

# 2024 Healthy Seniors Grant Program

## Application open

The Mary E. Bivins Foundation distributes funds in the form of grants for charitable purposes that address specific, nonrecurring needs of qualified nonprofit organizations committed to improving and enriching the quality of life in the 26 counties of the Texas Panhandle. The Mary E. Bivins Foundation is committed to supporting older adults.

The Mary E. Bivins Foundation is excited to announce the *2024 Healthy Seniors Grant Program*. The grant program features a simplified grant application and is designed to assist organizations that provide programs targeted to meet the needs of aging and senior populations throughout the Panhandle. Programs that address hunger and food security, nutrition, aging in place, transportation, increasing social connection, care giver support, health needs, and other senior related issues are eligible. Preference will be given to requests that address the issue of senior hunger, food security, and nutrition.

Organizations must be eligible applicants, and applications must meet the Foundation's eligibility requirements found on the website [www.bivinsfoundation.org](http://www.bivinsfoundation.org). (Scroll over the *Grants* header and click on *Program Overview*. "Eligibility Requirements" will be on the right-hand side of the page.) Please note eligibility for the *Healthy Seniors Grant Program* is not impacted by a request or grant through the Bivins Foundation's normal community grant cycle.

The *2024 Healthy Seniors Grant Program* will accept requests between \$2,500 and \$25,000. The application for this program is available on the Mary E. Bivins Foundation website <https://www.bivinsfoundation.org/grants/apply-for-a-grant/>. **Applications are due October 9<sup>th</sup> at 12:00 noon (CST). Award decisions will be made in November.**

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