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SECTION 1: <i>NEW THIS MONTH!</i>				
Dollar General Literacy Foundation	09/30/10	Supports direct service to adults in need of literacy assistance	Adult literacy organizations listed in the National Literacy Directory and within 25 miles of a Dollar General Store; max award \$10,000; number available will vary	http://www.dollargeneral.com/dgliteracy/Pages/WaitingList.aspx
Multiple Sclerosis (MS) Foundation Brighter Tomorrow Grant	10/01/10	To improve the quality of individuals with MS	Individuals with Multiple Sclerosis; max award \$1,000; number available will vary	http://www.msfocus.org/Brighter-Tomorrow-Grant.aspx
2010 Subaru Healthy Sprouts Awards	10/01/10	Supports youth gardening programs focused on teaching about our environment, nutrition and hunger issues	School or organization must plan to garden in 2011 with at least 15 children between the ages of 3 and 18; \$500 gift certificate to Gardening with Kids catalog	http://www.kidsgardening.com/grants/healthysprouts.asp
HRSA Rural Health Network Development Planning Grant	10/08/10	Expand access to, coordinate and improve the quality of essential health care services and enhance the delivery of health care in rural areas	Rural , non-profit or public entity that represents a consortium/network of three or more health care providers; max award \$85,000; 1 year project period; approximately 15 awards available	www.grants.gov To ascertain rural eligibility, please refer to http://datawarehouse.hrsa.gov/RuralAdvisor/ and enter the applicant organization's State and County A Technical Assistance Conference Call has been scheduled for Tuesday, August 31, 2010 at 2:00 PM Eastern Time
Medtronic Heart Rescue Grant Program	10/15/10	Develop or improve existing components of a comprehensive high school-based sudden cardiac arrest (SCA) education and emergency response plan	Nonprofit organizations, public institutions, schools, school districts and government agencies; award range \$5,000-\$30,000; number available unknown	http://www.medtronic.com/foundation/programs_hr_guidelines_us.html
The Shubert Foundation	10/15/10 12/01/10	Sustain and advance the live performing arts	Not-for-profit, professional resident theatre and dance companies; amount and number available will vary	http://www.shubertfoundation.org/grantprograms/default.asp
National AIDS Fund Southern REACH	10/15/10	Protect and advance the health, human rights, and dignity of persons most affected by HIV/AIDS in the Southern U.S.	Non-profit, community and faith-based organizations; \$100,000 max award; 1 year project period	http://www.aidsfund.org/grant-seekers/grant-announcements
AR Department of Parks and Tourism Trails for Life Grant	10/29/10	To construct trails or other facilities that encourage physical exercise for health reasons	Incorporated city & county governments; max award \$70,000; number available will vary; cash match is not required	501-682-1301 http://www.outdoorgrants.com

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Arkansas Tobacco Settlement Commission Child Wellness Intervention Project	10/29/10	Promotes health and wellness in Arkansas' public schools	Arkansas public and charter schools; award will vary based on plan submitted; number available will vary	www.atsc.arkansas.gov
CVS Caremark Community Grants	10/31/10	Help people live better lives through enhanced health care services, improved approaches to education and healthier communities in which to live	Non-profit organizations; max award \$5,000; number available is unknown	http://info.cvscaremark.com/community/our-impact/community-grants
Alzheimer's Foundation of America Family Respite Care Grant	11/01/10	To assist in alleviation of the cost of respite care	Awards available to/through nonprofit member organizations; max award \$1,000 per family	http://www.afamembers.org/search-basic.php
National Gardening Association Youth Garden Grants for 2011	11/01/10	Reap rewards and vital life lessons from working in gardens and habitats	Schools and community organizations with child-centered garden programs; 100 awards available; award is \$500 gift card	http://www.kidsgardening.org/ygg.asp
Susan G. Komen for the Cure Arkansas Affiliate	11/10/10	Innovative projects in the areas of breast health and breast cancer education, outreach, screening, and treatment support	Non-profit organizations providing services in the Arkansas Affiliate service area; award amount/number available determined after the October 16, 2010 Susan G. Komen Arkansas Race for the Cure®.	http://www.komenarkansas.org/grants/how-to-apply-for-funding
HRSA/BPHC Health Center Program New Access Points (new starts, satellites, school based health centers, mobile medical vans)	11/17/10	Improve and expand access to needed primary health care services for delivery of primary health care services for underserved and vulnerable populations	Public or nonprofit private entities, including tribal, faith-based and community-based organizations; up to 350 awards available; max award \$650,000	www.grants.gov
Challenged Athletes Foundation	12/01/10	Provide resources for adaptive sports equipment, sports prosthetics, training, and competition grants to individuals with physical challenges	Athletes with a <u>physical</u> disability recognized within the International Paralympic Committee (IPC) classifications; amount and number available will vary	http://www.challengedathletes.org/programs/access_for_athletes.htm
The Brookdale Foundation Relatives as Parents Program	12/02/10	Develop or expand services for grandparents or other relatives who have taken on the responsibility of surrogate parenting	501c3 organizations; 30 awards available; award max \$10,000	http://www.brookdalefoundation.org/RAPP/rapp.html

