

News Release

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Proposals sought to fund innovative projects supporting older adults, people with disabilities

Salem, OR – Proposals are now being accepted through [OregonBuys](#) for Innovation Fund projects.

The Request for Grant Proposal solicitation is for innovative projects supporting older adults and people with disabilities. Of the \$3 million available for projects, at least \$2 million will be designated for equity-related proposals serving Oregonians who have experienced barriers in accessing services and supports.

Successful projects will be funded following a competitive process that is being managed by the [Oregon Office of Contracts and Procurement](#). For more information:

Visit the [OregonBuys](#) web page and the page for the project at this link: [#S-10000-00002389](#).

Find Oregon Buys resources by visiting this link: [instructions and guides](#).

Attend a voluntary pre-proposal informational webinar at 1 p.m. Pacific on Tuesday, April 26, 2022. Details on how to join this informational webinar, which is not mandatory for applicants, are the following:

- Online: [Join the meeting](#)
- By phone: 1-971-277-2343; Conference ID: 765517429# or use one-touch-dialing at +19712772343, 765517429#; with Conference ID: 765 517 429#

For all applicant questions about this opportunity or the informational webinar, including questions about accessibility during the informational meeting, contact Tabrina McPherson at tabrina.r.mcpherson@dhsoha.state.or.us or 1-971-208-4130.

For additional background information on the Innovation Fund, visit the Oregon Department of Human Services web page on [funding opportunities](#) with the Office of Aging and People with Disabilities.