

**Grant Title:** NEBRASKA CHILDREN AND FAMILY FOUNDATION

**Funding Opportunity Number:** N/A

**Agency/Department:** Nebraska Children and Family Foundation.

**Area of Research:** Address community needs in the areas of early childhood, preventing child abuse and the need for entry into the child welfare system, promoting school success/preventing truancy, and helping at-risk youth transition to adulthood.

**Release and Expiration:** N/A

**Application Deadline:** New requests for proposals will be accepted in the spring of 2009.

**Amount:** Not listed.

**Length of Support:** Not listed.

**Eligible Applicants:** Not listed.

**Summary:** Nebraska Children and Family Foundation grant program provides community-based services with a sustainable funding source that is essential to providing consistent, reliable, and high quality services to children throughout the state. Since our inception in 1997, over \$8 million has been awarded to communities throughout Nebraska to support services that address community needs in the areas of early childhood, preventing child abuse and the need for entry into the child welfare system, promoting school success/preventing truancy, and helping at-risk youth transition to adulthood. Our grant programs are evaluated on an annual basis by the University of Nebraska Medical Center. Through those evaluations, we are able to understand how our strategic investments help us achieve our ultimate outcomes. Grant funding is focused on these priorities: (a) home visitation programs for new parents, (b) early childhood initiatives, (c) substance abuse prevention in adolescents through youth development activities, (d) child abuse prevention, (e) programs for families at risk of entering the child welfare system.

**Detail Information:**

[http://www.nebraskachildren.org/our\\_work/programs\\_initiatives/prevent\\_child\\_abuse/index.html](http://www.nebraskachildren.org/our_work/programs_initiatives/prevent_child_abuse/index.html)