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| RFP Bulletin http://foundationcenter.org/pnd/rfp/ | A service of the Foundation Center. View requests for proposals (RFPs), or have a weekly RFP alert emailed to you. |
| Foundation Center <i>Foundation Directory Online Free</i> http://fdo.foundationcenter.org/?utm_source=fdofree_inactives_091613&utm_medium=email&utm_campaign=fdo_free_inactives_091613# | Search free for basic information on foundations by name or geography. Additional information and search functions are fee-based. |
| GuideStar http://www.guidestar.org/ | Access to IRS 990-PF forms for nearly all U.S. private and corporate foundations. Amidst all the numbers, you can find the foundation's basic grant guidelines, board members, and a list of grants made during the year. Requires free registration. |
| NOZA https://www.nozasearch.com/ | Searchable lists of grants awarded by foundations and community organizations. Culled from annual reports and news releases on the internet, so is not totally inclusive. Requires free registration. |
| GrantsAlert.com www.grantsalert.com Grant Wrangler www.grantwrangler.com The After-School Corporation http://www.tascorp.org/get-started/funding#sthash.IS7vbKlx.dpbs | Grant opportunities in K-12 and higher education and after-school programs. |
| STATE-SPECIFIC | |
| Minnesota Council on Foundations Newsletter http://www.mcf.org/nonprofits | A bi-weekly email newsletter with information on Minnesota-based funders. Website includes a list of funders and their deadlines. |
| Iowa Grants Guide http://grantguide.law.uiowa.edu/index.php?get=home | Database of grant resources specific to Iowa. |
| State and Local Foundation Directories: A Resource List http://foundationcenter.org/getstarted/topical/sl_dir.html | The Foundation Center's listing of available state and local foundation directories. |

| FEDERAL | |
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| Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance http://www.cfda.gov/ | Information on all federal grant programs, searchable in a variety of ways. |
| grants.gov http://www.grants.gov/ | A portal to current and archived federal grant programs. Subscribe to funding alerts from various agencies. |
| Federal agency websites | <p>In addition to getting alerts from grants.gov, you can monitor federal agency websites for news about grant opportunities. A couple of options:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Search to the agency website and subscribe to their agency's e-newsletter. 2. Find the page within the agency's website where they list open grant competitions and bookmark it. 3. Some agencies post forecasts of future grant competitions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Health & Human Services: http://www.acf.hhs.gov/hhsgrantsforecast/ • Education: http://www2.ed.gov/fund/grant/find/edlite-forecast.html • EPA: http://www.epa.gov/ogd/training/resources_for_communities/community_grants_table_a.htm • Justice: http://data.ojp.gov/services/PPI/includes/PPI/TOC.htm?year=2015 |
| HOW-TO | |
| Foundation Center http://foundationcenter.org/getstarted/learnabout/proposalwriting.html http://grantspace.org/ http://foundationcenter.org/fin/ | A variety of free online tutorials and webinars, reports, and samples. Their Funding Information Network of libraries provides free access to grant searching resources. |
| Minnesota Council on Foundations http://www.mcf.org/mcf/grant/writing.htm | <i>Writing a Successful Grant Proposal</i> web page. |
| The Grantsmanship Center http://www.tgci.com/ | Articles on grant seeking and grant management. |
| Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance https://www.cfda.gov/?static=grants&s=generalinfo&mode=list&tab=list&tabmode=list | A general tutorial on developing federal grant proposals. |
| National Rural Health Resource Center http://ruralcenter.org/sites/default/files/Grant%20Writing%20Manual.pdf | <i>Federal Grant Writing Manual</i> with practical tips and sample worksheets. |