centers are not eligible to apply.) Types of funded trips include art, science, and cultural museum visits; community service and civic projects; career enrichment opportunities; and other events or activities away from the school facility. Funds may be used to cover trip-related costs such as transportation, ticket fees, food, resource materials, and supplies. Online applications will be accepted between August 1 and October 1, 2016. Visit the Target website to learn more about the program.

Grants Address the Impact of Mining on U.S. and Canadian Communities

Indigenous Environmental Network/Western Mining Action Network: Grassroots Communities Mining Mini-Grant Program

The Grassroots Communities Mining Mini-Grant Program, sponsored by the Indigenous Environmental Network and the Western Mining Action Network, provides support to community-based organizations and tribes or tribal programs in the U.S. and Canada. The goal of the program is to support the capacity building efforts of mining-impacted communities to assure that mining projects do not adversely affect the human, cultural, and ecological health of communities. Requests must be project-specific for an immediate need such as legal assistance, organizing and outreach, development of campaign materials, etc. Grants of up to \$3,000 are provided. Requests are reviewed three times per year; the next application deadline is October 1, 2016. Visit the Western Mining Action Network website to download the application form.

Innovative Childhood Development Programs Supported

Caplan Foundation for Early Childhood

The Caplan Foundation for Early Childhood supports nonprofit organizations throughout the United States that offer programs that will significantly enhance the development, health, safety, education, or quality of life of children from infancy through seven years of age. The Foundation's areas of interest include the following: The Early Childhood Welfare category supports programs that research best child rearing practices and identify models that can provide caring environments to ensure all children thrive. The Early Childhood Education and Play category focuses on improving the quality of both early childhood teaching and learning through the development of innovative curricula and research-based pedagogical standards, as well as the design of imaginative play materials and learning environments. The Parenting Education

category promotes programs that teach parents about developmental psychology, cultural child rearing differences, and health, and also programs which provide support to parents. The Foundation's goal is to serve as an incubator for new, innovative projects and research that will have a nationwide impact. In that regard, the Foundation does not provide grants for the revision or implementation of existing programs or research, or for capital equipment, such as playgrounds. Letters of inquiry are due September 29, 2016. Visit the Foundation's website to learn more about the application process.

Regional Funding

Funds for Oral Health Programs in Michigan, Ohio, and Indiana

Delta Dental Foundation: Brighter Futures Community Grants

The Delta Dental Foundation, the philanthropic arm of Delta Dental of Michigan, Ohio, and Indiana, provides grants to nonprofit organizations that provide dental care for the underserved, to programs that promote the importance of good oral health, and to educational institutions to enhance dental education and research. This year, through its Brighter Futures Community Grants program, the Foundation will be providing \$150,000 in grants to support programs that focus on adult or children's oral health. Of particular interest are programs designed to promote and improve the oral health of underserved or at-risk populations and programs that have an oral health education component. Grants are limited to a maximum of \$5,000 each. The application deadline is September 30, 2016. Visit the Foundation's website to submit an online application.

Grants Enhance Community-Based Environmental Projects in New England

New England Grassroots Environment Fund

The mission of the New England Grassroots Environment Fund is to energize and nurture long-term civic engagement in local initiatives that create and maintain healthy, just, safe, and environmentally sustainable communities. The Fund offers two competitive grant programs designed to foster local community-based environmental initiatives in Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont. Seed Grants of \$250 to \$1,000 help volunteer groups launch and build their newly evolving projects. Requests for this program may be submitted throughout the year. Grow Grants of \$1,000 to \$3,500 enhance the ability of established groups to increase capacity, collaborate, and leverage impact. The application deadlines for this program are March 15 and September 15, annually. Visit the Fund's website for more information about these grant programs.

Social Change Issues Promoted in Georgia, North Carolina, and South Carolina

Fund for Southern Communities

The Fund for Southern Communities supports nonprofit organizations working to create just and sustainable communities that are free of oppression and that embrace and celebrate all people. The Fund provides grants of \$1,000 to \$5,000 to progressive grassroots groups in Georgia, North Carolina, and South Carolina that address social change issues, such as workers' rights, environmental justice, economic justice, non-traditional arts and media, etc. The Fund provides seed grants to new projects, and general or project support to small organizations (with a total organizational budget of \$150,000 or less). The application deadline is September 1, 2016. Visit the Fund's website to review the grant application information.

Communications Initiatives for Californians With Disabilities Supported

[Disability Communications Fund](#)

The Disability Communications Fund (DCF) supports nonprofit organizations that offer technology and programs that serve the communication needs of Californians with disabilities. DCF's funding priorities for 2017 include the following: Training the Next Generation of AT and AAC Experts, Facilitating Research and Innovation, and Replicating Successful Models. Grants of \$10,000 to \$100,000 will be provided. The deadline for letters of intent is August 8, 2016; full grant applications are due October 5, 2016. Visit the DCF website to learn more about the funding priorities and the application process.

