

2024 Statewide Grant Cycle

Grant Application Information

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Welcome

Thank you for your interest in Con Alma's 2024 Grant Cycle

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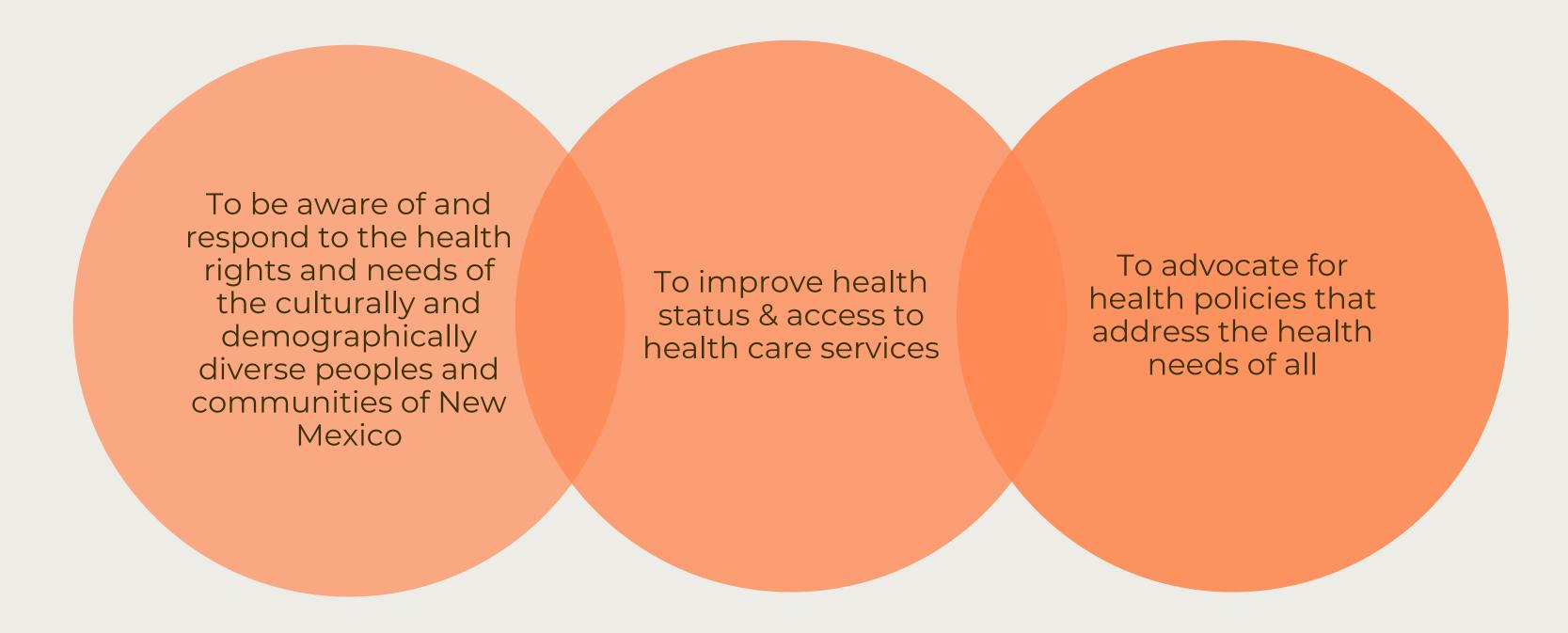
Questions, answers and ideas

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Meet our team



Our Mission





Our History

Blue Cross Blue Shield

Conversion

Con Alma Health Foundation



Summary

Con Alma Health Foundation provides grants to eligible nonprofits working to improve health and advance health equity for people who live in New Mexico. Our aim is to ensure that New Mexico's diverse communities have full access and opportunities to lead healthy lives.





Request Amounts

Applicants may request

\$15,000

\$20,000

\$25,000

\$30,000

The Foundation anticipates funding up to \$800,000 total (or approximately 26-34 grants).



Key Dates 2024 Grant Cycle

May 20, 2024	June 21, 2024	Early November 2024	December 2024
grant application period opens	grant application period closes	applicants notified of grant decision	grant agreements and awards disbursed



Annual Grant Cycle

Grant Implementation Jan 1 to Dec 31





Funding Disbursements



Application Review Process



Grant Making
Committee
Recommendations



Board Ratifies Recommendations



Award Docs Signed



Applicants Notified



Six Priority Areas

Access

Culturally Appropriate Services

Evaluation/Research

Health Promotion

Policy

Workforce Development



Review Process





Strong Proposals Communicate

A sense of urgency

Health needs and gaps

Clear goals and objectives

Community led solutions

A focus on systems change



Eligibility Criteria

Tax-exempt, nonprofit 501(c)(3), or fiscal sponsor

Current and past grant recipients may apply

Must benefit people living in New Mexico



Eligibility Criteria

Priority communities:

Marginalized because of race, language, gender, disability, sexual orientation, or spiritual beliefs

Immigrant, rural, and border communities

Low-income and economically under-resourced communities

People suffering from chronic health conditions and trauma-related health inequities

People who are uninsured, underinsured, and/or medically underserved



Eligibility Criteria

The Foundation supports requests that have the potential to benefit many members in a system, network, or community (vs. individual needs). Small, grassroots, and medium-sized organizations are especially encouraged to apply.*

*Based on the organization's annual operating budget, we define organization size as: small (<\$250,000), medium (\$250,001-\$1.5 million), and large (>\$1.5 million).



