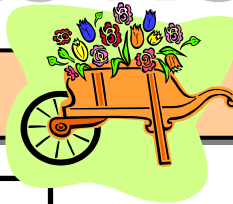


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Hi Kids' Plates Grantees:

Just two more months to go on your Kids' Plates funded programs.

The 2004/2005 Kids' Plates grant period ends on June 17, 2005. All grant activities and related expenditures must be completed by then.

I've said it before but it bears repeating... If you are having difficulties with ANY aspect of your Kids' Plates program, budget, or contract requirements, it is your responsibility to contact me immediately so we can find ways to rectify it. Please don't wait until the last minute. It creates undue stress for you and it could jeopardize future funding opportunities.

If you think you're going to have money left in your Kids' Plates budget, let's talk. I'd love to help you figure out a way to spend it (appropriately, of course) on your program.

Now is also the time to think about how you will link your current program efforts to what you would like to do in the coming year. The Kids' Plates grant cycle for 2005/2006 offers a wide variety of funding opportunities to help you reach your program goals. I encourage you to check it out.

Questions/comments/concerns? Email me at sholland@projects.sdsu.edu or call me at 619-594-5039. -Shanna

Things You Might Like To Know About...

2005/2006 Kids' Plates RFAs Available NOW!

Get 'em while they're hot! This new funding cycle offers more money overall than ever before. Visit www.CIPPP.org and follow the prompts to download the RFAs and attachments. Be sure to note the important dates, deadlines and requirements.



Other Funding Opportunities

Bio-Terrorism Training and Curriculum Development Program
www.healthinschools.org/grants/ops295.asp

Injury Prevention Grants Available to Tribes and Tribal Organizations
www.healthinschools.org/grants/ops293.asp



Professional Development Grants

There are still a couple of funding opportunities available to send you or other staff to a conference, seminar, or other professional development venue. The RFA is simple and the benefits are great. To download and respond the RFA, go to CIPPP.org and click on "2005 Professional Development Funds" on the left of the page.

