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Texas Mutual awards over \$4.1M in grants to nonprofits supporting working families

Grants are first of two-part RFP initiative to invest in programs supporting communities, businesses and working families

AUSTIN, Texas—Texas Mutual Insurance Company, the state's leading provider of workers' compensation insurance, announced today the recipients from its first 2023 request for proposal (RFP) initiative. Sixty-two Texas organizations have been awarded funds to support their efforts in generational learning. These grants are part of Texas Mutual's larger commitment of \$8 million in community funding this year to nonprofit organizations in two categories—generational learning to support working families, and workforce development and safety training.

"Working Texans are the backbone of our state and at Texas Mutual we're committed to investing in a stronger, brighter future for them, which means providing holistic support to ensure their families can prosper," said Jackie Sekiguchi, Texas Mutual community affairs manager. "Our generational learning grants allow us to partner with organizations that are doing remarkable work across the state to help families thrive and create meaningful change now and for future generations."

Generational learning grant recipients are selected based on demonstration of the following:

- Improving the health and wellness of Texas workers and their families by providing access to quality health care and health education
- Strengthening the early childhood education system by ensuring child care providers have the resources needed to deliver access to affordable, quality education for Texas families
- Providing holistic wraparound support for clients in addition to case management to ensure families have the resources they need to seize opportunities

For a full list of generational learning grant recipients, please visit texasmutual.com/generational-learning.

The second cycle in Texas Mutual's RFP initiative—workforce development and safety training—will be rewarded to organizations and initiatives focused on the following:

- Training the current and future skilled workforce in safe work practices, especially in industries or occupations at higher risk for workplace accidents
- Creating strong pathways for in-demand, middle-skill jobs
- Upskilling and reskilling adult learners using earn-and-learn initiatives

Applications for the second grant cycle will open at 8 a.m. CDT on Monday, August 21, and will close at 11:59 p.m. CDT on Friday, September 29. Texas Mutual is also hosting an [informational webinar on August 30 at 11 a.m. CDT](#).

Funding amounts for the upcoming workforce development and safety training grants will vary by market and organization size. Applicants are recommended to request funding between \$25,000 and \$100,000, unless otherwise advised. To be eligible for grant funding, organizations are required to be based in Texas, must be a 501(c)(3) designated organization, and must be able to demonstrate they are actively delivering assistance and services to Texas communities. Organizations interested in applying can learn more and access the application during the submission window at texasmutual.com/communityfunding.

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About Texas Mutual Insurance Company

Austin-based Texas Mutual Insurance Company, a policyholder-owned company, is the state's leading provider of workers' compensation insurance. Texas Mutual provides coverage to 42% of the market, representing over 76,000 companies, many of which are small businesses. Since 1991, the company has provided a stable, competitively priced source of workers' comp insurance for Texas employers. Helping employers prevent workplace accidents is an important part of Texas Mutual's mission.