



Delta Dental of Iowa Foundation Mini-Grants Program

Deadlines: May 1 and October 1

Delta Dental of Iowa Foundation offers mini-grants up to \$10,000 in support of short-term oral health projects. Mini-grant projects must support the mission of the Foundation which is to support and improve the oral health of Iowans and its focus areas: **prevention, education, access to care, or research.**

Mini-grants are intended to:

- Support one-time only projects such as workshops or conferences related to oral health
- Support short-term oral health projects of up to one-year duration such as a survey, data collection or research study
- Stimulate potential for a longer-term, followup project
- Combine with funding from other sources

Contributions will not be awarded to programs/organization for/to:

- Religious groups for strictly religious purposes.
- Lobbying, political, or fraternal activities.
- Sports and athletic programs.
- Projects that do not serve residents of the state of Iowa.
- Any organization that discriminates by race, sex, religion, color, creed, age, or national origin.

Review Process

Applicants must complete the Mini-Grant Application Form and provide the supporting information requested. Mini-grant proposals will be evaluated by Delta Dental of Iowa Foundation staff and committee members for connection to the Public Benefit Program's focus areas, reach into the community or state, and potential for growth beyond the limited, short-term funding need.

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Mini-grant applications will be reviewed by Delta Dental of Iowa Foundation staff and committee during the months of May and October of each year. Funds will be disbursed to successful applicants within 60 days of the mini-grant deadline by the Delta Dental of Iowa Foundation.

For more information about the Delta Dental of Iowa Foundation or the mini-grant program, contact:

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