

**2010/2011 Louisiana Community AIDS Partnership Challenge Grant  
Letter of Intent**

The Louisiana Community AIDS Partnership (LCAP), in collaboration with the National AIDS Fund (NAF) and the Elton John AIDS Foundation (EJAF) as well as local Louisiana based funding partners, is pleased to re-announce the availability of funding to strengthen organizational or programmatic infrastructure and policy advocacy as they relate to HIV/AIDS issues across Louisiana. This opportunity is being reissued to community groups or organizations (e.g., service clubs, faith-based organizations, civic associations, etc.); private, non-profit organizations with 501(c)3 status; and public, non-profit organizations such as hospitals, educational institutions, located in the New Orleans area.

The LCAP Grant strategic funding goals and priorities fall into the following four categories (not in order of priority):

- **Systems Change:** Support existing systems such as Federally Qualified Health Centers, Rural Health Centers, community clinics and other healthcare providers to make policy and/ or programmatic changes that incorporate HIV/AIDS prevention.
- **Targeted Interventions:** Innovative evidence-based approaches to reach highly impacted groups.
- **Awareness:** Increase the general population's knowledge and perceptions of the impact of HIV/AIDS on Louisianans.
- **Evaluation Efforts:** Implementation of evaluation studies of current programs to measure outcomes and/or sustainability.

**Letter of Intent Instructions**

- Type and single-space all proposals (11 point Times New Roman font with 1-inch margins).
- Applicants can apply for up to \$25,000 in funding.
- The narrative should be a maximum of two pages.
- Please answer all questions completely. Be brief and honest.
- E-mail an electronic copy to [sbergson@lphi.org](mailto:sbergson@lphi.org); please make sure your application is signed by the organizations Authorized Signatory.
- The Letter of Intent is due via email by February 3, 2010 at 10 a.m.
- Applicants will be notified whether they should submit a full proposal by COB February 5<sup>th</sup>.

**Organization's legal name:**

**Organization's mailing address:**

**Primary Contact for Letter of Intent:**

**Title, telephone number, and email address for primary contact:**

**Project title, if applying for project support:**

**Purpose of your organization (vision, mission, etc.):**

**Describe the need your project and/or organization aims to address:**

**Population(s) and geographic area(s) served:**

**If applicable, describe your partners and any roles they will play in your work:**

**Describe how funding will be spent (please be include a brief budget- not included in the two page limit):**

**If you have any questions, please be in touch with Susan Bergson [sbergson@lphi.org](mailto:sbergson@lphi.org) or 504-301-9836.**