



JEWISH WOMEN'S ENDOWMENT FUND

GRANT GUIDELINES

- Grants will be made to innovative programs and projects that enhance the lives of women and/or girls, with an emphasis on providing aid to members of the Jewish community locally and globally. Priority will be given to programs or services that effectuate change and/or address the root cause(s) of a problem.
- Grant proposals that indicate collaboration and coordination with other organizations are encouraged.
- Grants will be made only to tax-exempt organizations that qualify under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code.
- Grant distributions from the Jewish Women's Endowment Fund ("JWEF") must be used for the purpose stated in the funding application and approved by the Foundation's Board of Directors. Monies granted must be used within one year of receipt. Should there be any unexpended funds, they must be returned to the JWEF of the Jewish Community Foundation.
- Grant proposals must be supported by the following:
 - **two (2)** copies of the completed application
 - one copy of the organization's IRS 501(c)(3) letter
 - a detailed project budget
 - an organizational budget
 - a list of the organization's board of directors.
- In accepting a grant, the organization agrees (1) to submit a final report/evaluation at the end of the grant period; and that (2) all publicity and program materials will indicate that funding, in total or in part, was made possible through a grant from the Jewish Women's Endowment Fund of the Jewish Community Foundation.
- Grants are made on an annual basis and do not further financially obligate the JWEF or the Jewish Community Foundation.

PLEASE NOTE:

- Grants **will not** be made to individuals.
- Grants **will not** be made to meet the general operating needs of the organization.
- Grants **will not** be awarded for endowments or to reduce budget deficits.