

Chicago/Great Lakes:eat



Chicago/Great Lakes: 2024 Grantmaking Guidelines



Goal:

Respond to the local needs of our community by making strategic investments as we continue to intensify and expand our focus and support to advance mobility out of poverty, increase access to healthy food options and quality health care, address environmental concerns, support safe communities and break the cycle of incarceration. We place special emphasis on communities of color and other underserved communities.

Concentration:

• Economic Mobility

- Support programs targeted at increased access to resources to improve earnings and wealth accumulation.
- Deepen community impact by scaling effective programs delivered by grassroots organizations, based in underserved communities.
- Increase access to the leadership and business acumen resources needed for entrepreneurs of color to launch, grow and scale their businesses.

Community Well-Being

- o Increase access to quality health care for underserved communities.
- Increase access to effective violence prevention within underserved communities and programs which reduce engagement in criminal and violent behavior, connecting participants with necessary support services.

Recidivism Prevention

- o Enhance resources and support for citizens transitioning from incarceration.
- Support successful reintegration into family and community life for citizens transitioning from incarceration.
- o Support workforce training programs for individuals with barriers to employment.

Boeing makes investments in organizations in Chicago.

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