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Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	Social Science	Grand Challenge In U.S. Economic Mobility and Opportunity	11/13/2019		\$100,000	Two-page proposal.	Seek proposals for creative, scalable, strategic new ways to generate awareness of the structural and historic barriers to economic mobility; to communicate that poverty is not just something that happens to other people and everyone is deserving of the chance to move out of poverty; and to change the predominant misconceptions about poverty in a way that creates the conditions for effective programs and policies to be adopted by the public and private sectors. -- <b>must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://gchg.grandchallenges.org/challenge/voices-economic-opportunity">https://gchg.grandchallenges.org/challenge/voices-economic-opportunity</a>
Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation	Health	Innovations for Improving the Impact of Health Campaigns	11/13/2019		\$100,000	Two-page proposal.	Seeking innovative solutions that accelerate the improvement of coverage, reach, efficiency, and effectiveness of health campaigns. Specifically, we are looking for innovations in approaches, practices, or tools that dramatically improve the planning and microplanning, implementation / operations, and monitoring and evaluation that will lead to improved effectiveness of campaigns. -- <b>must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://gchg.grandchallenges.org/challenge/innovations-improving-impact-health-campaigns-round-24">https://gchg.grandchallenges.org/challenge/innovations-improving-impact-health-campaigns-round-24</a>
American Foundation for Suicide Prevention	Health	Distinguished Investigator Innovation Grants	11/15/2019		\$125,000		<b>Support for research that contributes to the understanding and ultimate prevention of suicide or to the treatment of suicidal individuals. Investigators must have an established record of research and publication on suicide. Numerous disciplines are supported including: psychiatry, medicine, psychology, genetics, epidemiology, neurobiology, sociology, nursing, social work, health services administration, and others.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://afsp.org/our-work/research/grant-information/">https://afsp.org/our-work/research/grant-information/</a>
Nissan Foundation	Cultural Diversity	2020 Grant Cycle	11/15/2019	\$10,000	\$40,000	Letter of Intent only; only one-year grant terms	Supports organizations that offer educational programs that inform, inspire and celebrate diversity among the various cultural and ethnic groups that make up society. <b>Must coordinate with Corporate Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://www.nissanusa.com/about/community-relations.html">https://www.nissanusa.com/about/community-relations.html</a>
Chan Zuckerberg Initiative	Health	Single-Cell Analysis of Inflammation	11/19/2019		\$175,000	February notification. March 1, 2020, earliest project start date.	<b>CZI seeks applications aimed toward identifying unifying principles that underlie tissue homeostasis and inflammation at the single cell level. The goal is to stimulate collaborations across disciplines that will help define a new field. Successful applications will bring together researchers in different experimental, computational, or medical domains. The two-year pilot grant period is intended to develop proof-of-concept for the experimental team and the approach, setting up future programs for detailed mechanistic investigations -- must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://chanzuckerberg.com/rfa/single-cell-analysis-inflammation/">https://chanzuckerberg.com/rfa/single-cell-analysis-inflammation/</a>
American Kidney Fund	Health	Clinical Scientist in Nephrology Program	11/22/2019		\$80,000		Grants over two years are awarded in support of career development activities. The program is designed to fund researchers whose work will improve the diagnosis, treatment, and outcomes for patients living with chronic kidney disease. They'll conduct research while receiving advanced training in essential skills such as medical ethics, biostatistics, and epidemiology.	Submit to: American Kidney Fund Professional Education Development 11921 Rockville Pike, Suite 300 Rockville, MD 20852 education@kidneyfund.	<a href="http://www.kidneyfund.org/assets/pdf/training/2020-csn-application.pdf">http://www.kidneyfund.org/assets/pdf/training/2020-csn-application.pdf</a>

