

JR♥ hearts

Hope for Families in Need

family grant information guide



Guidelines for Grant Requests

Preparing Your Grant Application

The Board of Directors for JR Hearts wants to give your proposal the consideration it deserves. Your grant application is the most important stage in the non-profit's evaluation of your proposal. For this reason, you should address each question asked, specifically and completely.

The first step in the application process is your "[Letter of Inquiry to Apply](#)". This letter, listing some of the basic information regarding your situation, will assist our Board in determining if your request for a grant will be a match with our mission in the community.

Some, but not all inclusive, of the initial information will be asked to provide are:

1. Tell us about your family and where you live
2. Description of your child's situation
3. Objective for what you are asking for
4. Explanation of Benefits statement and Coordination of Benefits statement (if applicable) from insurance company(s). Along with copies of actual bills that you want us to pay.

Submitting Your Application

You may submit your application at any time during the calendar year. The non-profit's Board of Trustees meets yearly to review grant applications. Applicants will be notified no later than 60 days after review.

[Download the application at jrhearts.org.](http://jrhearts.org)

**How
We
Work:**



**Work
with the
Community**



**Host Annual
Family
Fundraising
Event**

Application Timelines

Grants are awarded on a yearly basis. JR Hearts' Board of Directors meets in April. Applicants will be notified no later than 60 days after the Board of Trustees' meeting.

Eligibility

JR Hearts' mission is to provide financial assistance to families with young children facing major medical challenges. Grants are awarded based on need. If a family has outstanding medical bills that insurance will not cover, our non-profit can possibly help out a family in need until our annual funds have been exhausted. As our funds grow, so will the number and the amount of help we will be able to give. We appreciate families just asking for one grant per family so that we can help as many families as possible.

Guidelines for Selection

1. Applicants must be Wisconsin residents
2. Children must be 18 and younger

It is the policy of JR Hearts not to discriminate on the basis of race, color, religion, national origin, sex, age or disability.

Ineligible Requests

Ineligible requests such as medical bills already paid, submitting for food, clothing, laundry fees, mortgage payments and associated homeowner bills and anything deemed non-medical for your child will not be acceptable criteria to submit a grant request.



**Receive
Family Grant
Applications**



**Award
Grant
Recipients**



**Distribute
Funds to
Providers**

