



Lane Community Health Council

2024 Youth & Family Behavioral Health Grant

Frequently Asked Questions

Q: What ages qualify as “youth” for the purpose of this application?

A: We have chosen to not set a firm definition for the term “youth” in this process, to allow for flexibility in project applications. Instead, we ask applicants to define the term for their own project. If you feel that your definition falls outside the provider-accepted definition of youth behavioral health, we encourage you to provide the justification for your definition as part of the project narrative section.

Q: Is my project eligible for consideration?

A: In order to maintain a fair and equitable process, we do not review each application proposal individually prior to submission. Here is the information we are able to provide. Once the applications are received, they go through a minimum qualification screening (based on the “Funding Specifics” section here: <https://www.lhealthcouncil.org/wp-content/uploads/2024-LCHC-Youth-Behavioral-Health-Grant-RFP.pdf>) and then to an independent review panel. This panel reviews the applications and scores each application based on a rubric that includes attention to focus (here, Youth & Family Behavioral Health services, specifically programs that focus on prevention and/or intervention activities) and how well the application as written will improve health outcomes and/or implement, promote, and increase wellness and health promotion activities in Lane County.

Q: My organization has previously been awarded a grant from Lane Community Health Council. Can we still apply?

A: At this time, we are not able to fund the same project using multiple funding streams. Your organization is welcome to apply for this grant opportunity, but it will need to be for a separate project; it cannot be used to supplement other LCHC-awarded grant projects.

*Please note that this could change in future grant cycles, so please continue to check back!

Q: I have additional information (letters of support, additional sources, etc.) for my application. How can I submit that information?

A: Please keep any in-text citations (if applicable) and feel free to note that you have additional documents available upon request within the narrative section. Our review panelists are instructed that they may request additional information if applicable. LCHC will be in touch with applicants during the review period if that information is requested by the review panelists.