

**Grant Title:** A.L. MAILMAN FAMILY FOUNDATION GRANTS

**Funding Opportunity Number:** N/A

**Area of Research:** Promote the building of sustainable systems that provide access to high quality early learning experiences for all children.

**Release and Expiration:** N/A

**Application Deadline:** Letter of inquiry: May 1 and December 1 annually. If invited to submit a full proposal, the deadline for the spring cycle is January 15th and June 15th for the fall cycle.

**Amount:** \$5,000 - \$50,000, multiple awards.

**Length of Support:** One year.

**Eligible Applicants:** Organizations that are tax-exempt under Section 501(c)3 of the Internal Revenue Service Code and have a current IRS ruling.

**Agency/Department:** A.L. Mailman Family Foundation.

**Summary:** The A.L. Mailman Family Foundation is a small national foundation with a broad vision of quality early care and education. The goal of the foundation is to promote the building of sustainable systems that provide access to high quality early learning experiences for all children. They attempt to effect system-wide change by encouraging responsive public policies. They fund the creation and dissemination of curricula, materials or tools that promote quality. They fund advocacy and strategic communication to inform and build public will. They fund applied research designed to inform policy and improve practice. They support funder collaboratives to expand our learning and broaden our sphere of influence. They seek to support children in the context of their families and communities. Quality care and education embraces the values of family support, cultural competence and sensitivity to the social, emotional, cognitive and physical needs of the child. They strive to ensure that parents, caregivers, and teachers have the knowledge and support they need and that every child is nurtured by informed, skilled and caring adults.

**Detail Information:** <http://www.mailman.org/guidelines/index.html>