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Susan G. Komen for the Cure Texarkana Affiliate	12/31/10	Innovative programs that reduce breast cancer mortality, especially among those who are disproportionately affected	Non-profit organizations providing services in the Texarkana Affiliate service area; award amount and number available will vary depending on funds available	http://www.komentexarkana.org/grants/how-to-apply-for-funding/request-for-application.html
Kresge Foundation Healthy Environments	OPEN	Improve the health and well being of vulnerable children from low-income families	Award range \$100,000-\$750,000; number available will vary; up to 3 year project period	http://www.kresge.org/index.php/what/health_program/healthy_environments
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
SECTION 2: Proposals Due August 2010				
Bikes Belong Coalition	08/27/10 11/26/10	To help put more people on bikes more often	Non-profit organizations, public agencies and departments; max award up to \$10,000; an average of 20 awards made annually	Elizabeth Train, Grants and Research Director 303-449-4893 ext. 3 http://bikesbelong.org/grants
AR Dept. of Parks & Tourism Fun Park Grant	08/27/10	To establish a local park	Mayors and county judges of incorporated cities with population less an 2,500 or unincorporated rural areas; max award \$45,000; number available will vary; cash match is not required	501-682-1301 www.outdoorgrants.com
Arkansas Department of Parks and Tourism 50/50 Matching Grants	08/27/10	Build outdoor recreation facilities	Incorporated cities, counties; max award \$250,000; number available will vary; cash match is required	Reimbursable grant program http://www.outdoorgrants.com/Dates%20to%20Re/member/Important%20Dates.htm
National Eye Institute 2011 Healthy Vision Community Awards	08/30/10	Supports health education and promotion activities that seek to reduce blindness and visual impairment and improve quality of life	Non-profit organizations; \$10,000 max award; 1-year project period	e-mail your questions to HVCAMail@shs.net http://hvca.macointernational.com
Innovating Worthy Projects Foundation	08/31/10	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.iwpcf.org/application/index.html
SECTION 3: Proposals Due September 2010 and Forward				
USDA Hunger-Free Communities Grants	09/01/10	Establish hunger-free communities and learn more about effective strategies to reduce hunger in the US	Public or private non-profit organizations; Planning Grants – up to 10 awards available; \$100,000 max; Implementation Grants – award amount will vary depending on size of community; cost sharing of 20% is required	Carla Garcia, Grant Officer 3101 Park Center Drive Alexandria, VA 22302 703-305-2760 www.fns.usda.gov/fns/outreach/hfc_grants.htm