Federal Funding

Program Helps Human Trafficking Victims

[Administration for Children and Families](#)

The Domestic Victims of Human Trafficking Program supports projects that will develop, expand, and strengthen comprehensive services for victims. Letters of intent are due July 22, 2016. The application deadline is August 24, 2016.

Funds Available to Strengthen the Workforce

[Department of Labor](#)

The America's Promise Job Driven Grant Program provides support to strengthen the pipeline of skilled workers to expand an economic region's middle- to high-skilled workforce. The application deadline is August 25, 2016.

Calendar

July 12 - Cultural Competency and Native Americans training. Held at Arizona Alliance of Community Health Centers. Free. For information or to register click [here](#).

July 13 - Restoration of Civil Rights. Free workshop for ex-offenders, adults and youth, who want to have their civil rights restored and have cases set aside. Maricopa County Downtown Justice Court, 620 W. Jackson, 2nd Floor (Gold Room), Phoenix. For information or to preregister (and items needed) call (602) 372-6803. Seating very limited. Preregistration recommended and walk-ins welcome. Call for required documents.

July 13 - Native American Recognition Days (NARD) Meeting. Meeting held at Phoenix Indian Center, 4520 N. Central Avenue, 2nd Floor, Phoenix. 5:00 p.m. For information call (602) 264-6768.

July 15-16 - 2016 Native American Grant School Conference. Albuquerque, New Mexico. For information contact [Veronica](#).

July 15-17 - Lori Piestewa National Native Games. For more information click [here](#).

July 18-21 - 2016 Tribal Child Protection Symposium and Leadership Forum. Scottsdale. Symposium provided by Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention. Free. Training certificates and hours provided. For information click [here](#).

July 21 - University of Arizona Mel and Enid Zuckerman College of Public Health for an Online Information Session. 10:30 a.m.-noon. Information on MPH, MS, Ph.D., DrPH, MD/MPH, JD/MPH, MBA/MPH, PharmD/MPH, MPH/MA Latin American Studies, and MPH/MS Mexican American Studies. For more information contact Kim Barnes at (602) 827-2070 or email [her](#).

July 26-27 - 11th Annual National Urban Indian Health Conference. This year's theme is "Strengthening the I/T/U Continuum of Care." Seattle, Washington. For more information click [here](#).

August 8-10 - AAIP/University of Minnesota Pre-Admission Workshop. Oakland, CA. For information click [here](#).

August 8-11 - 45th Annual Meeting and National Health Conference, Oakland, CA. Indian Health 360: The Spectrum of Care. For information check the [website](#).

August 9 - Association of American Indian Physicians - 2016 American Indians Accessing Health Professions Workshop. University of California Berkeley. For information click [here](#).

August 9-11 - National AI/AN Behavioral Health Conference: "Creating Trauma Informed Systems in AI/AN Communities." Portland, OR. Capacity limited to 550. For information check the [website](#).

August 11-13 - Association of American Indian Physicians 45th Annual Meeting. Oakland, CA. For information click [here](#).

August 15-17 - NACR-Native Patient Navigator's Basic Training. Native American Cancer Research Corporation's Patient Navigation is a patient centric healthcare model. 20 hour "Basic" Native Patient Navigator Training. Application deadline August 1. Denver, Colorado. For information click [here](#).

August 22-24 - San Diego American Indian Health Center and South Dakota Urban Indian Health centers will be hosting a White Bison training entitled "Medicine Wheel & 12 Steps for Men and Women" training. Video based curriculum. For information or to register click [here](#).

August 23-25 - 7th Annual Men and Women's Gathering. Talking Stick Resort, Scottsdale. For social services staff, victim advocates, TANF, elders, parents, education, Tribal Leaders, behavioral health and more. For information click [here](#).

August 27 - Miss Native American USA Pageant. Tempe Center for the Arts. For information check the [website](#).

August 29-31 - Arizona's 16th Annual Transition Conference. "Trending in Transition: Engagement, Experience, Employment." Talking Stick Resort, Scottsdale. Limited number of

scholarships. For information on scholarships or to register contact Jeannette at (602) 542-3855 or email [her](#).

November 15 Deadline - Center for Native American Youth. For first Generation Indigenous (Gen-I) Online Roundtable. For information and survey check the website at [http://cnay.org/Champions for Change.html](http://cnay.org/Champions_for_Change.html)

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American Indian Graduate Center Scholarships - Click [here for more information](#).

Living a Balanced Life with Diabetes - New toolkit for American Indians/Alaska Natives with Diabetes. The toolkit, helps health professionals address emotional issues. Call (888) 693-6337 to order a kit.

