



Local Health Department

News Bulletin



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Funding Corner Voices for Healthy Kids Policy Campaign Grant

Applications should focus on public policy changes to reduce health disparities. They should also target children in urban, suburban, or rural settings who are either African American, Hispanic/Latino, American Indian, Alaskan Native, or low-income families.

Applications must address one the following policy issues:

- Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program expansion and nutrition incentives
- Water access in schools
- Sugary drink tax and investment
- Healthier options at restaurants
- School food access and healthy quality
- Early care and education security
- Head Start/Early Head Start

Who can apply: Applications must be submitted as a joint proposal of two or more organizations.

Amount of award: \$50,000 - \$200,000 for up to 18 months and can support non-lobbying and lobbying activities

Short form application due: September 20, 2020

First step: Visit <https://voicesforhealthykids.fluxx.io> and in the lower right corner of the webpage, click the “create account now” button.

For additional information, contact Carma Okerberg at Carma.Okerberg@cdph.ca.gov.

Active People Champions

[Active People, Healthy NationSM](#) is a national initiative led by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) to help Americans become more physically active by 2027. As part of CDC's Active People, Healthy Nation initiative, mayors, city council members, and other locally elected leaders who are interested in supporting strategies to increase physical activity through creating thriving, vibrant, and healthy communities can become Active People, Healthy Nation champions.

Who can join as a champion?

Champions include but are not limited to town, city, or tribal council members, mayors, county commissioners, county judges, governors, lieutenant governors, state legislators, and other government leaders.

What are the benefits of joining?

- Receive early access to resources and information to improve your community through a monthly Active People, Healthy Nation newsletter.
- Receive customizable Active People, Healthy Nation communication and messaging products.
- Connect to a network of Active People, Healthy Nation supporters to ask questions and share successes, tips, and lessons learned.

Click [here](#) to download the Champion Handout to learn more.

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CalFresh Healthy Living Training Resources

Check out the [training resources webpage](#) for the latest training information and calendar of scheduled events.

Register now! Virtual Promising Practice Exchanges

September 17th-18th

September 21st-25th

September 28th-29th

There are two daily sessions offered on these dates:

Morning Sessions: 9-11am & Afternoon Sessions: 1:30-3:30pm

ToP Secrets of Implementation – Virtual Edition

October 13th – 16th, three hours per day

Now live! CalFresh Healthy Living Building Blocks for Success

Ongoing

Breakthrough Messaging for CalFresh Healthy Living LIAs

Ongoing

Systems Approaches for Healthy Communities

Ongoing

Including People with Disabilities: Public Health Workforce Competencies

Ongoing

Online Civil Rights Training

Ongoing

A Taste of Success: Food Tasting and Recipe Demonstrations

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