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NCAA	Various	NCAA Innovations in Research and Practice Grant Program	11/22/2019		\$25,000		Grants will be awarded for the design of data-informed resources or on-campus programs aimed at enhancing the well-being of NCAA student-athletes. Potential topics include but are not limited to managing transitions; identity development; stress management; substance use; bystander intervention; cultivating healthy relationships; career exploration; and sport exit strategies.	Online Application	<a href="https://ncaaorg.s3.amazonaws.com/research/grants/innovations/2020/2020RES_InnovationsGrantCFP.pdf">https://ncaaorg.s3.amazonaws.com/research/grants/innovations/2020/2020RES_InnovationsGrantCFP.pdf</a>
Pfizer	Health	Healthy Aging Interventions: Innovative Initiatives That Engage Patients with Chronic Conditions to Impact Healthier Aging	11/25/2019		\$50,000		Through the medical education grants, Pfizer-Upjohn seeks to support innovative outreach programs for patients with early signs of up to two chronic conditions (such as hypertension or depression) who are middle aged (35-64 years of age) and/or older adults (age 65 years and up). <b>Must coordinate with Corporate Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://www.pfizer.com/purpose/medical-grants/process">https://www.pfizer.com/purpose/medical-grants/process</a>
Russell Sage Foundation	Social Science	Social, Political, and Economic Inequality Research	11/26/2019	\$30,000	\$50,000		Supports research on the factors that contribute to inequality in the U.S. and the extent to which social, political and economic inequalities affect social, psychological, political, and economic outcomes, including equality of access and opportunity, social mobility, civic mobilization and representation, and the intergenerational transmission of advantage and disadvantage. Encourages methodological variety and interdisciplinary collaboration -- <b>must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="http://www.russellsage.org/research/funding/social-inequality">http://www.russellsage.org/research/funding/social-inequality</a>
Muscular Dystrophy Association	Health	Discovery Research Grants	12/1/2019	\$100,000	\$300,000		Supports independent, established investigators with the potential to accelerate progress toward greater understanding and the treatment of neuromuscular disease. The organization is especially interested in research on muscular dystrophies, motor neuron diseases, ion channel diseases, mitochondrial diseases, myopathies, neuromuscular junction diseases, and peripheral nerve diseases. As each disease poses unique challenges to therapy development, discovery research may include various types of studies related to the unmet needs of each disorder, including the creation of improved disease models, biomarker discovery, and the identification of the genetic causes of disease.	Online Application	<a href="https://www.mda.org/science/funding-opportunities">https://www.mda.org/science/funding-opportunities</a>
Environmental Research and Education Foundation	Environment	Waste Management Grant	12/1/2019	\$15,000	\$500,000	Pre-proposal due 12/1	EREF invites projects that address any area of integrated solid waste management, with a focus on research that increases sustainable solid waste management practices. The following areas will be considered: waste minimization; recycling; water conversion to energy biofuels, chemicals, or other useful products; strategies designed to promote diversion to higher and better uses; and landfilling.	Online Application	<a href="https://erefdn.org/research-grants-projects/how-to-apply-for-grant/">https://erefdn.org/research-grants-projects/how-to-apply-for-grant/</a>
McKnight Foundation	Health	Technological Innovations in Neuroscience Awards	12/2/2019	\$100,000	\$200,000	LOI only; full proposal due 4/27/2020	The program seeks to advance and enlarge the range of technologies available to the neurosciences. It does not support research based primarily on existing techniques. The McKnight Foundation is especially interested in how technology may be used or adapted to monitor, manipulate, analyze, or model brain function at any level, from the molecular to the entire organism. Technology may take any form, from biochemical tools to instruments to software and mathematical approaches. Because the program seeks to advance and enlarge the range of technologies available to the neurosciences, research based primarily on existing techniques will not be considered. -- <b>must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://www.mcknight.org/programs/the-mcknight-endowment-fund-for-neuroscience/technology-awards/">https://www.mcknight.org/programs/the-mcknight-endowment-fund-for-neuroscience/technology-awards/</a>

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Rivkin Center	Health	Pilot Study Awards	12/2/2019		\$75,000		Support of new avenues of ovarian cancer research and to expand understanding of the disease, broadly defined. Projects in all areas of ovarian cancer research will be considered. In addition, projects designed to analyze data from already funded clinical trials will be considered.	Online Application	<a href="https://www.rivkin.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/Pilot-Study-Award-RFA-2020.pdf">https://www.rivkin.org/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/Pilot-Study-Award-RFA-2020.pdf</a>