WERNATIVE - Health text messaging service for American Indian and Alaska Native teens and young adults. Text NATIVE to 24587 for weekly health tips, contests, and life advice. Sponsored by the Northwest Portland Area Indian Health Board.

AZ Tribal Health Listserv - UA, Mel and Enid Zuckerman College of Public Health. To sign up for the listserv click [here](#).

Sesame Street Workshop, Little Children, Big Challenges: Incarceration. For information click [here](#).

Good and Cheap - collection of recipes for people with limited incomes geared towards those on a SNAP budget of less than \$4.00/day. To view a PDF of the [free cookbook click here](#).

Affordable Housing Locator - For housing locations all over the United States. Click [here for more information](#).

American Indian Students United for Nursing (ASUN) - is a scholarship program funded by a grant from the Indian Health Service. It is available to AI/AN students who are enrolled in the College of Nursing at Arizona State University (ASU). The scholarship pays for tuition and fees, required books, and a living stipend. ASUN also provides other services and activities throughout the school year, aimed at providing support and assistance to students to help them be successful and earn their nursing degree. For more information, please visit [their website](#).

New e-newsletter: Honoring Health: Resources for American Indians and Alaska Natives. For information click [here](#).

Hunger Hotline - WhyHunger collects and distributes information about programs that address the immediate and long-term needs of struggling families and individuals. The national WhyHunger Hotline (1.800.5HUNGRY or 1.800.548.6479), refers people in need of emergency food assistance to food pantries, government programs, and model

grassroots organizations that work to improve access to healthy, nutritious food, and build self-reliance. To view their website and locate food resources click [here.](#)

Native Health News Alliance - Online newsletter for health news in Indian Country. Click [here for the link.](#)

Division of Child Safety Community Partnership Meetings - Great networking. 2016 Meeting Dates: August 12. For information or to RSVP email [Charlotte.](#)

New website on government benefits for Native Americans - Nativeonestop - For information click [here.](#)

Food Insecurity Assessment Tool and Resource List - Easy to use tool from I.H.S. to find out if patients/ clients have access to enough nutritious food. To view the document click [here.](#)

My Native Plate - Two page nutrition education tool, designed as a placemat. Easy to understand and shows balanced meals with reasonable portion sizes. For information click [here.](#)



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U.S. Department of Education, Office of Innovation and Improvement

Promise Neighborhoods Program Implementation Grant Competition

Deadline for Notice of Intent to Apply : July 25, 2016.

Application Deadline: September 6, 2016.

The vision of the Promise Neighborhoods program is that all children and youth living in distressed communities have access to great schools and strong systems of family and community support that will prepare them to attain an excellent education and successfully transition to college and a career.

Promise Neighborhoods are led by organizations that work to ensure that all children and youth in the target



geographic area have access to services that lead to improved educational and developmental outcomes from cradle-to career; are based on the best available evidence and designed to learn about the impact of approaches, for which there is less evidence; are linked and integrated seamlessly; and include education programs as well as programs that provide family and community supports. Promise Neighborhoods enable children and youth within targeted distressed

communities to participate in the full range of cradle-to career supports that are necessary for them to realize their potential.

Building on prior Promise Neighborhoods grantees' work to enhance high-quality early learning opportunities, this year's competition includes a competitive preference priority intended to improve coordination among early learning providers and ensure alignment between early learning systems and elementary education systems.

Priority Consideration

The Department of Education will prioritize applicants or an applicant's partner who received a Choice or HOPE VI grant from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) via a competitive preference priority focused on Quality Affordable Housing. The NRI is a placebased approach to help neighborhoods in distress transform themselves into neighborhoods of opportunity. In addition, ED will also include a competitive preference priority that gives preference to applicants working in designated Promise Zones.

Read the [Federal Register Notice](#).

[More information is available on the Department of Education's website.](#)

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Office of Administration for Children and Families

American Indian and Alaska Native Early Head Start Expansion and Early Head Start-Child Care Partnerships

Application Deadline: August 24, 2016

The Administration for Children and Families (ACF) announces the availability of approximately \$3.5 million to be competitively awarded for the purpose of expanding access to high-quality, comprehensive services to low-income American Indian/Alaska Native (AIAN) infants and toddlers and their families through Early Head Start-Child Care (EHS-CC) Partnerships, or through the expansion of Early Head Start services. ACF solicits applications from public entities, including states, or private non-profit organizations, including community-based or faith-based organizations, or for-profit agencies that meet eligibility for applying as stated in section 645A of the Head Start Act.

Bonus Points

Applicants that propose services in areas of high poverty identified by the zip codes listed in the *Appendix*, will receive 3 bonus points under *Section V.1. Criteria* of the FOA. The zip codes included in this list represents areas with highly concentrated poverty. For the purposes of this FOA, high poverty zip codes are where at least 33 percent of residents live below the federal poverty level and in which at least 120 children younger than age 5 reside.

