CoMoHelps COVID-19 Funding Application

CoMoHelps is a collaborative effort of Boone County, City of Columbia, Community Foundation of Central Missouri, Heart of Missouri United Way, and Veterans United Foundation. CoMoHelps serves as our community’s official donations management resource in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

CoMoHelps is accepting proposals from local nonprofits and units of local government for services being provided in response to the COVID-19 pandemic.

Please Note: If you are an individual needing assistance finding food, childcare, assistance paying household bills, locating mental health services or other essential services, please visit Get Help.

To apply for CoMoHelps funding, please complete and submit this application.

- Please provide detailed responses.
- Services must be described using the Boone Impact Group Taxonomy of Services, which establishes common names and definitions for services, available here: http://www.booneimpact.org/?post_documents=taxonomy-of-services-updated-11-25-19
- Funding requests may not be duplicative of or supplant other funding sources.

Requests for funds will be reviewed by Boone County, City of Columbia, Community Foundation of Central Missouri, Heart of Missouri United Way, and Veterans United Foundation. Organizations may be contacted to provide additional information as needed. Applications will be reviewed on a rolling basis throughout the pandemic response.

Contacts:

- Joanne Nelson (jnelson@boonecountymo.org), Director, Boone County Community Services Department
- Steve Hollis (steve.hollis@como.gov), Human Services Manager, Columbia/Boone County Department of Public Health & Human Services
1. Are you completing this application on behalf of an organization or individual?

- [ ] I am completing this application on behalf of an organization.
- [ ] I am an individual seeking support through this crisis.
Direct Support for Individuals

The City of Columbia and Boone County are coordinating our community's mass care and human services response to the COVID-19 pandemic. Up to date information about social service and healthcare resources for residents of Boone County are available here: https://www.como.gov/health/gethelp-coronavirus/

If you are an individual needing assistance finding food, childcare, assistance paying household bills, locating mental health services or other essential services contact United Way 2-1-1. It's FREE and CONFIDENTIAL for all Missouri residents. Specialists are available 24/7. Dial 2-1-1 or 1-800-427-4626 TTY 1-866-385-6525 or visit http://www.211helps.org/

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Organization Application

* 2. Contact Information for CoMoHelps Application

Name
Organization
Address
Address 2
City/Town
State/Province
ZIP/Postal Code
Email Address
Phone Number

* 3. Please briefly describe your organization, its mission/purpose, legal status (e.g. LLC, 501 (c)3, etc.), and your service area.


* 4. Please describe the need for funding in relation to the COVID-19 pandemic. Please be detailed and include the time frame of your observation (for example: we've seen an increase in requests for financial assistance related to COVID-19 job losses since March 20, 2020; due to social distancing measures which required us to close our doors to business we've seen a 75% drop in revenue (y-t-d) as of March 20, 2020).


* 5. Have you met the need to-date? If yes, how have you been able to meet this need? If not, what are the barriers to meeting this need?


6. Please categorize your funding request

- Funding for services (food distribution, out of school programming, etc.)
- Funding to adapt services and operations (purchase of equipment, software licenses, training, etc).
- Both
7. If applicable to your request - Please describe needs for funds related to adapting service delivery and operations to mitigate the spread of COVID-19 (for example: technology to enable remote work).

Service Identification - Please identify services to be provided through this funding request. Please use the Boone County Taxonomy of Services (updated Nov. 2019) to identify services to be provided in this funding request. The Taxonomy of Services provides definitions to common terms for shared understanding.

8. If applicable to your request - List the service(s) to be provided through this funding and the number of unduplicated individuals to be served. Please indicate each service for which funding is requested. For example, Out of School Programming - 100 individuals.

Service 1
Service 2
Service 3
Service 4
Service 5
Service 6
Service 7
Service 8

* 9. How many total unduplicated individuals will be served by this request?
* 10. What is the total dollar amount of your request?

* 11. Please provide a budget narrative for this fund request. The budget narrative will include a unit measure, cost, and count for each service or item described above (for example: 10 software licenses @$25/ea, 100 meals @$7/meal).

* 12. Have you applied for funding from any other source for this need?
   - [ ] Yes - County CARES Act Funding
   - [ ] Yes - Payment Protection Loan
   - [ ] Yes - State of Missouri Nonprofit Relief and Recovery Grant
   - [ ] Yes - Other Funding
   - [ ] No - have not sought other funding

13. If applicable - Provide information about other applications for funding and funding received to address these needs.

14. If applicable - Provide information about why additional funding resources have not been pursued.
This concludes the application for CoMoHelps COVID-19 Funds. Thank you.

Please contact Joanne Neslon (jnelson@boonecountymo.org), Director of Boone County Community Services Department or Steve Hollis (shollis@como.gov), Human Services Manager at the Columbia/Boone County Department of Public Health & Human Services if you have any questions about this application.

Awards will be considered on a rolling basis throughout the pandemic and will be evaluated using the criteria outlined above with consideration of total availability of funds.

Application for COVID-19 Funds does not guarantee an award.