



HAVlife™ Grant Process

Our Mission: To Prevent Lost Potential™ in youth through support of participation in athletics, music, and the arts.

Our Vision: To allow all youth to experience life in the fullest by increasing exposure to positive community influences and enhancing the development of a positive and confident approach to citizenship.

Our Focus:

- At risk youth, ages 10-15, residing in the Johnson County area as determined by the HAVlife™ Board of Directors.
- Offset costs of participation for those who would not otherwise be able to participate due to lack of financial resources
- Focus areas:
 - Arts
 - Music
 - Athletics
- Deadlines – Grants are reviewed based upon the schedule outlined below. In an effort to prepare for and provide ample time for grant consideration the following deadlines have been established:
 - January 1st
 - May 1st
 - August 1st
- Submittal Requirement:
 - Complete application
 - Copy of 501(c)(3) designation
- Funding Uses
 - Types of Support Awarded
 - Offset individual's cost of participation in organized activity in one of three focus areas; such as art supplies/classes, instrument rental, music/vocal lessons. Athletic participation fees/uniforms
 - Individual attendance at camps whose primary focus is in support of one of our three focus areas
 - Individual participation in traveling team/group; when participation is not possible due to financial hardship
 - Types of support generally rejected
 - General offset of costs for all participants in programs
 - Capital to fund a general program or building construction/expansion
 - Full financial support for any initiative or program
 - Administrative/personnel costs



Restricted Categories

- Gifts or portions thereof, to organizations that are not charitable or tax-deductible
- Political organizations and campaigns
- Initiatives for the benefit of an identifiable individual or family
- Religious organizations or other organizations promoting religious purposes. Other faith-motivated community service or development organizations may be considered eligible, at the sole discretion of the HAVlifeTM Board of Directors, if the organizations and their programs are: open to all individuals regardless of religious belief; serve solely a secular purpose, such as organized athletics and music clubs or groups; and do not involve participation in ministry, prayer, worship or other religious activities as a component of receiving services offered
- Foundations existing solely for the purpose of creating or increasing an endowment
- Fraternities, sororities, or alumni groups
- Gifts to organizations creating some personal benefit for the donor, including goods, services, or anything of financial value
- Private foundations and supporting organizations
- Any other gift or organization that HAVlifeTM or the HAVlifeTM Board of Directors, in their sole discretion, consider non-compliant with the law, controversial, or otherwise incompatible with their philanthropic mission.

To qualify for any form of support, a requesting organization must have a current IRS 501(c)(3) not-for-profit designation.



Grant Application:

Please give as much detail as possible on all questions and attach additional sheet(s) if needed.

Applicant Organization: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Telephone (with area code) & Website: _____

Contact person/phone/email: _____

Please attach copy of 501(c)(3) designation

Purpose/Plan of use of the requested funds (please use additional sheet if needed): _____

Age range of youth this grant will impact: _____

Number of youth this grant will assist: _____

Total amount of funding needed: _____

Amount of funding requested from HAVlife: _____

Have you submitted a request to other funders? Please detail other request results and your other sources of funding, be specific: _____

Timeline of project & date by which funds are needed: _____



Category of Need (circle one)

Athletics

Music

Arts

Provide details on how HAVlife™ funds will be used. Include personnel, capital expenses, equipment, supplies, entry fees, scholarship, other: _____

I hereby affirm that this application has been approved by the governing body and all data in this application is correct and true.

Signature, Grant Applicant

Title, Grant Applicant

Name – please print

Date

Submit complete grant application by email to: johnsoncounty@havlife.org or mail to:

HAVlife Foundation
Attn: Grant Committee
P.O. Box 801
Iowa City, IA 52244