

## 2026 – 2027 IEHP Foundation (IEHPF) Healthy Organizations Grant Summary

The Healthy Organizations grants provides funding and support to nonprofit organizations addressing the social drivers of health (SDOH) for Inland Empire community residents who are experiencing the poorest health outcomes in low-income communities, rural or remote areas and/or communities with a Healthy Places Index (HPI) score lower than 25. These investments focus on supporting projects and activities that improve the nonprofit’s internal capacity to work effectively and develop strong programs, finances, leadership and infrastructure that will be sustained beyond the one-year lifecycle of the grant.

Healthy Organizations grants are awarded twice a year and have a one-year grant lifecycle. Awards will range from \$5,000 - \$20,000, although exceptions may apply. Organizations may only apply once per calendar year and must address at least one of the IEHPF’s priority [Vital Conditions](#). **Additionally, organizations cannot submit an application for a 2026 - 2027 Healthy Organizations grant if they plan to submit a request for a 2026 – 2027 Healthy Communities grant.**

To apply, organizations will complete a brief Eligibility Quiz to determine eligibility and submit a Letter of Inquiry (LOI) with a brief description of the project or activity they hope to fund with the Healthy Organizations grant. IEHPF staff members will then will review the LOI and determine if the organization will be invited to the full application on a rolling basis, but by the invitation deadline below.

Please note that organizations are encouraged to submit their LOIs early to allow for greater time to complete an application, if invited. However, as long as an organization submits an LOI by the deadline, their project will be considered for funding.

### 2026 – 2027 Grant Cycles & Timelines

There will be two grant cycles for 2026 – 2027 IEHPF Healthy Organizations Grants. Please see table below for key dates and deadlines.

Virtual Information Sessions will be held online and live during the times below. Attendance is optional and a recording will be available on the IEHPF Website Grants page approximately 3-5 business days after the live session. There will be a live Question and Answer portion during each of the Virtual Information Sessions, so applicants with questions are encouraged to attend the live session.

During the Virtual Information Sessions, additional information about the criteria for evaluation.

	Grant Cycle 1	Grant Cycle 2
<b>Letters of Inquiry (LOI) submission period opens</b>	February 26, 2026	July 14, 2026
<b>Virtual Information Session - Live*</b>	9am – 10am PT on March 13, 2026. <a href="#">Click here</a> to register.	11am – 12pm PT on August 5, 2026. <a href="#">Click here</a> to register.
<b>LOI submission period closes</b>	5pm PT on April 3, 2026	5pm PT on August 31, 2026

<b>Invitations to Application sent to LOIs approved</b>	March 1, 2026 – April 17, 2026	July 20 – September 14, 2026
<b>Applications Due</b>	5pm PT on May 11, 2026	5pm PT on October 5, 2026
<b>Final Status Notification</b>	May 25, 2026	October 30, 2026
<b>Grant Payments</b>	Mid June 2026	Late November 2026
<b>Grant Cycle</b>	July 1, 2026 – June 30, 2027	January 1, 2027 – December 31, 2027
	5pm PT on August 6, 2027	5pm PT on February 4, 2028

### **How to Apply**

- **Step 1:** Review the [Eligibility Criteria](#) to confirm your organization is eligible to apply.
- **Step 2:** Review the [Grant Goals](#) to confirm your organization’s proposed project/use of funds aligns with these goals.
- **Step 3:** Submit a [Letter of Inquiry \(LOI\)](#) via IEHPF’s [Grants Management Portal](#). Prior to submitting the LOI, you will need to complete a brief eligibility quiz to confirm your eligibility. More detailed instructions regarding this step will be available during the Virtual Information Session.
  - IEHPF Staff Members will review the LOIs and provide final notice of next steps on a rolling basis, in the order the grants are received, but no later than the Application Invitation deadline listed above. Any LOI submitted by the deadline will be reviewed and considered.
- **Step 4:** If invited to submit a full application, complete the application within IEHPF’s [Grant Management Portal](#) by the Application deadline listed above. [Click here](#) for a copy of the grant application.
- **Step 6:** Applications will be reviewed and applicants will be notified of the grant request final status by the Final Status notification deadline listed above.
- **Step 7:** If approved, grant payments will be made within 10 business days of a completed grant agreement.
- **Step 8:** Submit a [Grant Impact Report](#) to provide an update about the use and impact of the grant funds.
  - Grant Reports will be due approximately 6 weeks after the completion of the grant cycle.
  - Organizations will not be eligible to apply for a 2027 - 2028 Healthy Organizations or Healthy Communities grant unless a 2026 - 2027 Grant Report has been submitted.

### **Communications**

- Email communications regarding the status of your application will come from IEHP Foundation Grants <[administrator@grantinterface.com](mailto:administrator@grantinterface.com)> or [grants@iehpfoundation.org](mailto:grants@iehpfoundation.org). Make sure both these email addresses are marked safe on your server to avoid communications being blocked or sent to a SPAM folder.

### **Additional Questions**

- For any additional questions, comments or accommodation needs, please email [grants@iehpfoundation.org](mailto:grants@iehpfoundation.org). Please allow 1 – 3 business days for a response.

### **What will not be funded**

- Academic scholarships
- Endowments
- Individuals
- Major capital projects
- Private Foundations
- Retroactive funding
- Sabbaticals
- Vehicles