Grants FAQs

HOW MANY GRANTS ARE SELECTED EVERY YEAR?

A minimum of four. Grant submissions go through a review process; not every application is selected.

HOW MUCH DO GRANT AWARD RECIPIENTS RECEIVE?

The budget range is between $200-$1,000.

WHY DIDN’T MY TEAM’S APPLICATION RECEIVE A GRANT AWARD?

See below to understand the selection process and ensure that your team’s application is as competitive as possible:

- Read the sample application. Review the application criteria to ensure that your activities follow the SMART format.
- Applications with missing or inaccurate information will not be considered.
  - If your proposal involves bringing a LeadWell class to your department, confirm cost and feasibility with Linda Lydon (llydon@stanford.edu) before submitting your proposal.
  - If your proposal involves bringing a fitness class to your department, confirm cost and feasibility with Nikki Downing (ndowning@stanford.edu) before submitting your proposal.
  - If your proposal involves bringing in an outside instructor or the purchase of equipment, please confirm pricing and feasibility before submitting your proposal.
- Grant award decisions depend on the quality of applications, the total number of applications received and resources available. Due to these factors, we may not be able to award as many applications as we would like.
- We focus on awarding grant projects that have buy-in from colleagues and support from department leadership, with a high probability of being sustained, regardless of future funding.

ARE TEAMS ALLOWED TO RE-SUBMIT APPLICATIONS?

Yes, we encourage teams to re-submit a proposal that was not previously selected. Before doing so, please consult the BeWell Champions team (bewellchampions@stanford.edu) if you have any specific questions. Working with us to review your submission is not a guarantee for future funding.

MY TEAM WAS PREVIOUSLY AWARDED GRANTS. CAN WE APPLY FOR A NEW GRANT?

You can, however, the aim of the grant program is to increase scope; priority will be given to teams that have not had a grant awarded within the past 12 months.