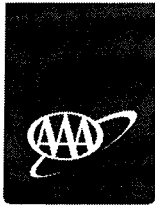


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✓ Success! Thank you for your submission.

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AAA Child Passenger Safety Donation Program

Program Overview

AAA wants to support your 2022 Child Passenger Safety (CPS) efforts. Our 2022 Child Passenger Safety Donation program will provide a financial donation ("Financial Grant") of up to \$5,000 to eligible nonprofits and community groups ("Grantee") located in Alaska, Arizona, Montana, Nevada, Northern California, Utah and Wyoming. The Financial Grant must be used in 2022 for purchase of car seats/booster seats and/or for car seat checkup event(s).

Program Eligibility

Applicant is a 501(c)(3) charitable organization, 509(a) public charity/private foundation, or a public service agency (e.g., fire department, municipality, local health department, public school, etc.).

Applicant has an active child passenger safety program that provides the public with free car seat inspections by nationally certified Child Passenger Safety Technicians (CPSTs)

Applicant is headquartered in and serves the communities within one or more of the following states: Alaska, Arizona, Montana, Northern California, Nevada, Utah or Wyoming.

Priority will be given to applicants that work within 20 miles of a AAA location (<https://calstate.aaa.com/agent-office-locations/index.html>) within the aforementioned seven states and to applicants that use/plan to use the National Digital Car Seat Check Form (NDCF) (<https://carseatcheckform.org/>).

Applicant's CPS program benefits underserved families that are otherwise unable to afford to purchase a child car seat/booster seat.

Donation Guidelines

The following guidelines detail AAA's expectations of grantees in relation to this Program.

If the Financial Grant is used to purchase car seats/booster seats for underserved families, Grantee agrees to distribute all car seats/booster seats free of charge to eligible families by December 31, 2022. Every car seat/booster seat donated must also include a car seat inspection to be conducted at the time of the donation.

If the Financial Grant is used to purchase car seats/booster seats, Grantee agrees to donate only one car seat/booster seat per child, and only distribute the car seat/booster seat if the child or pregnant mother is present. (However, multiple car seats/booster seats may be donated to the same family with multiple children, as long as all children who would utilize the car seats/booster seats are present at the time of donation). Grantee agrees to have a nationally certified Child Passenger Safety Technician conduct adequate education with the recipients of any car seat/booster seat.

If the Financial Grant is used to purchase car seats/booster seats, Grantee agrees to distribute the AAA educational brochure along with each donated car seat/booster seat as supplemental educational information.

If the Financial Grant is used for car seat checkup event(s), Grantee agrees to use the Financial Grant for car seat checkup event-related expenses only, including event promotion, technician supplies, enabling CPSTs to use the National Digital Car Seat Check Form (NDCF) (<https://carseatcheckform.org/>), event supplies, permits, etc. Grantee agrees to hold the event(s) by December 31, 2022.

Grantee shall submit a monthly report to AAA via Benevity. The monthly report is only due for months in which grantee distributes car seats and/or hosts a checkup event as a result of a financial grant from AAA. Reports must be submitted by the 10th of every month and includes, but is not limited to:

The number of car seats/booster seats distributed for the reporting period.

The number of car seat inspections completed at checkup event(s) for the reporting period.

Program Obligations

For car seat check event(s), Grantee organization agrees to feature AAA as an event sponsor and will work with AAA Community Impact team to coordinate promotional outreach.

Program Timelines

Deadline	Description
5pm PT, Sunday, Jan 30, 2022	Donation requests due.
March 11, 2022	Donation request decisions shared by this date.
April 15, 2022	Final date for signed agreement submission.
March - May 2022	Financial grant released. Timing of delivery dependent on Grantee funding format (i.e. check, Benevity payment, etc.) and receipt of signed agreement submission.
December 31, 2022	Deadline for grantees to distribute car seats/booster seats and/or host car seat checkup event(s).

Please direct questions to CommunityImpact@norcal.aaa.com

Eligibility Check

Let's make sure you're in the right place. Start by answering these basic eligibility questions.

Is your organization a 501(c)(3) charitable organization, 509(a) public charity/private foundation, or a public service agency (e.g., fire department, municipality, local health department, public school, etc.)?

☒ Yes

☐ No

Does your organization have an active child passenger safety program that provides the public with free car seat inspections by nationally certified Child Passenger Safety Technicians (CPSTs)?

☒ Yes

☐ No

Does your organization's CPS program benefit underserved families that are otherwise unable to afford to purchase a child car/booster seat?

☒ Yes

☐ No

Where will your Initiative take place?

☐ Alaska

☐ Arizona

☐ Montana

☒ Northern California

☐ Nevada

☐ Utah

☐ Wyoming

☐ Other

Overview

NOTE: Please enter the name of your organization or your organization's Tax ID (if you have it) in the box below. If it does not come up, enter **"NA"** into the box and you'll have the opportunity to manually enter your organizations's details below.
(Note: NO slash. N/A will not be accepted)

[Click here to search for your Organization.](#)

Enter the organization's registration number.

