

## CENTRAL SUSQUEHANNA COMMUNITY FOUNDATION

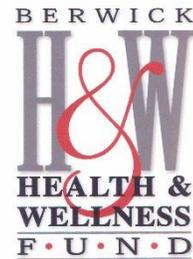
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## **Berwick Health and Wellness Fund Announces Grantround**

**Berwick** - The Central Susquehanna Community Foundation is pleased to announce information regarding the 2018 competitive grantround for the Berwick Health & Wellness Fund. This grantround begins now and will continue through May 2018. There are two grant opportunities available this year for organizations to apply. Organizations may submit one grant application to each grant opportunity.

The first opportunity is the traditional competitive grantround process for programs and projects that improve the health and wellness of the community. The terms “health” and “wellness” are interpreted in a broad sense to include a wide variety of efforts that have an impact on the community’s overall well-being.

The second opportunity, “Innovation & Collaboration Grant”, is a vehicle to enable continued growth and strengthening of the BHWF service area on a broad scale. BHWF will provide one grant, up to \$50,000, to fund a new project that provides an opportunity to transform an aspect of individual and community health and wellness in the BHWF service area. This grant award will support implementation of emerging ideas, initiatives and/or new collaborations that can substantially impact or provide measurable progress toward solving a significant challenge related to health and wellness in our community.

Grant applications will be completed and submitted through the Foundation’s grant website. Prior to beginning the Berwick Health and Wellness Fund grant application process, applicants will be required to attend one of two grant workshops held at the Foundation office, 725 West Front Street, Berwick. Applicants will be given an access code at the workshop which will enable them to apply. Applicants will not be able to apply without attending a workshop. Grant workshops are scheduled for:

Wednesday, Jan. 3, 2018, 3-4 PM

Tuesday, Jan. 9, 2018, 8-9 AM

Please send an email to Karri Harter, CSCF Administrative Assistant, [kharter@csgiving.org](mailto:kharter@csgiving.org) with individual names that will be attending to represent your organization at a workshop by Tuesday, Jan. 2, 2018. Applicants should be prepared to provide minimal information on the grant(s) they will be applying for including project name, program or capital request and estimated amount requested.

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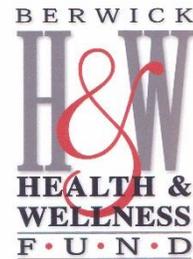
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### **Traditional Competitive Grantround:**

**Grant requests \$10,000 and under must be submitted online by February 1, 2018.**

**Grant requests over \$10,000 must be submitted online by February 8, 2018.**

### **Innovation & Collaboration Grantround:**

**Grant requests must be submitted online by April 4, 2018.**

To be eligible to receive a grant from the Foundation, an organization must hold a 501(c)(3) nonprofit status or be a governmental organization. All grants must benefit the residents and communities within the defined BHWF geographic boundaries. **Individuals are not eligible to apply.** If your organization's office is outside of the Berwick Health and Wellness service area, you may still apply if you will be serving residents within the Fund's service area. For additional information regarding the BHWF's grant guidelines and goal areas, please visit [www.csgiving.org](http://www.csgiving.org) and click on applying for a grant then Berwick Health and Wellness Fund.

Prior to attending a grant workshop, you may begin preparing documents in electronic form that will be required to upload online via the web-based grant application process. Documents include but are not limited to the following:

1. Organization's Final Budget 2017 and Proposed 2018
2. Most recent 990
3. Current Board of Directors list
4. Project Budget for specific grant request

If you have questions regarding the grant process or Berwick Health and Wellness Fund grant guidelines, please contact Christine Pangelinan, CSCF Program Officer at [cpangelinan@csgiving.org](mailto:cpangelinan@csgiving.org) or call 570-752-3930, press 2.