Applying Through a Fiscal Sponsor

Projects, non-profits, public or governmental agency or a federally recognized tribe in the state of New Mexico without IRS 501(c)(3) designation may apply through a fiscal sponsor.

If using a fiscal sponsor, the organization serving as fiscal sponsor must have verifiable 501(c)(3) status from the IRS and a current organization profile in CAHF's grant portal.



Required Attachments

Proposal Budget Organizational Budget Tribal Support Letter



Use of Funds / Allowable Costs

The Foundation will award grants of up to \$30,000.

Funds may be used for personnel (staffing/benefits), professional services (contractors, evaluators), operational expenses (supplies, printing, postage, copying, communications), meetings and travel (venue rental, training costs), and other direct and indirect expenses.

Purchases of property or equipment are limited to \$5,000 per item.



Exclusions/Restrictions

Political campaigns, political lobbying, or other partisan activities prohibited by section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code

Support to individuals, scholarships, or fellowships

Capital or endowment campaigns, annual fundraising campaigns, event sponsorships, debt liquidation, or clinical research



Exclusions/Restrictions

Grants to organizations that discriminate based on race, ancestry, national or ethnic origin, disability, sex, age, religion, sexual orientation, or gender identity

Grants made for religious purposes

Grants for construction, renovation, or repairs



Grant Portal

Log Into Portal

On the home screen, find the "My Applications" section and click on "Funding Opportunities." If you have already started an application you will find it in the "In Progress" list.

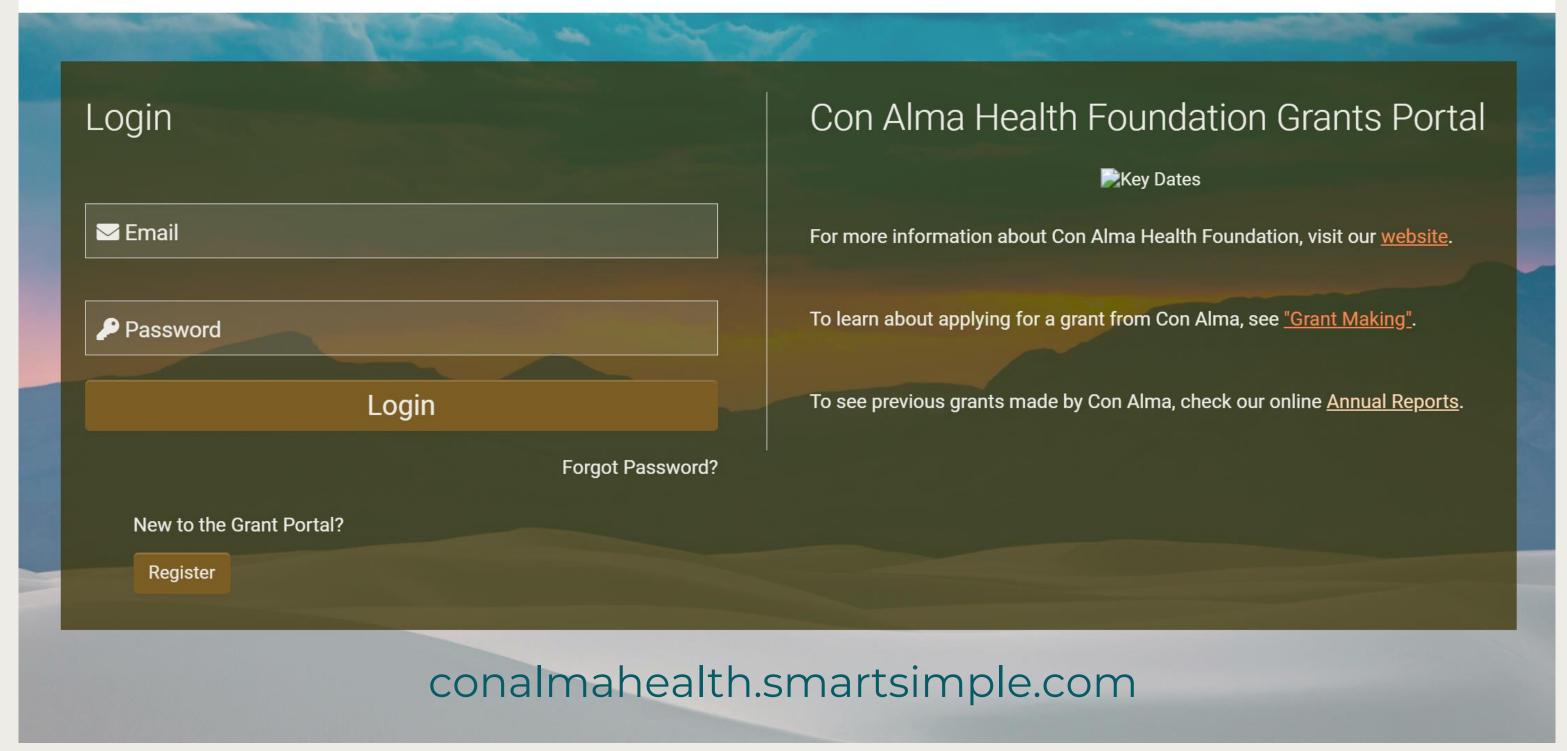
Applicants new to Con Alma must first register and create an organizational profile. You may find instructional videos for this process on our website.

For assistance navigating the grant portal, email: sysadmin@conalma.org.



Grant Portal







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If you need technical assistance with the grant portal or with making updates to an existing record, please email sysadmin@conalma.org.

