



Houston Fund for Social Justice and Economic Equity is proud to announce the Education, Health & Wellness Grant Program sponsored by Microsoft. The purpose of this financial support is to empower non-profit organizations that advocate for equitable access to healthcare and wellness among communities of color.

Please read all instructions carefully. Application must be completed in its entirety. Any incomplete applications will not be considered. **Application Deadline: June 23, 2023; 4 PM. Applicants will be notified of acceptance or denial via submitted email no later June 30, 2023.**

Before applying, please note:

This program requires a MANDATORY attendance and participation in four (4) Virtual Training Sessions designed specifically for Non-profit Leaders that have focused programming on Health & Wellness in minority communities. These sessions will be approximately 60 minutes via Zoom.

Virtual Information Module Schedule:

Wednesday, July 5th, 6:00 p.m.- 7:00 p.m.

Thursday, July 6th, 6:00 p.m.- 7:00 p.m.

Monday, July 10th, 6:00 p.m.- 7:00 p.m.

Wednesday, July 12th, 6:00 p.m.- 7:00 p.m.

Grant Award Event: Tentatively August 9th- Time and location TBD

By submitting this application, you are acknowledging that you (or organization representative) are available to attend all four (4) Virtual Training Sessions. Failure to attend will result in your removal from the program.

Organization Contact Information	
Non-profit Organization Name Legal Entity Name *(Check will be made out to this organization)	

<p>Non-Profit Mailing Address</p>	
<p>Website (If applicable, enter N/A if not applicable)</p> <p>Social Media Handles- Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, LinkedIn (If applicable, enter N/A if not applicable)</p>	
<p>Will you be using a fiscal sponsor to receive this grant? Yes/No</p> <p>If yes, please provide following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fiscal Sponsor Legal Name - Contact Person - Email Address - Mailing Address - Phone Number 	
<p>Please provide your IRS 501(c)(3) Registration Number?</p>	
<p>Contact Person for Grant</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - First and Last Name - Role/ Position within Organization - Organization Email Address - Organization Phone Number <p>*All communication from HEF will be done via email.</p>	
<p>Ethnicity and Gender of grant submitter.</p> <p>(Optional: HFSJEE utilizes this data to assess target audience.)</p>	
<p>How long has your non-profit been in operation?</p>	

<p>What year was your non-profit organization established?</p> <p>Please provide year as seen on your IRS Determination Letter.</p>	
<p>How many years have you been actively serving the community in an ongoing way?</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - 1-5 years - 6-10 years - 11-15 years - 16-20 years - 21+ years 	

<p style="text-align: center;">Aim and Objectives for your Organization</p>	
<p>What is the vision of your organization?</p>	
<p>What is the mission of your organization?</p>	
<p>Please share an example of activity (s) that your organization has completed that fit the focus of this grant (health and wellness).</p>	
<p>In your words, please tell us about the community or population(s) that your organization serves.</p>	



<p>Which specific pillar(s) of the Houston Equity Fund does your organization support?</p> <p>Houston Equity Fund Pillars can be found at www.houstonequityfund.org.</p>	
<p>How will the Microsoft Health & Wellness Grant be used to support Health and Wellness in your community in the future? Please provide a narrative of 250 words or less. Include the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Project Title - Target Audience - Anticipated Date of Program Launch - Approximately how many people would be impacted or served by your organization through this grant? 	

1. Application format should be submitted as a PDF.
2. Application should be uploaded on the website. Choose Grant, Microsoft Grant for instructions.
3. **Application must be submitted by June 23, 2023; 4 PM**

* (Special Event) TBA.