Research Grant

The research grant is a min-grant that can be used to fund start-up projects, demonstration projects or the first phase of a larger project using a $500.00 award. The focus of the award can be on a variety of topics in both the practice and academic settings in human services. The recipient must show accountability for the funding by submitting receipts or other documentation within one year of receiving the award check from NOHS. If the funding is not used within one year, it must be returned to NOHS. In addition, the recipient must produce a manuscript for a professional journal OR an article for The Link OR make a presentation at a NOHS regional or national conference within 24 months after receiving the check.

The applicant should follow the outline presented here for specific sections of the proposal. The applicant should use these six points as section headings in the proposal: purpose of the research, relatedness to human services, researcher qualifications, literature review, methodology and analysis, and budget description. The proposal should be approximately three pages, double-spaced, in length.

1. Purpose of Research:
   1  2  3  4  5
   None Below Average Average Above Average Outstanding

2. Relatedness to Human Services
   1  2  3  4  5
   None Below Average Average Above Average Outstanding

3. Researcher Qualifications
   1  2  3  4  5
   None Minimal Moderate Strong Outstanding

4. Literature Review
   1  2  3  4  5
   None Minimal Moderate Strong Outstanding

5. Methodology and Analysis
   1  2  3  4  5
   None Minimal Moderate Strong Outstanding

6. Budget Description (Amount and How Used)
   1  2  3  4  5
   No Budget Below Average Average Above Average Outstanding

Comments: