

**Wythe-Bland Foundation**  
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Spring/Summer 2011

**Providing pathways for a healthier tomorrow**

**APRIL GRANT RECIPIENTS**



The Wythe-Bland Foundation is pleased to announce the awarding of its grants which were submitted for the February 1 deadline for a total of \$506,728 to qualified 501 (c) (3) organizations (or governmental entities) serving Wythe County and Bland County Virginia, that support, promote and/or further the Foundation's mission.

The funds are awarded to: Wythe County: \$205,470 for fire-fighting turn-out gear; Benevolent Medication Program: \$8,900 for part-time assistance and supplies; Wytheville Training School Cultural Center: \$51,739 for health screenings and computer classes; Bland County Schools: \$10,000 for Mountain Home project summer enrichment program; Bland County Schools: \$20,530 for physical education program; New River Highlands Resource Conservation & Development: \$42,600 for classroom gardens for four schools; Benevolent Medication Program: \$25,000 for vaccines; Mountain Community Action Program: \$5,595 for book bags; Bland Ministry Center & Dental Clinic: \$8,020 for book bags; Family Resource Center: \$59,801 for LCSW; Bland County: \$105,018 for fire-fighting turn-out gear; Town of Wytheville Parks & Recreation: \$25,000 for boundary trail for Crystal Springs Recreation Area; Rx Partnership: \$15,000 for technical assistance for Brock Hughes Free Clinic; Brock Hughes Free Clinic: \$125,000 for clinical services; Mt. Rogers Health District: \$4,525 for Ladies Night Out.

The Wythe-Bland Foundation, which was established in June, 2005, provides opportunities to improve the health, education, and welfare of the citizens of the Wythe and Bland Communities, with an emphasis on health care needs. To date, the foundation has provided grants for over \$10.5 million dollars. This includes providing tuition scholarships to Wytheville Community College for all qualified high school graduates in the two counties.

The Foundation will sponsor a Grant Writing Workshop on June 28, 2011 from 9-12 at the Wytheville Meeting Center. All representatives of nonprofit groups are welcome to attend. There is no fee but registrations are required.

**Grant Application Deadline**

The next grant application deadline for the Wythe-Bland Community Foundation will be August 1, 2011. Please review the Grant Guidelines at: [www.wbcfoundation.org](http://www.wbcfoundation.org) for the latest update to the guidelines. All 501-© (3) nonprofit organizations are invited to submit applications. Grants will be awarded in October, 2011. Assistance in Grant Writing is available.

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**June 28, 2011**

**Grant Writing  
Workshop**

**From the  
Executive Director:**

*The Foundation has completed five years of successful grant making, awarding over \$10.5m to nonprofits and government entities in the two counties. A continuing emphasis is being placed on outcome measures and evaluation to ensure quality and fiduciary responsibility.*

*Gail*

**NON-PROFIT SHOWCASE,  
SEPT. 29, 2011**

*Wytheville Meeting Center*

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