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Barbara Bush Foundation for Family Literacy	09/10/10	Develop or expand projects designed to support the development of literacy skills for adult primary care givers and their children	Public or non-profit organization with an instructional literacy program in existence for at least 2 years; 10 awards; \$65,000 award max; match not required' 1-year project period	The Barbara Bush Foundation for Family Literacy 1201 15 th Street NW, Suite 420 Washington, DC 20005 http://www.barbarabushfoundation.com/site/c.jhLSK2PALmF/b.4425435/k.544A/Current_Funding_Opportunities.htm
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
Robert Wood Johnson Foundation Health Impact Project Advancing Smarter Policies for Healthier Communities	OPEN	Demonstrate effectiveness of health impact assessments (HIA) & promote their incorporation into decision-making	State, tribal, & local agencies, 501c3 organizations, tax exempt educational institutions; up to 15 demonstration project awards; award range \$25,000-\$150,000; up to 24-month project period	Letter of interest is required; invitation for full proposal may follow Health Impact Project 202-540-6012 www.healthimpactproject.org
Jefferson Regional Medical Center Healthy Lifestyles Grants	OPEN	To develop programs and incentives for healthy lifestyle changes	Businesses, churches, and other community groups and organizations – tax exempt status is not required; award amount will vary; number available will vary	Pine Bluff Area Community Foundation D.W. Reynolds Community Service Center 211 W 3rd Ave., Suite 105 Pine Bluff, AR 71601 http://www.arcf.org/page12819.cfm
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	Mr. Jerry Hollenkamp, Jr., Trustee 4480 Oakville Drive Cincinnati, OH 45211 http://www.aubreyrose.org/grants.htm
USDA Rural Development Community Facilities Program (ARRA)	OPEN (until ARRA funds expended)	Finance & facilitate development of essential community facilities servicing rural areas & maximize job creation & economic benefit	Hospitals; medical clinics; elderly care facilities; police stations and vehicles; fire and rescue stations and vehicles; vocational and medical rehabilitation centers; and educational facilities; amounts will vary; number of awards available will vary; cost sharing is not required	USDA Rural Development State Office, 700 West Capitol Avenue, Room 3416, Little Rock, AR 72201-3225 501-301-3200 http://www.usda.gov/wps/portal/!ut/p/ s.7_0_A/7_0_IOB?navtype=SU&navid=RURAL_DEVELOPMENT or view the Federal Register announcement at http://edocket.access.gpo.gov/2009/pdf/E9-17512.pdf .
Rosie's For All Kids Early Childhood Care and Education	OPEN	Help disadvantaged children/low-income families	501c3 organizations; award range \$15,000-\$30,000; number of awards will vary; 12-month project period	Initially submit a letter of intent; invitation to submit a full proposal may follow http://www.forallkids.org
Jenny's Heroes Grant Program	OPEN	Supporting improvement to benefit communities	Any U.S. citizen 18 years old or older can apply to receive a grant; max award \$25,000; number available will vary	http://www.jennysheroes.com/index.shtml

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Charles Lafitte Foundation	OPEN	Supports education, children's advocacy, medical issues & research, and the arts	501c3 organizations; award amounts vary; number available will vary	Send letter of inquiry; invitation for full proposal may follow c/o Jennifer Vertetis 29520 2nd Ave SW Federal Way , WA 98023 http://www.charleslafitte.org/applications.html
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
UnitedHealth Foundation	OPEN	Financial relief for families with children with medical needs not covered/not fully covered by a commercial health benefit plan	Eligible applicants are parents or guardians of a child age 16 or younger; child must be covered by a commercial health benefits plan; maximum lifetime benefit of \$7,500	https://www.unitedhealthcarechildrensfoundation.org/apply_applicant.html
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
Amy's Courage Fund	OPEN	Established to alleviate the financial constraints that often prevent a victim from escaping domestic abuse	501c3 organizations – applying on behalf of a victim of domestic violence; max award \$2,000; number available will vary	http://www.nnedv.org/projects/amysfund.html 202-543-5566
Sylvan Dell Publishing	OPEN	Bringing science and math to children through literature	Elementary schools (one school per district); award is a free one-year site license (value approximately \$600)	877-958-2600 www.sylvandellpublishing.com/ResourceGrant.htm
Glass Foundation	OPEN	Supports education and human services	Contact the foundation for specific eligibility information; eligible states: AR, TX and MO	David D. Glass, Director Glass Family Foundation 17 Glenbrook Bentonville, AR 72712-3840
Kresge Foundation	OPEN	Building nonprofit sustainability through capital challenge grants	501c3 organizations; amount/number of awards available will vary	3215 W. Big Beaver Road Troy, MI 48084 248-643-9630 www.kresge.org

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The Rebsamen Fund	OPEN	Arts/culture, education, health, youth dev., wildlife preservation & protection, human services	Contact the foundation for specific eligibility information	Rebsamen Fund 11219 Financial Centre Parkway, Suite 303 Little Rock, AR 72211
USDA/Communities Facilities Program Rural Emergency Responders	OPEN	Provide fire, police and ambulatory equipment	Non-profits and public bodies; max award \$50,000; CAHs that need equipment upgrades in their ER department would be a high priority for grant funds if eligible	Applications are processed through one of the 6 Arkansas Area Offices - www.rurdev.usda.gov/ar www.rurdev.usda.gov/rhs/cf/brief_cp_grant.htm
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/
Verizon Foundation	OPEN	To improve the quality of life in Verizon communities	Non profit org., elementary/secondary schools; award amounts/# available vary	http://foundation.verizon.com/grant/application.shtml
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
Guitar Center Music Foundation	OPEN	To experience the joys of making music	501c3 organizations; award range \$500-\$5,000; number available is unknown	www.guitarcentermusicfoundation.org/grants/index.cfm?sec=info

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