Muscular Dystrophy Association	Health	Discovery Research Grant	12/2/2019		\$100,000	LOI due 12/2	Support of discovery research with the potential to accelerate progress toward greater understanding and the treatment of neuromuscular disease. They are especially interested in research on muscular dystrophies, motor neuron diseases, ion channel diseases, mitochondrial diseases, myopathies, neuromuscular junction diseases, and peripheral nerve diseases.	Online Application	<a href="https://www.mda.org/science/funding-opportunities">https://www.mda.org/science/funding-opportunities</a>
Russell Sage Foundation	Social Science	Pipeline Grant	12/3/2019	\$30,000	\$50,000	Proposals due 12/3; tenure track assistant professors and associate professors for less than seven years	The Russell Sage Foundation (RSF), in partnership with the Economic Mobility and Opportunity program at the Bill & Melinda Gates Foundation (BMGF), seeks to advance innovative research on economic mobility and access to opportunity in the United States. We are particularly interested in research focused on diagnosing and addressing structural barriers to economic mobility in this country. This initiative is designed to support early- and mid-career tenure-track scholars, and to promote diversity by prioritizing applications from scholars who are underrepresented in the social sciences. This includes racial, ethnic, gender, disciplinary, institutional, and geographic diversity. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations</b>	Online Application	<a href="http://www.russellsage.org/how-to-apply/pipeline-grants-competition">http://www.russellsage.org/how-to-apply/pipeline-grants-competition</a>
Southeast Michigan Resilience Fund	Environment	Southeast Michigan Resilience Fund Grants	12/4/2019	\$50,000	\$300,000	Pre-proposal due 12/4, full proposal due 2/27/20.	Grants are awarded in two categories: 1) Expanding Green Stormwater Infrastructure and Enhancing Public Space - support for projects improving stormwater capture and storage with the aim of reducing runoff, combined sewer overflows, basement backups, and flooding. Must be dual purpose: increase stormwater capacity while also enhancing the quality/access of community green space/natural areas. 2) Improving Habitat Quality, Connectivity and Enhancing Public Space - support for habitat restoration projects that improve the quality and connectivity of in-stream, riparian, upland, and wetland habitats across the region. Must be dual purpose: restore habitat while improving public access to natural areas throughout the region.	Online Application	<a href="https://www.nfwf.org/semichigan/Pages/2019rfp.aspx">https://www.nfwf.org/semichigan/Pages/2019rfp.aspx</a>
Pancreatic Cancer Action Network	Health	2020 Translational Research Grants	12/6/2019		\$500,000		Support for research aimed at identifying novel targets and approaches to the treatment of pancreatic cancer or the understanding and circumvention of treatment resistance. The program seeks to fund high-priority pancreatic cancer research that is poised for important translational next steps. They are particularly interested in the following areas: immune context and tumor microenvironment interactions, regulators of pathogenesis, progression and metabolism, with particular interest in epigenetic mechanisms, and transcriptional networks essential for viability and maintenance of malignant phenotype.	Online Application	<a href="http://media.panacan.org/rfa/2020/2020-TRG-RFA-FINAL.pdf">http://media.panacan.org/rfa/2020/2020-TRG-RFA-FINAL.pdf</a>
The Kresge Foundation	Community Development	Kresge Innovative Projects: Detroit	12/6/2019	\$20,000	\$150,000	Video or written submission. Require cover letter from the president. Work with Foundation Relations to secure.	The KIP:D initiative seeks to respond to community priorities by providing resources for projects that are not necessarily "new," but that support the vision and creativity of Detroit's residents to improve the quality of life in our neighborhoods. It seeks to fund projects in Detroit's neighborhoods that support the vision and creativity of residents, using inclusive, collaborative processes that authentically engage community members in planning, design and implementation. Applicants can apply in four different categories: capacity building for neighborhood projects, project planning, project implementation, project planning and implementation. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://kresge.org/sites/default/files/library/det-kipd-r6-guidelines.pdf">https://kresge.org/sites/default/files/library/det-kipd-r6-guidelines.pdf</a>

