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Grants Alert November 2009

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Clorox Company: A new Power A Bright Future program from the Clorox Company will award five grants of \$10,000 to youth programs that enrich the lives of children across the United States. An entity competing for the awards must be a registered 501(c)(3) nonprofit. To nominate an organization for the award, individuals are invited to visit http://www.facebook.com/cloroxcleanup to submit a short essay and photo about the project. Deadline: November 29, 2009

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention: Grants are available to provide partial support for specific non-federal conferences in the areas of health promotion, disease prevention, and educational programs. Conferences must take place by September 30, 2010 to be eligible. Entities eligible to apply for the grants include non-profits with and without 501(c)(3) status, private institutions of higher education, and small businesses. To start the application process, visit: http://www07.grants.gov/search/search.do?&mode=VIEW&flag2006=false&oppId=50011. For general questions, contact: Technical Information Management Section, CDC Procurement and Grants Office, PGOTIM@cdc.gov, 770-488-2700 or 770-488-2700. Deadline: December 1, 2009

- **U.S. Department of Health and Human Services**: Grants are available for institutions conducting traineeships for licensed registered nurses enrolled as full-time students beyond the twelfth month of study in a Master's degree nurse anesthesia program. Eligible applicants are schools of nursing, academic health centers, and other private or public entities that provide registered nurses with full-time Master's degree nurse anesthesia programs accredited by the Council on Accreditation of Nurse Anesthesia Educational Programs. For more information, contact: Karen Delia Breeden, kbreeden@hrsa.gov or (301) 443-6333. The full grant announcement can be found at: https://grants.hrsa.gov/webExternal/SFO.asp?ID=4C490FE9-D7DA-43C0-BA72-A147F0C85326. Deadline: December 7, 2009
- **U.S. Department of Health and Human Services**: Grants are available to support traineeships for registered nurses enrolled in advanced education nursing programs to prepare nurse practitioners, clinical nurse specialists, nurse-midwives, nurse anesthetists, nurse administrators, nurse educators, public health nurses and nurses in other specialties requiring advanced education. Collegiate schools of nursing, academic health centers, and other private or public nonprofit entities accredited by a recognized body or state agency are eligible to apply for the funding. Questions should be directed to: Karen Delia Breeden, kbreeden@hrsa.gov or (301) 443-6333. For the full grant announcement, visit:

https://grants.hrsa.gov/webExternal/SFO.asp?ID=5B878F06-868C-46A5-9C07-431FC210E4D8. Deadline: December 7, 2009

New York State Department of Health: Grants are available to fund comprehensive efforts establishing supportive and accessible environments in school communities that promote and sustain healthful nutrition, increased physical activity and avoiding tobacco use and/or exposure. Public and private not-for-profit agencies are eligible to apply for the program. For more information, contact: Patricia Bubniak, Tobacco Control Program, New York State Department of Health, TCP@health.state.ny.us. Deadline: December 14, 2009

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services: Projects to strengthen and enhance the capacity for nurse education, practice and retention to address the nursing shortage are eligible to apply for funding through the Health Resources & Services Administration. Projects should target one of the nine specific purposes of the grant program. Schools of nursing, nursing centers, academic health centers, public or private non-profit entities including faith-based and community organizations, and for-profit organizations capable of carrying out the legislative purpose are among the institutions eligible to apply. Questions about the program should be directed to: Janice B. Young, dreed1@hrsa.gov or (301) 443-6193. https://grants.hrsa.gov/webExternal/SFO.asp?ID=D8F1D3EE-1D7D-4594-BFE0-C039468ADA25. Deadline: December 22, 2009

Environmental Protection Agency: Environmental Justice Small Grants Program (EJSG) grants are available to provide funding for eligible applicants working on, or planning to work on, a project that addresses a local environmental and public health issue within an affected community. Entities eligible for the awards include 501(c)(3) non-profit organizations located in the same state that the proposed project will be located. Direct questions to: Sheila Lewis, 202-564-0152 or lewis.sheila@epa.gov. For the full grant announcement, visit: http://www.epa.gov/compliance/resources/publications/ej/grants/rfa-small-grant-2010.pdf. Deadline: January 8, 2010

American Dental Association: The Samuel Harris Fund For Children's Dental Health Grants Program is accepting applications from organizations that sponsor programs for mothers and caregivers to improve oral health for children. Gants of up to \$5,000 will be awarded to programs that offer prenatal and postnatal oral health instruction for mothers/caregivers. For the full grant announcement, visit: http://www.ada.org/ada/adaf/grants/index.asp#harris. Deadline: January 8, 2010

U.S. Department of Agriculture: International Science and Education grants support agriculture-related activities that will enhance the capabilities of American colleges and universities to conduct international collaborative research, extension and teaching. Projects funded through the program should strengthen the global competence and competitiveness of American colleges, universities and businesses in the food, agriculture, and related sectors. Public and private institutions of higher education are eligible to apply for the program. Questions should be directed to: Patty Fulton, (202) 690-3852, pfulton@nifa.usda.gov. For access a grant application, visit: http://www.nifa.usda.gov/funding/rfas/intl_science.html. Deadline: January 28, 2010

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services: The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, Center for Substance Abuse Treatment is accepting grant applications for the Offender Reentry Program. This program expands and/or enhances substance abuse treatment and related recovery and reentry services to sentenced juvenile and adult offenders returning to the community from incarceration for criminal/juvenile offenses. Public or private universities and colleges and community- and faith-based organizations are among the entities eligible to apply for the program. For questions on the program, contact: Kenneth W. Robertson, (240) 276-1621 or kenneth.robertson@samhsa.hhs.gov. To read the full grant announcement, visit: http://samhsa.gov/grants/2010/TI-10-006.aspx. Deadline: January 29, 2010

National Endowment for the Humanities: Applications are invited for Challenge Grants in United States History and Culture, which are designed to help institutions and organizations strengthen their ability to explore significant themes and events in American history. These grants are capacity-building grants, intended to help institutions and organizations secure long-term improvements in and support for their humanities programs and resources. There is a matching requirement necessitating the raising of nonfederal sources of support. If you have questions about the program, contact: Office of Challenge Grants, National Endowment for the Humanities, 202-606-8309 or challenge@neh.gov. For the full grant announcement, visit: http://www.neh.gov/grants/guidelines/CG_UShistory.html. Deadline: February 3, 2010

New York State Health Foundation: As part of its 2009 Special Projects Fund, NYSHealth will award grants to projects that expand health insurance coverage, improve the management and prevention of diabetes, or encourage the integration of substance use and mental health services. Existing nonprofit and for-profit organizations with a significant presence in New York State are eligible for the awards. For more information, contact the New York State Health Foundation by phone at 212-664-7656 or by e-mail at specialprojectsfund@nyshealth.org. Applications accepted on an ongoing basis.

J. Jill Compassion Fund: Grants are available for programs that break down barriers for women in crisis to achieve and sustain self-sufficiency. Community-based 501(c)(3) organizations engaged in job training, education, and transitional and/or affordable housing for women in need are encouraged to apply for the awards. Program support is limited to the expansion or enhancement of existing programs, rather than to fund new programs. For details on how to apply, visit:

http://www.jjill.com/jjillonline/compassion/community.aspx?BID=S2009292141849DB3DD4764298474D88DCB5&h=M&sk=M

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