94-6000520

Please include letters, numbers, and dashes only. Ex: 123-456789

How is the organization classified?

A municipality or public institution

What is the name of the beneficiary organization?

County of Mendocino

Organization Details

Address

747 S. State

Address Line 2 (optional)

City

Ukiah

Province/State (optional)

CA

Postal/ZIP code (optional)

95482

Country


United States

Register Your Cause

If you couldn't find your organization in the live search above, we really encourage you to register now! You'll be connecting your cause to corporate giving, granting and volunteering programs that can make a huge difference to your funding.

You can also sign up for EFT payments to get funded faster, and build a profile that makes it easier for people to find your organization and support your cause.

[Register your cause now](#)

Please attach your organization's W-9 tax identification form using the updated IRS template (<https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/fw9.pdf>)  (<https://www.irs.gov/pub/irs-pdf/fw9.pdf>).

 **County of Mendocino W-9 2020.pdf** (<https://forms.benevity.org/api/upload/HJ94>)
3.32 MB

Contact information

Are you the primary contact for this request?

☒ Yes

☐ No

AAA CPS educational brochures are available in English and Spanish. Please select which versions you want to receive copies of?

English

Spanish

Please place your contact information below

First name

Lily

Last name

Caravello

Title

Program Administrator

Phone number

707-463-7743

Email

caravellol@mendocinocounty.org

Street address

747 S. State

City

Ukiah

State

California

Zip code

95482

Your Request

Please provide the name of your CPS project or initiative, for reference purposes only. (for Example, AAA CPS Program, or AAA4Kids)

Mendocino County Child Passenger Safety Program

What type of request are you making? (select all that apply)

Financial grant for car seats/booster seats

Financial grant for car/booster seats

Please indicate your request (in US dollars) to purchase car seats/booster seats

\$2,200

How many car seats/booster seats will you purchase with this grant?

- ☐ Less than 10
- ☐ 11-25
- ☒ 26-50
- ☐ 51-75
- ☐ 76-100
- ☐ More than 100

About Your CPS Program

Please share more about the families/communities you will serve with the financial grant from AAA. (select all that apply)

Families experiencing homelessness

Head Start participants

Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC) participants


Undocumented families

Individuals with limited English proficiency (LEP)

Latinx communities

Please briefly describe your project below:

Our program works with low-income families who are connecting to other programs such as WIC, CalFresh, Medi-Cal and Child Protective Services. We provide free car seat inspections and child safety seats when needed. Since the pandemic we have been more creative in how we provide assistance. We now provide virtual seat checks and child passenger safety education over the phone and through online resources. We have 3 CPTS in our program and will be training another staff member in the spring. Our program convenes the Mendocino County Child Passenger Safety Coalition where we provide technical support and collaborate with other CPSTs county-wide.

Please indicate your organization's use of the National Digital Car Seat Check Form (NDCF)  (<https://carseatcheckform.org/>)

- ☒ Our organization uses the NDCF
- ☐ Our organization plans to use the NDCF in the future
- ☐ Our organization is unable to use the NDCF
- ☐ Our organization is not familiar with the NDCF

Total amount requested

\$2,200

Almost Done!

First, here's some information about our grants approval process.

What's next?

After you submit this form, we'll review your grant request. We consider each request carefully, so we kindly ask for your patience as we go over the details.

We'll notify you by email that we received your request, and follow that up with a notification that it's being reviewed. After that, we'll let you know if it's been approved or declined. We will provide a decision within 6 weeks of the submission deadline.

Agreement

By submitting this application I confirm that I have the authority to submit this request and agree to the conditions described below.

- (a) I agree that all of the information submitted on this form is accurate and appropriately represented;
- (b) If the Financial Grant is used to purchase car seats/booster seats for underserved families, applicant agrees to distribute all car seats/booster seats free of charge to eligible families by the deadline outlined in the RFP. Every car seat/booster seat donated must also include a car seat inspection to be conducted at the time of the donation,
- (c) If the Financial Grant is used to purchase car seats/booster seats, the applicant agrees to donate only one car seat/booster seat per child, and only distribute the car seat/booster seat if the child or pregnant mother is present (however, multiple car seats/booster seats may be donated to the same family with multiple children, as long as all children who would utilize the car seats/booster seats are present at the time of donation),
- (d) Applicant agrees to have a nationally certified Child Passenger Safety Technician conduct adequate education with the recipients of any car seat/booster seat,
- (e) If the Financial Grant is used for car seat checkup event(s), applicant agrees to use the Financial Grant for car seat checkup event-related expenses only, including event promotion, technician supplies, event supplies, permits, etc. applicant agrees to hold the event(s) by the deadline outlined in the RFP, and
- (f) Applicant agrees to submit a monthly report to AAA via Benevity, Inc. grants platform.

☐ I have read the Agreement above and agree to all the terms therein

