



South Shore Community Partners in Prevention

South Shore Community Partners in Prevention Community Health Network Area (CHNA 23)

Serving the Communities of:

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Our Mission: The South Shore Community Partners in Prevention works to improve health outcomes based on identified health needs through collaboration among services, programs and resources within the communities we serve.

2021-22 Haughn Memorial Fund Grant Instructions Health Literacy/ Behavioral Health/ Social Determinants of Health Grant Funding

This request for funding is for a maximum award of \$10,000.

The South Shore Community Partners in Prevention is currently offering funding in one of three areas: Health Literacy, Behavioral Health and Social Determinants of Health.

To ensure timely review of your application, please submit grants by the following deadlines. South Shore Community Partners in Prevention Steering Committee members will review the grants two times per year.

Fall/Winter: Applications due December 31st (Funding notifications January)

Spring/Summer: Applications due April 30th (Funding notifications May)

The Steering Committee will strive to apportion funds expended in the areas of health literacy, behavioral health or social determinants of health, in an equitable manner, in order to maximize resources.

Application Instructions

- Please use a 12-point font, single-spaced text, and a 1-inch margin on all sides.
- Answer each question completely and concisely. Page limitations for each question are provided below. All questions in the application are weighed equally.
- Send applications to the CHNA 23 Coordinator, via e-mail at CHNA23@gmail.com or by mail to United Way of Greater Plymouth County, 934 W. Chestnut Street, Brockton, MA 02301, ATTN: CHNA 23
- The SSCPP Steering Committee may require you to be available during the review of your application either in-person or via telephone.

Eligibility

- All projects must benefit one or more of the 11 communities in the South Shore Community Partners in Prevention Community Health Network Area (CHNA 23). Please see the list of communities on the page header above.
- **Health Literacy:** In order to meet the goals of the Initiative's Action Plan, SSCPP will allocate funds to support member agencies, partners and other groups who are undertaking projects directly in support of the plan's goals and objectives. Please review the plan [here](#) (or go to www.chna23.org).
- **Social Determinants of Health (SDOH):** The Massachusetts Department of Health defines **Social Determinants of Health** as "the social, economic, behavioral, and physical factors that we experience

where we work, live, and play make up the majority of what impacts our health. These include Education, Employment, Housing Insecurity, Food Insecurity and Violence.

- **Behavioral health**, including mental health and substance use disorders: has emerged as an issue of national and local concern, as the complex nature of managing and treating these conditions presents challenges for the health care system, as well as individuals, families, and communities. Mental health conditions and substance use disorders can be challenging conditions on their own; for many patients, these health issues are intertwined in complicated ways. In recent years, mental health issues and substance use disorders have reached crisis levels. SSCPP may provide funding to nonprofit entities working on innovative programming in the behavioral health setting, including initiatives focused on mental health and substance use disorders.
- Please note, for profit ventures will not be considered.

Additional Requirements

- Successful applicants will work with the Health Literacy Coordinator to prepare a written outcomes report that will demonstrate how the project supported the achievement of a specific goal(s) of the Health Literacy Initiative.
- Events, materials, and other communications that are associated with the project funded by SSCPP must acknowledge support from South Shore Community Partners in Prevention. The following is suggested language: *[Project Name] is funded [in part] by the South Shore Community Partners in Prevention, Community Health Network Area (CHNA 23, in support of its Health Literacy Initiative).*