

**Healthy Homes Grant Program
Round 1 Funding
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Today's Information Webinar Session

- **Welcome, HHGP Team**
- **HHGP and RFGA Overview**
- **Questions and Answers**

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Healthy Homes Grant Program (HHGP)

- HHGP provides grants **to eligible entities** that provide financial assistance to persons in **low-income households** to repair and rehabilitate their **residences** and to landlords to repair and rehabilitate dwelling units inhabited by low-income households.
- Oregon [HB 2842](#), 2021; additions made with [SB 1536](#), 2022

HHGP Eligible Entities

- Local governments
- Local housing authorities
- Nonprofit organizations
- Federally recognized Indian tribes in Oregon *
- Indian health centers
- Coordinated Care Organizations
- Community Action Agencies
- Manufactured dwelling park nonprofit cooperatives
- Electric (company) utilities
- Natural gas utilities

HHGP Specifics

- **“Residence”** includes a site-built home, manufactured home, residential trailer, mobile home, condominium unit or unit within multifamily housing, occupied by one or more individuals who are members of a low-income household as the individual's principal residence.
- **The funding is for homeowners and renters.**
- ***“Low-income household” means a household having an income equal to or below 80 percent of the area median family income***
- This funding will go from OHA to eligible entities (**organizations**) who serve individuals **not directly from OHA to individuals**
- The funding can **not be used for new construction of residences.**

Round 1 Funding Priorities

- Organizations experienced in **improving the health or safety** of occupants of residences, **maximizing energy efficiency**, or **extending the usable life** of homes, which serves eligible households in Oregon,
- Organizations serving **historically unrepresented and underserved communities** including people of color, low-income, and American Indian and Alaska Native communities.

Additional Considerations

- Include specific considerations for **renters**.
- Are considerate of **sustainability practices**, such as green building techniques.
- Identify and address the impacts of **intersectionality** when considering health and housing inequities.
- Programs that use **whole home assessments** when assessing properties.

Round 1 Funding Amounts

\$ amount	Up to \$ 10 million total for 3-year cycle
Medium \$ track (competitive)	Approximately 15 awards \$25,000- \$200,000 each
Large \$ track (competitive)	Approximately 15 awards \$200,001- \$750,000 each
Total number of grantees	Approximately 40 Grantees (including \$1.5 million set aside for the Nine Federally Recognized Tribes in Oregon)

RFGA Timeline

- RFGA Opens – **February**
- Intent to Apply form requested – **February**
- Info sessions – **February and March**
- Applications due – **April**
- Applications reviewed – **April and May**
- Award decisions made - **June**
- Funding available – **July**

RFGA Webpage with Information

- All information is located on [RFGA webpage](https://bit.ly/HHGPRFGA)
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- Documents can be **downloaded** including RFGA and Application
 - Final application includes **completed work plan** (part of application questions) and **budget attachment**
- Application will be completed **online, using link**, and must be completed in one sitting (not able to save for later)
- If alternate formats are needed, please reach out

Questions and Answers



Information Webinar Sessions

- February 14, 2024 2:30-3:30 PM
- **February 15, 2024 2:30-3:30 PM**
- March 7, 2024 10-11 AM
- **March 13, 2024 2:30-3:30 PM**

THANK YOU

Additional Questions:

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