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SECTION 1: <i>NEW THIS MONTH!</i>				
American Academy of Pediatrics CATCH Planning Grants	07/31/12	Innovative, community-based initiatives that increase children's access to medical homes/ specific health services not otherwise available	Pediatrician and current member of AAP; award range \$5,000-\$12,000; number available unknown	http://www2.aap.org/catch/planninggrants.htm
DHHS/Administration for Children and Families Street Outreach Program	08/01/12	Conduct outreach services designed to keep youth safe and help them leave the streets	Non-profit org., state, county, city or special district gov'ts, school districts, institutions of higher education, public housing/Indian housing authorities, Native American Tribal organizations and gov'ts; up to 58 awards available; max award \$200,00 per budget period; 36-month project period with 3 12-month budget periods; cost sharing - at least 10% of total approved cost of project	http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foa/view/HHS-2012-ACF-ACYF-YO-0320
DHHS/Administration for Children and Families Abstinence Education Grant Program	08/06/12	Support abstinence education for adolescents with a focus on those groups most likely to bear children out-of-wedlock	Public and private entities; 6-23 awards available; award range \$200,000-\$800,000 over a 2-year project period; cost sharing is not required	http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foa/view/HHS-2012-ACF-ACYF-AR-0553
USDA Rural Business-Cooperative Service Rural Cooperative Development Grants	08/06/12	To improve economic conditions of rural areas through cooperative development	Non-profit corporations and institutions of higher education; maximum award \$175,000; matching requirement is 25% of total project cost; 12-month project period	http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/bcp_rcdg.html
USDA Rural Business – Cooperative Service Rural Business Opportunity Grants	08/06/12	To promote sustainable economic development for rural communities with exceptional needs	Public bodies, nonprofit corporations, Indian tribes, institutions of higher education, and rural cooperatives; maximum award amount is \$50,000; cost sharing is not required; number available will vary	http://www.rurdev.usda.gov/BCP_RBOG.html
FEMA Staffing for Adequate Fire and Emergency Response (SAFER) Grants	08/12/12	Assist local fire departments with staffing and deployment capabilities in order to respond to emergencies	Volunteer, career and combination fire departments, statewide or local volunteer firefighter interest organizations; match is not required; 24 – 48 month project period; award amount will vary by applicant	1-866-274-0960 firegrants@dhs.gov www.fema.gov/firegrants
Arkansas Community Foundation Giving Tree Grants	08/15/12	Supports projects with the potential for statewide impact and programs serving immediate local needs	501c3 public charity, hospital or government agency located in the eligible counties; award range \$500-\$5,000; number available varies by county; match not required	Visit www.arcf.org/grants for list of eligible counties

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Arkansas Department of Rural Services Rural Community Development Grant Program/Rural Fire Protection Grant Program	08/17/12 12/07/12 03/15/13	To enhance the quality of life in rural Arkansas	Incorporated towns of less than 3,000 in population and unincorporated rural areas; max award is \$15,000; matching funds ration 50/50 is required; number available will vary	http://www.accessarkansas.org/drs/drsgrants.html
Arkansas Department of Rural Services County Fair Building Grant Program	08/17/12	Construction, renovation or general improvements of county fair buildings or purchase of items shown to directly improve the building or services provided	County fairs located in counties with a population of less than 55,000; max award is \$4,000 per fiscal year; number available will vary; 50/50 match required	http://www.accessarkansas.org/drs/drsgrants.html
Arkansas Department of Parks and Tourism Matching Grant Program	08/31/12	To provide development of facilities and acquisition of land to support 'outdoor' recreation	Incorporated cities and counties; max award \$250,000 in reimbursable matching funds – applicant must be able to match the grant amount with a like amount of cash, or a combination of cash and donations	Outdoor Recreation Grants Program Department of Parks and Tourism Number One Capitol Mall Little Rock, Arkansas 72201 501-682-1301 www.outdoorgrants.com
Arkansas Department of Parks and Tourism Fun Park Grant	08/31/12	To develop a community's first basic neighborhood park	Incorporated cities with a population of less than 2,500; max award \$45,000; approximately 10 award are funded annually; match may be required	You must contact grant staff prior to August 3, 2012 to schedule visit to the proposed site Arkansas Department of Parks/Tourism Outdoor Recreation Grants One Capitol Mall Little Rock, AR 72201 501-682-1301 www.outdoorgrants.com
CDC/Abt Associates and Emory University Testing Events across America (TEAA)	09/05/12 11/28/12 03/06/13	Providing HIV testing to racial/ethnic minority men	501c3 organizations; 6-10 awards per year; max award \$15,000	MTI@abtassoc.com – Email for more information
The Captain Planet Foundation	09/30/12	To promote and support high-quality educational programs that enable children and youth to engage in active, hands-on environmental projects	Schools and organizations with an annual operating budget of less than \$3million; average award \$500; number available each cycle will vary; match not required but is encouraged	http://captainplanetfoundation.org/apply-for-grants
National Education Association: Learning and Leadership Grants or Student Achievement Grants	10/15/12 02/01/13 06/01/13	Supports professional development that improves practice, curriculum, and student achievement	Public school teachers in grade PreK-12, education support professionals, and faculty/staff at public higher education institutions; max award \$2,000 for individuals, and \$5,000 for groups; number available unknown	http://www.neafoundation.org/pages/educators/grant-programs/learning-and-leadership

