



**Hepatitis B Foundation
Hep B United Mini Grants Program
Grant Forecast - Expansion of Hepatitis B-related Public Health Services
for Highly Impacted Communities in the United States**

Application Open Date: April 1, 2024

Application Deadline: May 31, 2024

Grant Start Date: August 1, 2024

Expected number of awards: up to 7

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$50,000-\$65,000

Description: The Hepatitis B Foundation (HBF) is announcing the forecasting of the Hep B United (HBU) 2024 Mini Grant Program awards for expanding hepatitis B-related public health services in the United States opening on April 1, 2024. HBF will award up to 7 grants ranging from \$5,000 to \$10,000 each. The purpose of this program is to enhance the capacity of HBU coalition partners to conduct hepatitis B education, prevention, testing and linkage to care in local communities. The emphasis of this grant is focused on addressing hepatitis B among African Immigrant, Asian American, Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander communities and Persons Who Use Drugs. This grant program supports activities at the local coalition level to advance the hepatitis B priority areas of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services' [Viral Hepatitis National Strategic Plan](#). Applications should focus on at least one of the following HBU Strategic Priority Areas:

- 1) Increase awareness, screening, prevention and education to reduce hepatitis B-related health disparities, with a focus on implementation of the new universal adult hepatitis B [vaccination](#) and [screening](#) recommendations;
- 2) Improve linkage to care and access to culturally and linguistically appropriate patient navigation services to prevent hepatitis B related liver disease and cancer; and/or
- 3) Collect, manage and prepare local community-level hepatitis B data to improve awareness and highlight local disease trends.

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