

We Reap What We Sow

Galatians 6:8

Preparing for the next generation of Pacific peoples

The Pasefika LotuMoui Grant Scheme



PACIFIC HEALTH SYMPOSIUM

"Beloved, I pray that you may prosper in all things and be in health, just as your soul prospers" 3 John 1:2



To strengthen partnerships between the Counties Manukau District Health Board and Pacific Churches to work together to improve the health status and wellbeing of Pacific peoples.

The Pasefika LotuMoui Grant Scheme

The Counties-Manukau District Health Board (CMDHB) is pleased to announce the opening of the Pasefika LotuMoui Grant Scheme to Pacific churches in the Counties Manukau District.

WHAT IS THE AIM OF THE GRANT?

The Grant Scheme provides opportunities for Pacific churches in Counties Manukau to develop and implement health promotion and disease prevention community projects that will support their Pacific congregations to live healthy and active lifestyles.

The vision of the LotuMoui Health Programme is:

A vision of prosperity: "to have a good safe journey" that holistically encompasses physical health, material wealth, emotional security, spiritual wholeness and the wellbeing of families and the community.

The key themes of the LotuMoui Health Programme are:

- Shifting paradigms and changing mindsets towards healthy living
- Healing and wholeness for Pacific peoples
- Working collectively towards a shared vision of health and prosperity

The Grant aims to provide Pacific church organisations with a 'one-off' payment to implement healthier lifestyle changes for its congregations. The District Health Board will work in partnership with successful applicants to look at ways of ensuring that healthy lifestyle programmes are sustainable for their congregations at the completion of the Grant.

WHO CAN APPLY?

To apply you must meet the following criteria:

- A church organisation
- Your church must be situated in the Counties-Manukau district
- You must have an Incorporated Trust or Charitable society status
- The Majority of your congregation is of Pacific descent

WHAT IS THE AMOUNT?

There are two levels of funding available at the amounts of \$3,000 and \$5,000.

Applications should be for no more than \$5,000.

CRITERIA

To be eligible for the Grant you must supply the following information with your Application Form:

- Confirmation of your GST number
- Evidence of your legal status and infrastructure
- Programme Plan (no more than three pages)

PROCESS OF SELECTION

From the written information supplied on your Application Form, a District Health Board selection panel will prepare a short-list of organisations for consideration. Organisations will be short-listed on the basis of:

- Infrastructure of organisation (charitable trust, incorporated society)
- Locality of where proposed healthy lifestyle programmes will be provided
- Experience and skills to provide health promotion and disease prevention initiatives

- Demonstrates an ability to work with other Church groups or Pacific community groups
- Linkages to District Health Board's strategic priorities for Pacific peoples (information on these is attached)
- Responsiveness to the needs of Pacific peoples
- Demonstrates a willingness to work with the District Health Board and implement healthy lifestyle changes with its congregation

For churches that have previously received funding as part of the LotuMoui Health Programme, the District Health Board will also consider:

- Your monitoring reports; and,
- Participation in the LotuMoui health programme

If your application is successful, we will meet with you to formally discuss and agree the desired outcomes of your programme and a process for monitoring your progress.

TIMEFRAMES

ROUND ONE

Opens 23rd November 2006

Closes 30th March 2007

ROUND TWO

Opens 1st July 2007

Closes 31st October 2007

You will be informed of the outcome of your application within four weeks from the date we receive your application.

WHERE DO I SEND MY APPLICATION?

Once you have completed the application form and have attached the requested information, please send it to:

Pasefika LotuMoui Grant – Pacific Health
 Counties Manukau District Health Board
 Private Bag 94052
 South Auckland Mail Centre
 Auckland



The Pasefika LotuMoui Grant

APPLICATION FORM

If you would like to apply for the Pasefika LotuMoui Grant, please complete the Application Form, attach required information and return it to:

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Auckland

Please print clearly.

GENERAL INFORMATION

1. Name of Church Organisation:
2. Address of Church:
3. Postal Address:
4. Telephone: 5. Fax:
6. Email:
7. Name of Senior Minister or Pastor:
8. Name of Contact Person for the Grant:

ORGANISATION INFORMATION

1. Are you GST Registered? If yes, please attach confirmation of your GST number to this form.
2. Do you have an established Church Health Committee? Yes / No
3. If yes, who are the members of this Committee?

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4. How many people on average attend your Church?
5. What are the main ethnic-group(s) that attend your Church?

EXPERIENCE AND SKILLS

1. Provide details of any health promotion programmes you Church is currently implementing or has run in the past.

2. Provide details of the skills and experience of those who will be running your proposed programme or initiative?

3. What training or skills does the Church require to implement your proposed programme or initiative?

PROGRAMME DETAILS

1. Attach a Plan that describes the Healthy Lifestyle Programme or initiative you want to deliver. This description should be no more than three pages. Your description should include:

- Name of Programme
- Name of Programme Coordinator/s
- Goals or objectives of the programme
- A list of key milestones and dates (should be between 1 June 2005 and 31 May 2006)
- Resources, facilities to be used
- Estimated costs (eg: hiring a hall, providing food, aerobics educator).
- Any cultural components to the programme or initiative

2. What are the health issues that your programme or initiative is trying to address?

3. How does this relate to the strategic priorities of the District Health Board?

4. If appropriate, provide details of how your proposed programme or initiative will can be accessed by other Pacific Church or community members.

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INFORMATION CHECKLIST

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For more information, please call (09) 262-9500.

CMDHB STRATEGIC PRIORITIES

The Counties-Manukau District Health Board is committed to improving the health and well-being of Pacific peoples in the district. CMDHB has identified the following strategic priorities for focus over the next 3 to 5 years.

HEALTH GAIN PRIORITIES:

- Cardiovascular diseases (eg: rheumatic fever, coronary heart disease)
- Chronic Respiratory diseases (eg: asthma, bronchiolitis)
- Infectious diseases (eg: meningococcal-B disease, cellulitis)
- Oral health (eg: dental caries, decay)
- Diabetes

HEALTH PRIORITIES INCLUDE:

- Child and youth health
- Mental health, including alcohol, drug and addiction services
- Pacific health services
- Primary health care (eg: GP services)
- Public health, including disease and injury prevention and health promotion
- Sexual and reproductive health

