



Washington Health Foundation Announces 2009 Healthiest State Grant Awards

The Washington Health Foundation's 2009 Healthiest State Grants program contributes to rural projects that are building healthy communities through the creation of policies, programs and environments that support action to make Washington the Healthiest State in the Nation. This year Grant Partners include tribes, school districts, community organizations, and health systems.

MAJOR GRANTS	COUNTY	PROJECT FOCUS	HEALTHIEST STATE MEASURE	AMOUNT
Asotin County Health District	Asotin	Community Health Improvement	Physical Activity, Disease Prevention	\$35,000
Bridgeport School District	Douglas	School Based Health Initiative	Disparities, Disease Prevention, Wellness	\$25,000
Columbia County Health Systems	Columbia	Physical Activity, Parks and Recreation	Physical Activity, Disease Prevention	\$42,000
Northwest Indian College	Whatcom	Native Foods Nutrition Program	Disparities, Disease Prevention Physical Activity	\$45,000
Omak School District	Okanogan	Fit for Life Community Project	Disparities, Physical Activity, Disease Prevention	\$45,000

MINI GRANTS	COUNTY	PROJECT FOCUS	HEALTHIEST STATE MEASURE	AMOUNT
Forks Community Hospital	Clallam	Fit4Forks Diabetes Education Program	Disease Prevention	\$12,000
Get Fit Colville YEP Team	Stevens	Performing Youth Educational Team	Physical Activity	\$12,000
Lower Elwha Klallam Tribe	Clallam	Traditional Healing Garden	Disparities, Nutrition, Physical Activity	\$15,000
Mason Matters	Mason	Community Systems - Mental Health	Health Home, Disease Prevention	\$15,000
Northport Community Preservation & Restoration	Stevens	Community Garden Project	Nutrition, Economic Well-Being	\$12,000
Odessa Memorial Healthcare Center	Lincoln	Fitness Path - Elders, Youth and Staff	Physical Activity	\$10,000
Pateros School District	Okanogan	Improve Kids Nutrition and Physical Activity	Physical Activity, Coordinated School Health	\$12,000
Sustainable Connections	Whatcom	Food to Bank On – Rural Food System	Nutrition	\$7,000
Tri County Community Health Fund	Stevens	Get Fit Colville Community Wellness	Physical Activity, Nutrition, Disease Prevention	\$12,000
United General Hospital	Skagit	CATCH Kids Club After School Program	Physical Activity	\$10,000

AMBASSADOR GRANTS	COUNTY	HEALTHIEST STATE MEASURE	AMOUNT
Benton-Franklin Community Health Alliance	Benton, Franklin	Promoting Community Health	\$5,000
Choice Regional Health Network	Southwest WA	Promoting Community Health	\$5,000
Community Choices Clark County	Clark	Promoting Community Health	\$5,000
North Central Washington Rural Health Foundation	Chelan, Douglas, Okanogan	Promoting Community Health	\$5,000
Pathways 2020	Cowlitz	Promoting Community Health	\$5,000

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