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Arkansas Department of Parks and Tourism Trails for Life Grant Program	10/26/12	To construct trails or other facilities that encourage physical exercise for health reasons	Incorporated city and county governments; \$35,000 to develop a standard looped fitness trail or \$70,000 for a custom health/fitness project; matching funds are not required	You must contact grant staff prior to August 3, 2012 to schedule visit to the proposed site Arkansas Department of Parks/Tourism Outdoor Recreation Grants One Capitol Mall Little Rock, AR 72201 501-682-1301 http://www.outdoorgrants.com/Trail%20Grants http://www.accessarkansas.org/drs/drsgrants.html
Arkansas Department of Rural Services Rural Services Block Grant Program	12/07/12	New construction or renovation of community centers, fire stations, or multi-purpose building; purchase of fire trucks	Incorporated towns/rural communities with a population of less than 3,000 and the community population must be at least 51% low to moderate income; max award \$75,000; 10% match is required; number available will vary	
SECTION 2: Proposals Due July 2012				
Blue and You Foundation of Arkansas	07/16/12	Positively affect the health of Arkansans - particular emphasis on projects affecting health-care delivery, health-care policy and health-care economics	Arkansas-based organization or governmental agency, 501(c)(3) public charity, public school, governmental agency or nonprofit hospital; award range \$5,000-\$150,000; one-year project period; number available will vary	http://www.blueandyoufoundationarkansas.org/grant_guidelines
CDC Community Transformation Grants-Small Communities Programs (populations up to 500,000)	07/31/12 (LOI due 06/18/12)	Prevent heart attack, stroke, cancer, diabetes & other leading chronic disease-related causes of death or disability through a variety of policy, environmental, programmatic, & infrastructure interventions to promote healthier lifestyles	Governmental entities, school districts, local housing or transportation authorities, planning/economic development agencies, non-profit/community based organizations, area aging agencies, cooperative extension agencies, tribes/tribal organizations; 2-year project period; 25-50 awards; minimum award \$200,000 for populations up to 100,000; match is not required	www.grants.gov
SECTION 3: Proposals Due August 2012 and Forward				
Arkansas Community Foundation Giving Tree Grants	08/15/12	Charitable causes with local and/or statewide impact	501c3 public charity, hospital or government agency; award range \$500-\$5,000; number available will vary; match not required	www.arcf.org – check with your local county foundation office for information specific to your county

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Gannett Foundation Community Action Grants	08/17/12	Education & neighborhood improvement, economic development, youth development, community problem-solving, assistance to disadvantaged people, environmental conservation and cultural enrichment	501c3 organizations located in communities served by Gannett Co. Inc.; award range \$1,000-\$5,000; number available will vary	To find out if your community is eligible, visit www.gannettfoundation.org
Innovating Worthy Projects Foundation	08/31/12	Provide financial help to quality special-needs children's programs	501c3 organizations; amount available will vary; number available is unknown; match is not required	http://www.iwfpf.org/application/index.html
Avon Foundation for Women Safety Net Program – Access to Diagnostics and Care	09/14/12 [LOI due 09/07/12]	Support institutions and organizations that care for uninsured, at-risk, low-income, and minority patients in their communities	Public hospitals, safety-net hospitals, community clinics, and cancer centers; max award is \$125,000 per year for a 2-year project period; number available is unknown	May be invited to submit a full proposal http://www.avonfoundation.org/assets/2012-breast-cancer-funding-guidelines.pdf
SECTION 4: Proposals with OPEN Application Deadlines				
Komen Foundation Arkansas Affiliate Small Grants Program	OPEN	Support some of the “unexpected” costs associated with a breast health/breast cancer project	501c3 nonprofit organizations; max award is \$2,000; number available will vary	Attn: Elizabeth Clark 904 Autumn Road, Suite 500 Little Rock, AR 72211 501-202-4399 http://www.komenarkansas.org/grants/how-to-apply-for-funding
PETCO Foundation	OPEN	To make a difference in the lives of companion animals	501c3 organizations; amounts vary; number available unknown; will support capital projects	http://www.petco.com/petco_Page_PC_foundation_grantproce_Nav_1386.aspx?CoreCat=LN_PETCO_Foundation_TheSupportProcess
The Aubrey Rose Hollenkamp Foundation	OPEN	Provides financial support for medical bills to families caring for children with life threatening illnesses	Individuals; amount available will vary; number of awards available will vary; eligibility based on need of family	Aubrey Rose Foundation 7805 Affinity Place, Cincinnati, OH 45231 http://www.aubreyrose.org/grants.htm
The Christopher Smithers Foundation	OPEN	Alcohol prevention and education	501c3 organization; award amounts vary; number available is unknown	Initial contact - letter of introduction Mrs. Adele Smithers-Fornaci, President The Christopher D. Smithers Foundation, Inc. Box 67 Mill Neck NY 11765 www.smithersfoundation.org/index.htm?smithers_body.htm&2
Entergy Corporation Open Grants Program	OPEN	Focuses on improving communities as a whole	Non-profit organizations; number of awards available and amount of award will vary	http://www.entergy.com/our_community/Grant_Guidelines.aspx

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Brinker International Charities Committee	OPEN	Support programs/projects affiliated with children /family, arts and civic	501c3 organizations; amounts and number of available awards vary	Brinker International Charitable Committee 6820 LBJ Freeway Dallas, TX 75240 www.brinker.com/contact/charitable_requests.asp#gui
Sunderland Foundation	OPEN	Dedicated to community building (prefers capital and special projects)	Publicly supported 501c3 charitable organizations; amount available varies, number available is unknown	President, The Sunderland Foundation P.O. Box 25900 Overland Park, Kansas 66225 http://www.sunderlandfoundation.org/
Ralph and Eileen Swett Foundation	OPEN	Make a positive difference in the lives of individuals	501c3 organizations; award amounts and numbers available vary	http://www.swettfoundation.org/Ggrant_Inquiry.html

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