



EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FORM

The Balnaves Foundation dispenses \$5 million annually to eligible organisations that create a better Australia through education, medicine and the arts with a focus on young people, the disadvantaged and Indigenous Australia.

If your organisation primarily works in one or more of these areas then please consider submitting an online expression of interest. There are no closing dates or budget constraints, however the Foundation prefers to support multi-year projects with a funding range of \$150,00 - \$250,000 per annum.

The Balnaves Foundation has a new strategic direction for grants in the medical space. From 2023, the Foundation will be focused on supporting projects that deliver significantly improved health outcomes for young Australians through the prevention and early intervention of chronic health conditions.

The online expression of interest is the first stage in applying for funding. It will be considered by the Foundation team and you will receive a response within four weeks, that will either:

1. Advise that we would like to receive more information and/or arrange a meeting to discuss your expression of interest.
2. Notify you that your expression of interest was unsuccessful.

Frequently asked questions:

1. Is it possible to meet with the Foundation to discuss the project prior to submitting an EOI?

The EOI process is intended to be the first point of contact for organisations wishing to submit projects to the Foundation for funding consideration. As we receive many applications and requests for meetings, in the interest of equitability, we do not generally meet with organisations prior to the submission of an EOI.

2. Can I submit more than one EOI at the same time?

Yes, you are more than welcome to submit multiple EOIs at the same time for different projects.

3. If my EOI is unsuccessful, will I be able to resubmit this project or an alternative project in the future?

Yes, you can submit another EOI in the future. The Foundation suggests a minimum of 6 – 12 months between applications.

4. Does The Balnaves Foundation have funding rounds?

The Balnaves Foundation does not operate in grant rounds and is able to receive your online expression of interest at any time.

5. Our organisation does not have DGR-1 status. Can we still submit a project for consideration?

The Foundation is only able to support organisations that have DGR-1 status or that have an auspice arrangement with an organisation with DGR-1 status. If your organisation does not have DGR-1 status, you will need to set up an auspice arrangement with an eligible organisation prior to submitting an EOI. There is an option to indicate this in the EOI form.

6. Our organisation has more than one focus area. Is it possible for us to select multiple focus areas on our online expression of interest?

Yes, the EOI form allows for multiple focus areas to be selected.

ELIGIBILITY

Before completing this expression of interest form please review the Who We Are and What We Fund sections of our website.

Is your organisation a charity with DGR 1 status? (required).

Yes No

**Please note, the Foundation is only able to support organisations with DGR 1 status or that have an auspice arrangement with an organisation with DRG 1 status.*

If you selected 'No' for the previous question, does your organisation have an auspice arrangement with an organisation that has DGR-1 status?

Yes No

What is the primary focus of your organisation?

Please check the area your organisation directly relates to. (Please note if your organisation does not focus on one or more of these areas it is unlikely that your EOI will progress)

Education Medicine Arts

What areas does this project align with?

Please check the area(s) your project relates to.

Education Young People Medicine Disadvantaged Arts Indigenous Australia

YOUR ORGANISATION

Organisation name:

ABN (required):

Street address:

Suburb/City:

State:

Postcode:

Website:

PRIMARY CONTACT FOR THIS EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

Contact Name:

Role within organisation:

Phone Number:

Contact Email:

Describe your organisation. A summary of the organisation's missions, aims and how it achieves them.
(Must be no longer than 200 words):

PROJECT DETAILS

Project Name:

Commencement Date *(If contingent upon funding please state this):*

Length of Project:

Total annual budget for this project:

Total budget for this project:

Amount requested per year:

Total amount requested over the length of the project:

Is this an existing Project?

What age demographic does this project cater to?

Please check the area(s) your project relates to.

Children (under 12) Teenagers (12 – 18) Young Adults (18 – 30) Adults Elderly (65+)

Explain the identified need that the project addresses and any data or evidence that supports this: (Must be no more than 200 words)

Describe the project (Must be no more than 200 words):