

Grant Criteria:

1. Grant applicants must be registered CARH clients.
2. Grants will be reviewed for individuals only; organizations may apply on behalf of an individual, but not for the organization itself.
3. Grant applicant must reside in the geographic areas served by CARH; i.e. Alameda, Contra Costa and parts of Solano Counties and the Greater Sacramento Area.
4. All requests must be made in writing using a CARH Grant Application form with all sections filled in completely and accurately.
5. All requests must have attached detailed description of item or service being requested and estimate of cost and any other supporting documents. For equipment please attach at least two (2) estimates.
6. No more than one (1) approved grant per person per category per year will be permitted.
7. Individuals whose requests have been denied may reapply as often as they wish.
8. Grants must be submitted by the 20th day of the month in order to be reviewed the following month.
9. Funds granted will be paid directly to the vendor of the services rendered.
10. Grants will not be considered for debts contracted prior to review by the CARH Grant Committee.
11. Services for which a grant was approved must be initiated within 60 days of approval or the funds may be withdrawn.
12. Grants will be prioritized and reviewed by the Board of Directors in the order they were received.
13. Grants will not be considered for long-term purposes; i.e., long-term medical care, residential care, program operation, etc.

Grant Categories Approved

- ❖ Campership Grant
- ❖ Medical/Dental Needs
- ❖ Various Personal Need Items

Grant Categories Not Approved

- ❖ Conservatorship/Legal Fees
- ❖ Household Expenses; i.e., rent, utilities, insurance, taxes, etc.
- ❖ Food
- ❖ Medications
- ❖ Capital Improvements; i.e., wheelchair ramps, handicap access modifications, etc.
- ❖ Travel/Hotel Expenses
- ❖ Therapy; i.e., psychological, physical, respiratory or other
- ❖ Respite Care
- ❖ Special Education/Programs/Events
- ❖ Requests from other charities or agencies, not on behalf of an individual

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