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Athroscopy Association of North America	Health	2020 Research Grants	12/6/2019		\$100,000		The AANA Research Committee distributes grants for clinical or basic science research in the field of arthroscopic surgery or disorders amenable to arthroscopic treatment.	Online Application	<a href="https://www.aana.org/aanaimis/Members/Fellowships-Research/Research-Grants.aspx">https://www.aana.org/aanaimis/Members/Fellowships-Research/Research-Grants.aspx</a>
Facebook	Various	Content Governance	12/6/2019	\$50,000	\$100,000		Facebook Research seeks scholarship and advocacy related to content governance on their platform. This is open to a wide range of disciplines and academic interests including: online speech, law and technology, digital constitutionalism, multi-stakeholderism, content moderation, content governance, journalism, applied ethics, free expression, digital rights, human rights, tech policy, and other related fields of study. This can include input on how an Oversight Board could be developed. <b>Must coordinate with Corporate Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://research.fb.com/prgrams/research-awards/proposals/content-governance-request-for-proposals/">https://research.fb.com/prgrams/research-awards/proposals/content-governance-request-for-proposals/</a>
Facebook	Computer Science	Distributed Systems Research request for proposals	12/6/2019		\$50,000		Facebook Research invites faculty and graduate students to submit proposals that address the fundamental challenges that arise in distributed systems operating at an extremely large scale. Facebook recognizes that at a large scale, data centers face key challenges in interdependence, distribution, and heterogeneous hardware. Forward-looking research that can help Facebook Research to identify, understand, and address these challenges are welcome. <b>Must coordinate with Corporate Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://research.fb.com/prgrams/research-awards/proposals/distributed-systems-research-request-for-proposals/">https://research.fb.com/prgrams/research-awards/proposals/distributed-systems-research-request-for-proposals/</a>
Klarman Family Foundation	Health	Eating Disorder Research Grants	12/9/2019	\$150,000	\$750,000	Funds either 1-year pilot programs or 1-3 research projects	Supports research that directly investigates the underlying biology of anorexia nervosa and the questions of how and why it develops and persists. The foundation seeks to fund well-controlled, sufficiently powered studies that explore important questions about the interface between behavior/cognition and neurobiology and encourages approaches that incorporate neurobiology with an up-to-date understanding of the symptoms and dysfunction associated with anorexia nervosa psychopathology.	Online Application	<a href="https://www.klarmanfoundation.org/eating-disorders-research/">https://www.klarmanfoundation.org/eating-disorders-research/</a>
Pfizer	Health	Patient Education in Smoking Cessation	12/9/2019		\$200,000		Pfizer Medical Education grants for this competition will support smoking cessation education for adult patients in a rapidly changing environment where dual use of e-cigarettes and combustible cigarettes is increasing. <b>Must coordinate with Corporate Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://www.pfizer.com/purpose/medical-grants/process">https://www.pfizer.com/purpose/medical-grants/process</a>
Pancreatic Cancer Action Network	Health	Career Development Award	12/13/2019		\$200,000	Grant recipients are invited to join a mentorship program.	This award encourages and supports junior faculty in launching a career in pancreatic cancer research. The two-year grants are for junior investigators who have yet to secure their first major research funding. The research proposed for funding may be basic, translational, clinical, or epidemiological in nature and must have direct applicability and relevance to pancreatic cancer.	Online Application	<a href="http://media.pancan.org/rsa/2020/2020-CDA-RFA-FINAL.pdf">http://media.pancan.org/rsa/2020/2020-CDA-RFA-FINAL.pdf</a>

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Global Consortium for Female Reproductive Longevity and Equality	Health	Senior Faculty Awards	12/15/2019	\$400,000	\$800,000		The Global Consortium for Female Reproductive Longevity and Equality (GCRLE) is soliciting applications from investigators worldwide for two-year projects focused broadly on understanding female reproductive aging. This opportunity supports established investigators who are thought leaders in their fields. Awards are intended to complement other major funders of research by putting emphasis on projects that may not be supported by traditional sources because of their novelty or high risk, or because the investigator is moving into female reproductive aging from a different research area.	Online Application	<a href="https://www.buckinstitute.org/lab/global-consortium-for-female-reproductive-longevity-and-equality-gcrle/">https://www.buckinstitute.org/lab/global-consortium-for-female-reproductive-longevity-and-equality-gcrle/</a>
