



Good for You Healthy Hubs Mini-Grant

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Greetings,

We are pleased to inform you that your Healthy Hub has met expectations set forth by our program. Your commitment to fostering a healthier community has made an impact and we are thrilled to support your continued efforts. As a result, we are delighted to announce that your site is eligible for an additional \$4,800. This funding is intended to empower your team to make strategic purchases that will further enhance the effectiveness of your program, ensuring even greater benefits for those you serve.

While the grant will be provided up front, we kindly ask that the funds be fully utilized within six months of the award date to maximize their impact. We want to ensure that this opportunity does not go unspent, allowing your program to continue making meaningful strides in improving community health.

Expenditures must be reasonable, necessary, and allowable to ensure proper and efficient performance of the Good for You Program and administration of the award. Expenditures must be authorized by or not prohibited by federal, state, or local laws and regulations. (For example, the purchase of alcohol is prohibited.) **Expenditures must be applicable to the Good For You Healthy Hubs Program objectives which is to increase access to healthy, fresh food for families.**

To determine whether an expenditure is reasonable, consider the following questions:

- Does it align with the objectives of the Good For You Healthy Hubs Program?
- Is it necessary for the hub's operation?
- Can it be easily justified?
- Is it in compliance with federal, state, and local policies?
- Can you demonstrate that the price was comparable to similar items?
- Is it transparent?

Allowable expenditures include:

Nutrition education services and Fees

- Chef or Educator Fee
- Cooking Demonstration or Class
- Nutrition Workshop or Activity



Supplies for nutrition education:

- Office supplies necessary to comply with documentation requirements:
- File Cabinet
- Files and Folders

Supplies and equipment for outfitting the pantry:

- Mobile Shelving
- Produce Bins
- Shelf Liners
- Trash Cans
- Produce Bins

Supplies for volunteers loading and distributing food:

- Hand Trucks, Carts, or Dollies
- Paper Bags or Boxes

Additional supplies for families:

- Necessities That Could Not Be Otherwise Acquired or Donated
- Shelf-stables: low or no-sodium added, canned or frozen fruits and vegetables, rice, beans
 - *Sugary items, sugar-added items, or items deemed non-nutritious are **not approved** through the GFY Grant (such as sodas, sugar, chips)*