

*Congressman Cohen's Weekly Grant Announcement and the  
Department of Labor's Veterans Workforce Investment Program  
Grant Announcement*

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Office of Naval Research  
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## **DOI**

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National Park Service  
War of 1812 Teacher Symposium  
Grant  
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Fish and Wildlife Service  
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Department of the Interior  
Bureau of Land Management  
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Grant  
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Department of the Interior  
National Park Service  
Evaluating River Morphologic Changes for Restoration Planning, Design and  
Monitoring using Airborne LiDAR  
Grant  
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Department of the Interior  
National Park Service  
Identify Data Needs and Develop Protocols to Support Wilderness Character  
Monitoring  
Grant  
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Fish and Wildlife Service  
Kenai National Wildlife Refuge Visitor Center Interpretive Master Plan  
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Fish and Wildlife Service  
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Department of State

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Grant

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Department of State  
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Department of State  
Bureau of Educational and Cultural Affairs  
Global Connections and Exchange Programs: Global Connections 2.0 and Global  
Connections Afghanistan  
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Grant

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Department of Education

Office of Innovation and Improvement (OII): Promise Neighborhoods Program Planning Grant Competition CDFA 84.215P

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Department of Education

Office of Elementary and Secondary Education (OESE): Small, Rural School Achievement Program CFDA Number 84358A

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Department of Health and Human Services

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

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Department of Health and Human Services

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

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Department of Health and Human Services

National Institutes of Health

Limited Competition: Revision Applications to Advance Evidence-Based Research Related to Protections for Human Subjects (U10)

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Department of Health and Human Services

National Institutes of Health

Pilot and Feasibility Studies in Preparation for Drug and Alcohol Abuse Prevention Trials (R34)

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Department of Health and Human Services

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

PPHF 2012 - Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity (ELC/EIP)-Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity for Infectious Diseases (ELC)- Building and Strengthening Epidemiology, Laboratory and Health Information Systems Capacity in State and Local Health Department

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Department of Health and Human Services  
Administration for Children and Families  
Comprehensive Support Services for Families Affected by Substance Abuse and/or  
HIV/AIDS

Grant

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Department of Health and Human Services  
Health Resources & Services Administration  
Maternal and Child Health Doctoral Training Program

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Department of Health and Human Services  
National Institutes of Health  
Translational Research to Improve Obesity and Diabetes Outcomes (R18)

Grant

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Department of Health and Human Services  
National Institutes of Health  
Planning Grants for Translational Research to Improve Obesity and Diabetes  
Outcomes (R34)

Grant

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Department of Health and Human Services  
National Institutes of Health  
Multidisciplinary Studies of HIV/AIDS and Aging (R21)

Grant

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Department of Health and Human Services  
National Institutes of Health

Multidisciplinary Studies of HIV/AIDS and Aging (R03)  
Grant

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Department of Health and Human Services  
National Institutes of Health  
FY13 NIDA Avant-Garde Award Program for HIV/AIDS Research (DP1)  
Grant

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Department of Health and Human Services  
National Institutes of Health  
NIMHD Community-Based Participatory Research (CBPR) Initiative in Reducing  
and Eliminating Health Disparities: Planning Phase (R24)  
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Department of Health and Human Services  
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention  
PPHF 12 State Public Health Approaches for Ensuring Qitline Capacity  
Grant

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Department of Health and Human Services  
Office of Public Health and Science  
FY12 Announcement of the Availability of Funds and Request for Applications for a  
Cooperative Agreement for a Project Titled Disease Prevention and Health  
Promotion Scholarship Program  
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Health Resources & Services Administration  
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Department of Housing and Urban Development

Performance-Based Contract Administration (PBCA) Program for the  
Administration of Project Based Section 8 Housing Assistance Payments Contracts  
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## **NASA**

National Aeronautics and Space Administration

NASA Headquarters

ROSES 2012: Mars Fundamental Research  
Grant

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National Aeronautics and Space Administration

NASA Headquarters

ROSES 2012: Astrophysics Theory  
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## **NSF**

National Science Foundation

Integrative Graduate Education and Research Traineeship Program-CIF21 Track  
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National Science Foundation

Alliances for Graduate Education and the Professoriate  
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National Science Foundation  
FAILURE-RESISTANT SYSTEMS

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**SBA**

Small Business Administration  
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**USAID**

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**USDA**

Department of Agriculture  
Food and Nutrition Service  
Farm to School Grant Program  
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**USDOJ**

Department of Justice  
Office of Justice Programs  
Bureau of Justice Assistance  
BJA FY 12 Adult Drug Court Planning, Training, Technical Assistance, and  
Resource Center Initiatives  
Grant

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Department of Justice  
Office of Justice Programs  
SMART  
SMART FY 12 Sex Offender Management Fellowship Program  
Grant  
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## *U. S. Department of Labor's Veterans Workforce Investment Program Grant Announcement*

The U.S. Department of Labor announced the availability of approximately \$12 million in grants through the Veterans' Workforce Investment Program to provide job training and skills development services that will help approximately 6,000 veterans succeed in civilian careers.

"These men and women served our country, and now it is our turn to serve them and to support them. The grants announced will help ensure our nation's veterans receive the assistance they need as they make the transition to civilian life," Secretary of Labor Hilda L. Solis said.

Through funds provided by this program, veterans will receive skills assessments, individual job counseling, labor market information, classroom or on-the-job training, skills upgrades, placement assistance and crucial follow-up services. Veterans also may be eligible for services through other Workforce Investment Act programs for economically disadvantaged or dislocated workers.

The department will award at least 10 grants in 10 states on a competitive basis to state and local workforce investment boards, local public agencies and nonprofit — including faith-based and community — organizations. Grantees must be familiar with the areas and populations to be served, and have demonstrated that they can administer effective programs.

### **Eligible Applicants:**

Applications for funds will be accepted from State and Local Workforce Investment Boards, Public agencies, non-profit organizations, including faith-based and community-based and neighborhood partnerships. Applicants must have a

familiarity with the area and population to be served and the ability to administer an effective and timely program

Note that entities organized under Section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code are not eligible to receive funds under this announcement. Section 18 of the Lobbying Disclosure Act of 1995, Public Law 104-65, 109 Stat. 691 (2 U.S.C. 1611) prohibits instituting an award, grant, or loan of federal funds to 501(c)(4) entities that engage in lobbying.

Entities that are debarred or suspended shall be excluded from Federal financial assistance and are ineligible to receive a VWIP grant.

More information about the Department of Labor's unemployment and re-employment programs for veterans can be found at <http://www.dol.gov/vets/>.

The solicitation for grant applications is available at <http://www.grants.gov>. It also may be viewed at <http://www.dol.gov/vets/programs/vwip/main.htm>.

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