

The Frist Foundation General Grant Application

Proposals are accepted throughout the year. Organizations should make contact by phone first. All applicants are required to have an updated profile on GivingMatters prior to submitting an application to the Foundation. In addition to checking the profile for information, Foundation staff may ask the following questions:

- 1. Briefly describe the specific program or project the grant funds will be used for.**
Your response to this question should provide a big picture overview of the program.
- 2. Please describe any significant changes within the organization in the last year.**
Examples might include rebranding, new programming, organizational policy change, change of major funding sources, and staff transition.
- 3. What are your organization's goals for the upcoming year?**
Your response to this question should include a description of your top strategic initiatives for the upcoming year.
- 4. How many individuals will be served by your organization in the upcoming year?**
Please break the numbers down by target population and/or program.
- 5. What emerging trends, changes in the community and/or changes in your service area do you anticipate impacting your work in the grant term and beyond?**
Examples include shifts in the political climate, changes in client needs, improvements in the clinical landscape, etc.
- 6. What is the biggest challenge faced by your organization?**
Please consider challenges from the most recent year and those you anticipate during the grant term.
- 7. Please list relevant collaborators, if any, specific to the program being funded. Describe the nature of the collaboration.**
For this question, collaborators are defined as nonprofits, government agencies, businesses, universities, etc. who help you achieve the goals for this program/project.