Developing People and Organisations (UK)

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This is an Alcohol Education & Research Council initiative. Financial assistance is available to organisations for projects to increase awareness of alcohol related issues and reduce alcohol related harm in society.

Funding is given to improve practice by developing knowledge, skills and motivation. For example, to improve the work of both generic and specialist alcohol workers. Influencing change by translating evidence into policy and practice. Promoting organisational development by working with other organisations to facilitate cultural change. To obtain evidence of what works so that others can replicate.

The Developing People and Organisations initiative has a number of aims:

A key objective is to enable autonomy and improve practice by developing knowledge skills and motivation dealing with alcohol issues. Other core objectives include:

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to improve the alcohol-related practice of both generic and specialist alcohol workers.

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to influence change: Translating evidence into policy and practice.

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to promote organisational development.

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to work with other organisations to facilitate cultural change.

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Grant Range: Minimum Value: £5,000 Maximum Value: £50,000

Who Can Apply

This initiative can only be used to pay for project activities that are outside the responsibilities of central or local agencies and services. The present policy is to give grants for specific projects rather than for the on-going support of established voluntary organisations. The Council must be satisfied that the proposed project meets an accepted and urgent need and will not duplicate existing provision. Applicants must demonstrate clear and persuasive reasons for carrying out a particular piece of work.

How To Apply

Make clear your aim and how the project will develop people and organisations. Outline your plans for leadership, organisation and method, and the timetable you will set for the main stages of the project. Indicate, also, how you will arrange for your project to be evaluated.

Standard rules and administrative arrangements are set out in

http://www.aerc.org.uk/grantsDPOGuid.htm

When To Apply: Open for Applications

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