



Mental Health Funders Collaborative (MHFC) - Youth Wellbeing Innovation Awards

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Background

MHFC Youth Wellbeing Innovation Awards: Request for Proposals

The **Mental Health Funders Collaborative (MHFC) Pooled Fund** is launching a new opportunity to support **nimble, innovative, and community-driven** youth mental health initiatives in Georgia.

We will award at least **five small grants (up to \$5,000 each) in March** to help **expand, develop, and retain Georgia's youth-serving mental health workforce**. These awards are designed to spark creativity and empower local efforts that address critical workforce needs. We are especially eager to fund approaches that are youth-led or meaningfully engage young people in shaping solutions.

We invite applications from community-based organizations, grassroots initiatives, and creative partnerships that are making a difference for youth mental health.



Award Cycle: The RFP closes on **March 5, 2025**. Applications will be reviewed, and award notifications sent no later than **April 8, 2025**. The grantmaking budget for this cycle is \$25,000 and awards will likely range from \$2,000 to \$5,000. Currently the MHFC Fund is unable to award multi-year grants.

Eligibility

- 501c3 organizations and fiscally sponsored projects
- Focused on child and adolescent (maternal/birth-25) mental and behavioral health
- Working in Georgia

Grant Award Range

\$2,000 - \$5,000

Key Dates and Deadlines

Deadline to apply: 03/05/2025 5:00 PM PST / 8:00 PM EST

Decisions Expected to be Announced: 04/08/2025

Application Instructions

Before you get started, learn more about how the [JustFund Common Application™](#) works. Please ensure that all fields in your profile are up to date. As part of your application, your profile information will also be submitted and dated at time of submission.

Application Specific Questions

- Optional: How does your organization prioritize youth voices and ensure accountability to them in your programs and decision-making processes?

- Optional: In what ways does your organization contribute to strengthening the mental health workforce in Georgia?
- Optional: How does your organization incorporate community-initiated care in its programs?

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