

CORE Grant RFA

Eligible applicants meet one of the following criteria:

- Certified SBHCs
- Single sites or multiple site systems, or
- Planning sites

AND

- Current member of the Oregon School-Based Health Alliance. If you are not a current member you must join prior to applying.
 - Contact Tammy Alexander, Member Services Director, at tammy@osbha.org if you have questions about membership.

REQUIREMENTS

Your project must at least one of the following menu items:

- 1) Youth Action Research** – work with youth to investigate meaningful topics (e.g., STI, teen dating violence, Healthy Teen Relationship Act), participate in research to understand the root causes of problems that directly impact them, and take action to influence or resolve the challenges they face.
- 2) Establish a support group** - meet regularly to implement evidence-based strategies supporting healthy youth relationships: Ex: teen dating violence, harassment, bullying especially related to gender/sexual orientation, relational aggression, isolation, respectful communication, physical/mental abuse.
- 3) Work in consultation with OSBHA to develop a project that fits the needs of your community.** *This option requires an additional technical assistance call prior to submission.*

REQUIREMENTS

We will be requiring all 2014-2015 CORE Grantees work with the OSBHA's Evaluator, John Dougherty, for help with planning and project evaluation. He is able to provide:

- Help in creating a strong project plan that can be completed within the one-year timeframe
- Help in asking questions that will help you understand how effective your project has been
- If your project is funded, begin the initial steps of your CORE grant/identify community partners and meet with John Dougherty to refine your Project Grid by **Thursday May 15th** (see Appendix A).
- Submit a finalized Project Grid to OSBHA by **Thursday June 5th, 2014.**

IMPORTANT DATES AND DEADLINES

- **February 19th-20th, 2014:** Question & Answer conference calls for interested CORE Grant applicants. For more information, contact Suzanne Flory, Member Services Program Manager at suzanne@osbha.org.
- **March 14, 2014:** CORE Grant applications due. Please submit your completed application electronically to suzanne@osbha.org.
- **April 14, 2014:** Grantee Notification.
- **By June 5, 2014:** Grantees will work with John Dougherty to refine their Project Grid and submit to OSBHA (see Appendix A).