Small Grants Program Guidelines

Eligibility
The Community Foundation for South Central New York welcomes proposals of $5,000 and under from qualified non-profit 501c.3 organizations in our 5-county service region which includes Broome, Tioga, Chenango, Delaware and Otsego counties.

The Foundation does not accept unsolicited applications.

Grant Criteria
• Proposals may be submitted for program, small capital purchases, or capacity building projects
  • Grants will be awarded from $250 to $5,000.
  • Although the application is shorter, comprehensive responses are required. Keep in mind that the organization still must make its case to be considered for funding.
  • Applications will be considered 6 times a year and are due by the 15th of January, March, May, July, September, and November.
  • Applicants must tie their request to the Community Foundation’s Need Assessment located on the website: www.donorswhocare.org

How to Submit
• Applicants should login or create an account in our on-line system and choose the “Small Grant Program” option. For more instruction, visit our website at: www.donorswhocare.org and click on the “How to Apply” tab.
  • Inquiries must be received 2 weeks prior to the deadline.

Please contact Program Officer, Tina Barber with any questions or concerns at tbarber@donorswhocare.org or (607) 772-6773