Global Consortium for Female Reproductive Longevity and Equality	Health	Junior Faculty Awards	12/15/2019	\$250,000	\$500,000		The Global Consortium for Female Reproductive Longevity and Equality (GCRLE) is soliciting applications from investigators worldwide for two-year projects focused broadly on understanding female reproductive aging. This opportunity supports newly independent investigators with outstanding promise when they are establishing their own labs and are malleable in the direction of their research.	Online Application	<a href="https://www.buckinstitute.org/lab/global-consortium-for-female-reproductive-longevity-and-equality-gcrle/">https://www.buckinstitute.org/lab/global-consortium-for-female-reproductive-longevity-and-equality-gcrle/</a>
Global Consortium for Female Reproductive Longevity and Equality	Health	Pilot Awards	12/16/2019	\$100,000	\$200,000		The Global Consortium for Female Reproductive Longevity and Equality (GCRLE) is soliciting applications from investigators worldwide for two-year projects focused broadly on understanding female reproductive aging. This opportunity seeks to foster innovative collaborative or novel research projects that have the potential for high impact and high reward at an accelerated rate. These awards will allow collection of preliminary data to apply for larger grants.	Online Application	<a href="https://www.buckinstitute.org/lab/global-consortium-for-female-reproductive-longevity-and-equality-gcrle/">https://www.buckinstitute.org/lab/global-consortium-for-female-reproductive-longevity-and-equality-gcrle/</a>
Flagstar Foundation	Various	Flagstar Foundation Grants	12/31/2019				Flagstar provides grants to nonprofit organizations that align with their charitable giving priorities and have measurable outcomes. Special emphasis is placed on nonprofits that serve racial and ethnic groups, the LGBTQ community, people with disabilities, women, and veterans. Their charitable giving priorities include: apprenticeship and workforce readiness, arts and culture, financial capability.	Online Application	<a href="https://www.flagstar.com/about-flagstar/flagstar-foundation.html">https://www.flagstar.com/about-flagstar/flagstar-foundation.html</a>
Lockheed Martin	Education	STEM education and military and veteran causes	Rolling			One-year grants.	Lockheed Martin is committed to a program of philanthropy that supports the Corporation's strategic business goals and invests in the quality of life in the communities where our employees work and live. <b>Must coordinate with Corporate Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="http://www.lockheedmartin.com/us/who-we-are/community/philanthropy.html">http://www.lockheedmartin.com/us/who-we-are/community/philanthropy.html</a>
Robert Wood Johnson Foundation	Health	Evidence for Action: Investigator-Initiated Research to Build a Culture of Health	Rolling	\$185,000	\$440,000	Grant period is up to 36 months.	Supports rigorous, high-impact, creative research projects to build and disseminate information for evidence-based approaches to building a Culture of Health. The program will also support efforts to assess outcomes and set priorities for action by encouraging and supporting creative, rigorous research on the impact of innovative programs, policies and partnerships on health and well-being, and on novel approaches to measuring health determinants and outcomes. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="https://anr.rwjf.org/viewCfp.do?cfpid=1224&amp;cfpOverviewId">https://anr.rwjf.org/viewCfp.do?cfpid=1224&amp;cfpOverviewId</a>

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Thrasher Research Foundation	Health	E.W. Al Thrasher Award	Rolling	\$100,000	\$500,000	Awards grants two times per year, with no fixed number of awards given in each funding cycle or in each year.	Funds to improve children's health through medical research, with an emphasis on projects that have the potential to translate into clinically meaningful results within a few years. Open to applications that address a variety of significant pediatric problems. Both incidence and severity are considered when determining the significance of the proposed topic.	Email LOI	<a href="https://www.thrasherresearch.org/SitePages/al-thrasher-award.aspx">https://www.thrasherresearch.org/SitePages/al-thrasher-award.aspx</a>
