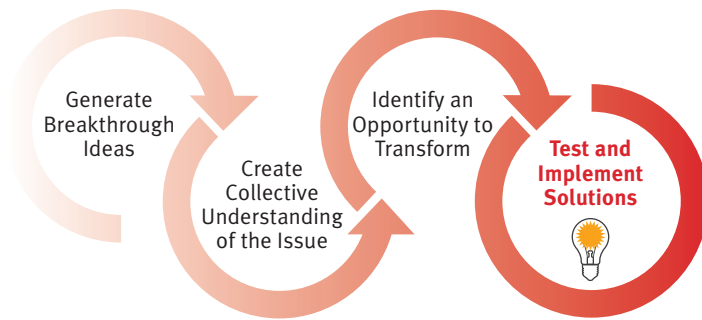


INNOVATION GRANTS

Effective, Equitable and Sustainable

Vitalyst Health Foundation is on a mission to inform, connect and support efforts to improve the health of individuals and communities in Arizona. The Innovation Grant process is designed to identify and invest in the development or demonstration of new ways to positively address complex issues that drive healthier outcomes.



Vitalyst Health Foundation is seeking proposals that test and implement solutions designed to actively reduce structural and/or systemic gaps in access, outcomes or opportunities.

What is Innovation?

Think of Vitalyst’s Innovation Grants as an opportunity for communities to develop and test new and varied solutions to systems-level challenges.

“ A breakthrough in addressing a community issue that is more effective, equitable or sustainable than existing approaches.”

Community Innovation:

- Meaningfully engages key stakeholders.
- Willingly shares ownership and decision-making among partners.
- Creatively uses existing community resources and assets.
- Collectively practices testing and implementing solutions.

Content influenced by the Bush Foundation.

Award Amounts

- One- to two-year awards
- Ranging from \$75,000 - \$125,000 total

Grant Criteria

Letters of Intent and Full Proposals will be assessed based upon clear and concise responses.

- ➔ Is this a thoughtful, realistic plan to address a community opportunity for change?
- ➔ What is the lead organization’s capacity?
- ➔ Will the project make a significant, sustainable difference, now and/or in the future?
- ➔ Does the project align with Vitalyst Health Foundation’s mission?

The Timeline

Information Meetings	September 8, 2016 3:00-4:30pm
	September 9, 2016 9:00-10:30am
Letter of Intent Due	October 7, 2016
Invitation to Submit Full Proposal	December 5, 2016
Full Proposal Due	January 30, 2017
Award Notification	April 3, 2017

Learn More

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