



2010 Request for Applications

Application deadline: December 31, 2010

The North Dakota Affiliate of Susan G. Komen for the Cure®—along with those who generously support us with their talent, time and resources—is working to better the lives of those facing breast cancer in our community. We join more than 100,000 breast cancer survivors and activists around the globe as part of the world’s largest and most progressive grassroots network fighting breast cancer. Up to 75 percent of net proceeds generated by the Komen North Dakota Affiliate stay in the state. The remaining income goes to the national Susan G. Komen for the Cure Grants Program for energizing science to find the cures.

About Susan G. Komen for the Cure

Nancy G. Brinker promised her dying sister, Susan G. Komen, she would do everything in her power to end breast cancer forever. In 1982, that promise became Susan G. Komen for the Cure and launched the global breast cancer movement. Today, Komen for the Cure is the world’s largest grassroots network of breast cancer survivors and activists fighting to save lives, empower people, ensure quality care for all and energize science to find the cures. Thanks to events like the Komen Race for the Cure®, we have invested more than \$1.3 billion to fulfill our promise, becoming the largest source of nonprofit funds dedicated to the fight against breast cancer in the world. For more information about Susan G. Komen for the Cure, breast health or breast cancer, visit www.komen.org or call 1-877 GO KOMEN.

Funding Opportunities

The Komen North Dakota Affiliate is currently offering grants for innovative programs that reduce breast cancer mortality, especially among those who are disproportionately affected by this disease. Through a community needs assessment the following funding priority areas were identified:

1. Increase the number of white, Native American/Alaskan Native, and other minority women in ND who have yearly mammogram and breast self-exams (improve BRFSS screening rate).
2. Build stronger relationships with North Dakota reservations to increase breast cancer diagnosis and support for Native women.
3. Increase awareness of the increased survivorship of breast cancer through targeted public information. (i.e. development of a statewide newsletter, dispelling the stereotype of breast cancer diagnosis as a diagnosis of death, support and promotion of survivorship).
4. Develop collaboration and provide grant support to creatively address transportation barriers.

Eligibility

Applicants and institutions must conform to the following eligibility criteria to be considered for funding:

- Institutions must be non-profit organizations located in or providing services in North Dakota
- Project must be specific to breast health and/or breast cancer
- Project must have a minimum budget of \$10,000

Allowable Expenses

Funds may be used for the following types of program expenses:

- Salaries and fringe benefits for program staff
- Consultant fees
- Clinical services or patient care costs
- Meeting costs
- Supplies
- Travel
- Other direct program expenses
- Equipment, not to exceed \$5,000.
- Indirect costs, not to exceed 15% of direct costs

Funds may **not** be used for the following purposes:

- Medical or scientific research
- Scholarships or fellowships
- Construction or renovation of facilities
- Political campaigns or lobbying
- Endowments
- Debt reduction

Electronic form for submission

The application and required attachments must be received electronically by 11:59 pm on December 31, 2010 to jkjohnson@mohs.org. A word format application is available at: <http://www.komennorthdakota.org/grants/how-to-apply-for-funding/request-for-application.html>. All other attachments should be sent in a single pdf file with the application.

Educational Materials and Messages

Susan G. Komen for the Cure® is a source of information about breast cancer for people all over the world. To reduce confusion and reinforce learning, we require that grantees provide educational messages and materials that are consistent with those promoted by Komen for the Cure. Please visit the following website before completing your application and be sure that your organization can agree to promote these messages: <http://www.shopkomen.com/educational-materials/index.php?c=7000> Komen for the Cure grantees are eligible to receive preferred pricing for Komen educational materials. Komen for the Cure materials should be used and displayed whenever possible. To view our educational materials, visit [www.shopkomen](http://www.shopkomen.com)