Blue Cross Blue Shield Blue Care Network of Michigan	Health	Investigator Initiated Research Program	Rolling	\$50,000	\$75,000	If the project is exceptional, they will consider increasing or extending funding.	To make a significant contribution to health care knowledge and its application to improve health by supporting research and effective demonstration and evaluation projects and developing innovative and socially responsive health initiatives. <b>Must coordinate with Corporate Relations.</b>	Concept Paper	<a href="https://www.bcbsm.com/content/dam/microsites/foundation/Documents/concept-paper-form.pdf">https://www.bcbsm.com/content/dam/microsites/foundation/Documents/concept-paper-form.pdf</a>
Blue Cross Blue Shield Blue Care Network of Michigan	Health	Physician-Investigator Research Award	Rolling		\$10,000	Does not support basic science, biomedical research, or studies using animals.	Enables physicians to explore the merits of a research idea who propose a pilot study, feasibility study or small research study. <b>Must coordinate with Corporate Relations.</b>	Concept Paper	<a href="https://www.bcbsm.com/content/dam/microsites/foundation/Documents/concept-paper-form.pdf">https://www.bcbsm.com/content/dam/microsites/foundation/Documents/concept-paper-form.pdf</a>
Autism Speaks	Health	Suzanne and Bob Wright Trailblazer Award Program	Rolling		\$100,000	Applicants must have a track record of research experience.	Funding is restricted to projects that identify risk factors for ASD that can lead to prevention and improved diagnosis and treatment; lower the age at which ASD is detected and improve access to early intervention for children with ASD; enhance quality of and access to medical care for individuals with ASD; promote the development of safe, effective interventions and medicines to reduce core and associated symptoms of ASD throughout an individual's lifespan; and improve the health and outcomes of adults with ASD from a lifetime perspective.	Online Application	<a href="http://www.autismspeaks.org/sites/default/files/docs/science/docs/grants/trailblazer_rfa_2013_4-2-13.pdf">http://www.autismspeaks.org/sites/default/files/docs/science/docs/grants/trailblazer_rfa_2013_4-2-13.pdf</a>
Arcus Foundation	Social Science	Social Justice Grants	Rolling	\$25,000	\$500,000	Initial Funding Concept is due before LOI.	Working on national, regional, and international levels, Arcus contributes to the development of a global movement integrating sexual orientation and gender identity into shared conceptions of human rights. Applications are accepted for International Human Rights, U.S. Social Justice, or Global Religions.	Online Application	<a href="http://www.arcusfoundation.org/what-we-support/social-justice-lgbt/">http://www.arcusfoundation.org/what-we-support/social-justice-lgbt/</a>
Michael J. Fox Foundation for Parkinson's Research	Health	Rapid Response Innovation Awards	Rolling		\$75,000		Supports innovative, high-risk, high-reward projects tackling critical scientific and therapeutic roadblocks that, if successful, open new avenues for PD therapy development. The program is well suited to projects with little-to-no existing preliminary data, but where hypothetical rationale is highly compelling and study results can make the case for continuing (or discontinuing) a line of research. Applicants may submit on any PD-relevant area of basic, preclinical and/or clinical research with a clear, achievable one-year goal.	Online Application	<a href="https://www.michaeljfox.org/research/grant-detail.php?id=3">https://www.michaeljfox.org/research/grant-detail.php?id=3</a>
Public Welfare Foundation	Social Science	Juvenile Justice	Rolling	\$10,000	\$800,000	Does not fund scholarships.	Supports groups working to end the criminalization and over incarceration of youth in the United States. In particular, the Program makes grants to groups that are working to (1) Advance state policies that restrict the juvenile justice system's use of incarceration and expand the use of community-based programs for youth, (2) End the practice of trying, sentencing, and incarcerating youth in the adult criminal justice system; and (3) Promote the fair and equitable treatment of youth of color who come into contact with the juvenile justice system. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="http://www.publicwelfare.org/grants-process/">http://www.publicwelfare.org/grants-process/</a>

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Home Depot	Community Development	Community Impact Grants	Rolling		\$5,000	Grants are given in the form of The Home Depot gift cards for the purchase of tools, materials, or services.	Grants for projects that use the power of volunteers to improve the physical health of the community. The primary goal of the grant program is to support the renovation, refurbishment, retrofitting, accessibility modifications, and/or weatherization of existing homes, centers, schools and other similar facilities. The 2018 program opened on February 1, 2018. This is a limited submission opportunity. <b>Must coordinate with Corporate Relations.</b>	Online Portal	<a href="https://corporate.home depot.com/grants/community-impact-grants">https://corporate.home depot.com/grants/community-impact-grants</a>
