



*The therapeutic tricycle for people with disabilities*

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*Part I*



The therapeutic tricycle for children with disabilities

# GRANTS

**Grants are contracts to provide funds in exchange for specific outcomes.**

***Because they are contracts, you must have the authority from your Board of Directors to apply.***



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# Grant Opportunities where to find them

## Start locally

## National Chains located in your community

Walmart – CVS Pharmacy – Walgreens –  
Ronald McDonald House Charities

## Other Options



# Local Foundations

## Private vs. Public

<http://www.nccsdataweb.urban.org/>

## NCCS Web Tools

### Overview

[NCCS Nonprofit Overview](#) - Start here.

[Summary Tables](#)

[Top 10 Lists](#) ... by expenses, assets, or type

[Largest & Sample of Orgs, by IRS Subsection](#) (All codes)

[Table Wizards](#) - Customize standard tables

### Geographic Focus

[Geo Search](#)

[State Tables](#)

[Largest Public Charities by State](#)

[NCCS County Browser](#) - List foundations & other organizations.

### Learn More

[NCCS KnowledgeBase](#)

[NCCS FAQs](#)

[NCCS Wiki](#)

[Learning Modules](#)

[Data Dictionaries](#)

### Categorizing and Classifying Organizations

- [NTEE Purpose/Activity Codes](#)
- [Public Charities](#)
- [Private Foundations](#)
- [Other Exempt Organizations: 501\(c\)\(4\), \(5\)s & more](#)
- [Program-Level Classification](#)

### Search for Specific Organizations

- [Search Active Organizations](#)
- [Search Active and Inactive Organizations \(NCCS Master List\)](#)
- [Search Form 990 Images](#)

### Advanced Tools (Registration required)

- [NCCS Data Web \(new version 2.5!\)](#)
- [Freehand Report Writer](#) - SQL knowledge required
- [Largest & Sample of Organizations, with Custom Filters](#)
- [Custom List Management](#)
- [EON Advanced NTEE Classification Tool](#)
- [NCCS Reports](#)



**Hey I found one!**

**What's the next step?**

**Make contact with the grant agency**

**Letter of Inquiry**

**Telephone contact**

**Email or online inquiry**

# Grant Announcement

**Identifies Grantor and what they fund**

**Grant Requirements**

**Required documents**

**Format**

**Deadline**

**Follow up reporting**



# What you will need before you start

Having the following completed before you begin, will allow for much quicker completion of the grant application.

## **Concise History of your Chapter**

**When your chapter chartered**

**How does your chapter serve**



# You will also need

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**Your chapter's 990**

**You will find your FEIN # here**

**Your chapter's budget**

**The Program Budget**

**Your chapter's financial statements**

**Audited vs. non-audited**



Wait... you still need more stuff!

**The IRS 501 © 3 determination letter**

[www.ambucs.org](http://www.ambucs.org) - Member Resources-Admin  
Documents-Federal Tax Exempt Letter

**A list of your Board of Directors**

**Name, address, phone, email and  
employment**

**List of donors (\$500 or more)**



# Complete the required documents.



## Grant Application

Will include much of the information you compiled earlier.

## Narrative

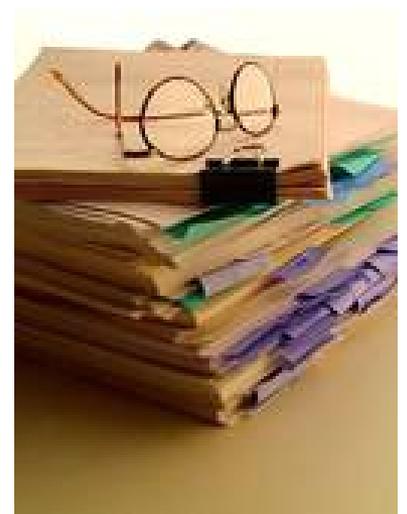
National has a grant template that includes a narrative for *AmTrykes*.

# Review your grant before submission

**Do you have supporting documentation?**

**Does your presentation meet all the requirements?**

**Get it in on time!**



**You have an award**



**Grant requirements**

**Use funds for intended purpose.**

**Acknowledge all gifts.**

**Donor Relationships**

**Complete all Progress Reports.**



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**THANK YOU FOR ALL YOU DO!**