Applicants that propose to serve children that reside within a federally designated Promise Zone (listed in the *Appendix*) and that serves a substantial number of children within that Zone and submit form HUD-50153 Certification of Consistency with Promise Zone Goals and Implementation, signed by the authorized official for the designated Promise Zone supporting the application, will receive 3 bonus points under the Criteria listed in *Section V.1*. For more information about federally designated Promise Zones, please visit the [Promise Zones website](#).

Applicants that propose to serve children residing in rural areas, specifically those residing in rural, non-metropolitan counties listed in the *Appendix* will receive 3 bonus points under *Section V.1. Criteria* of the FOA.

Please refer to page 41 of the application for more information.

Read the [HHS Funding Opportunity Announcement](#).

More information is available on the [HHS Website](#)

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services

Office of Administration for Children and Families

Early Head Start Expansion and Early Head Start-Child Care Partnership Grants
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For more information about federally designated Promise Zones, please visit the [Promise Zones website](#).

Applicants that propose to serve children residing in rural areas, specifically those residing in rural, non-metropolitan counties listed non-metropolitan counties listed in the *Appendix* will receive 3 bonus points under *Section V.1. Criteria* of the FOA.

Please refer to pages 40-41 of the application for more information. Read the [HHS Funding Opportunity Announcement](#). More information is available on the [HHS website](#).

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services
Office of Administration for Children and Families

Migrant and Seasonal Early Head Start Expansion and Early Head Start-Child Care Partnerships
Application Due Date: August 24, 2016

The Administration for Children and Families (ACF) announces the availability of approximately \$5 million to be competitively awarded for the purpose of expanding access to high-quality, comprehensive services to low-income, migrant and seasonal infants and toddlers and their families through Early Head Start-Child Care (EHS-CC) Partnerships, or through the expansion of Early Head Start services. ACF solicits applications from public entities, including states, or private non-profit organizations, including community-based or faith-based organizations, or for-profit agencies that meet eligibility for applying as stated in Section 645A of the Head Start Act.

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Please refer to page 41 of the application. Read the Announcement

More information is available on the [HHS website](#).

RUSTY FARMER PRESENTS
BATTLE OF NATIONS
TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS
STICKGAME TOURNAMENT
TO BE HELD IN
LAS VEGAS NEVADA
@SOUTH POINT EQUESTRIAN CENTER-EXHIBIT HALL B
NOVEMBER 9TH-12TH, 2016
\$160,000 IN PRIZE MONEY!!
STICKGAME COORDINATORS: RUSTY FARMER & CARLA TOROSIAN
MC: ANDRE PICARD

WEDNESDAY:
NORTH AMERICAN TRIBAL STICK GAME CHALLENGE
-INVITED ELITE POINTERS ONLY
-DOUBLE ELIMINATION
-MINIMUM OF 20 PLAYERS PER TRIBE
-ENTRY OF \$100 PER PLAYER (ON SITE PAY ONLY)

1ST:	\$12,000
2ND:	\$7,500
3RD:	\$5,000
4TH:	\$3,000
5TH:	\$1,500

THURSDAY:
WTF- WORLD THREE MAN FINALS
-3 MAN TEAM
-DOUBLE ELIMINATION
-ENTRY FEE \$225 (ON SITE PAY ONLY)

1ST:	\$12,000
2ND:	\$7,500
3RD:	\$5,000
4TH:	\$3,000
5TH:	\$1,500

FRIDAY & SATURDAY:
TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS
-5 MAN TEAM
-DOUBLE ELIMINATION
-ENTRY FEE \$1000 (ON SITE)
-ESTART FRIDAY & END SATURDAY

1ST:	\$50,000
2ND:	\$25,000
3RD:	\$15,000
4TH:	\$7,500
5TH:	\$3,000
6TH:	\$1,500

EARLY REGISTRATION FOR THE TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS STARTING FRIDAY NOVEMBER 11TH, 2016 WILL OPEN UP ON JULY 1ST 2016. EARLY REGISTRATION IS \$800. DEADLINE IS THURSDAY SEPTEMBER 1ST 2016. EARLY REGISTRATION CAN BE PURCHASED AT WWW.BATTLEOFNATIONSTICKGAME.COM. FOR MORE INFORMATION, CONTACT BATTLEOFNATIONS2015@GMAIL.COM OR 425-632-3462.

THE BATTLE OF NATIONS TOURNAMENT OF CHAMPIONS STICKGAME TOURNAMENT WILL BE HELD IN COLLABORATION WITH INDIAN NATIONALS FINAL RODEO (INFR). THE TOC WILL BE LOCATED AT THE SAME VENUE AS THE INFR. THE SOUTH POINT EQUESTRIAN CENTER-EXHIBIT HALL B.

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