Wish You Well Foundation	Education	Grant Program	Rolling	\$200	\$10,000		Supporting family literacy in the United States by fostering and promoting the development and expansion of new and existing literacy and educational programs.	Online or Mail Application	<a href="http://www.wishyouwell foundation.org/apply-for-funding/">http://www.wishyouwell foundation.org/apply-for-funding/</a>
The Nathan Cummings Foundation	Science	Climate Program	Rolling	\$3,000	\$950,000		Supports promising work that addresses climate change by increasing access to modern energy for the world's poor; stabilizing greenhouse gas concentrations in the atmosphere at a low level; and improving resilience for those most vulnerable to the negative consequences of climate variability and change.	Online Application	<a href="http://ncf.org/what-we-fund/our-focus/climate">http://ncf.org/what-we-fund/our-focus/climate</a>
Merck	Health	Patient Advocacy Grants	Rolling	\$25,000	\$100,000	Applications must be submitted online a minimum of 60 days prior to the activity start date	Patient Advocacy grants are provided to non-profit organizations to support non-accredited independent education and related advocacy activities that seek to improve consumer/patient disease and treatment awareness in specific disease categories. Examples of activities that may be eligible for support include disease awareness campaigns and public service announcements.	Online Application	<a href="https://www.mercksupport.com/cme/(S(ah1ra145mlsfx355sci02co2b))/Portal/PatientAdvo.aspx#">https://www.mercksupport.com/cme/(S(ah1ra145mlsfx355sci02co2b))/Portal/PatientAdvo.aspx#</a>
Merck	Health	Public Policy Grants	Rolling	\$25,000	\$100,000	Applications must be submitted online a minimum of 60 days prior to the activity start date	Public Policy grants support independent events or activities that (1) promote public policies that foster an environment for innovation in the bioscience industry or improve patient access to medicines or health care in general; or (2) facilitate opportunities to engage in constructive discussions on policy issues with organizations representing state or federal officials. Eligible organizations are 501c(3), 501c(4), or 501c(6) organizations and include groups representing federal officials, biotechnology associations, think tanks, policy advocacy coalitions/groups, health professional associations, and business organizations.	Online Application	<a href="https://www.mercksupport.com/cme/(S(uegix33re0bcyxfpslhnkb55))/Portal/Support.aspx">https://www.mercksupport.com/cme/(S(uegix33re0bcyxfpslhnkb55))/Portal/Support.aspx</a>
Simons Foundation Autism Research Initiative	Health	Explorer Awards RFA	Rolling		\$60,000	Grant period is for 1 year (non renewable)	Grants for a deeper understanding of the mechanisms underlying autism spectrum disorders or potential therapeutic approaches will require investigation at multiple levels, including but not limited to studies focused on gene discovery, molecular mechanisms, circuits, anatomy, and cognition and behavior. The Foundation will consider proposals at all of these levels.	Online Application	<a href="http://sfari.org/funding/grants/explorer-awards-rfa">http://sfari.org/funding/grants/explorer-awards-rfa</a>

Upcoming Opportunities - November 2019

Please contact Gayle Foley (fz8071@wayne.edu or 7-8847) or Cherisse Montgomery (an7026@wayne.edu or 7-1162) to discuss applications.

Corporate and Foundation Relations staff will help prepare all applications. Those opportunities noted in red must be coordinated with Corporate or Foundation Relations.

Funder	Topic	Program Name	Deadline	Award Minimum	Award Maximum	Notes	Purpose	Submission Method	Website
Public Welfare Foundation	Social Science	Criminal Justice	Rolling		\$750,000	Most grants are 1 or 2 years in length.	Supports groups working to end over incarceration of adult offenders in the United States, also aiming to reduce racial disparity. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="http://www.publicwelfare.org/grants-process/program-guidelines/">http://www.publicwelfare.org/grants-process/program-guidelines/</a>
The Commonwealth Fund	Health	Grant Program	Rolling		\$200,000	Strictly LOI submission. Proposals are invitation only. Award amount based on previous grants.	To promote a high performing healthcare system that achieves better access, improved quality, and greater efficiency, particularly for society's most vulnerable, including low-income people, the uninsured, minority Americans, young children, and elderly adults. <b>Must coordinate with Foundation Relations.</b>	Online Application	<a href="http://www.commonwealthfund.org/grants-and-fellowships/applicant-resources">http://www.commonwealthfund.org/grants-and-fellowships/applicant-resources</a>