

## Senior Community Center Dept. of Aging Grant

### Evaluation Questionnaire

This evaluation questionnaire will help determine if your senior community center is an ideal candidate for applying for the Dept. of Aging Senior Community Center Grant. There were 41 grants awarded in 24 counties in 2017, with an average award of \$48,780.

**Activities:** Check all activities that you have available. If you don't have all these activities, developing them can be included in a future grant application:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 10 Keys                              | <input type="checkbox"/> AARP Tax Preparation                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Aerobics/Physical Fitness Activities | <input type="checkbox"/> Art Class                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Billiards                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Cards/Pinnocle/Bridge                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Ceramics                             | <input type="checkbox"/> Computer Lab                           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Crafts                               | <input type="checkbox"/> Dance                                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Games/Chess/Social Activities        | <input type="checkbox"/> Gardening/Outdoor Activities           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Healthy Cooking                      | <input type="checkbox"/> Healthy Steps                          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Internet Café                        | <input type="checkbox"/> Jewelry Making                         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Job Training                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Memory Café (for Alzheimer's patients) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Mind Matters                         | <input type="checkbox"/> Smart Driving Classes                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Yoga/Zumba/Pilates                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Youth/Intergenerational Activities     |

**Center Improvements:** What improvements does your center need? Check all that apply:

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Center has Poor Signage         | <input type="checkbox"/> Computers are 4+ years old    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Flooring is 9+ years old        | <input type="checkbox"/> HVAC is 20+ years old         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Lobby furniture is 7+ years old | <input type="checkbox"/> No ADA Compliant Doors        |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Roof is 25+ years old           | <input type="checkbox"/> There is limited use of space |

**Community Partners:** Community partnerships add value to center programs and improve center activities. Check all that apply. Having partnerships or demonstrating an ability to create new partnerships makes for a more competitive grant application.

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| <input type="checkbox"/> AARP                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Alzheimer's Association of Pennsylvania |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Area Business Association       | <input type="checkbox"/> Boy Scouts                              |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Homeschool Parents' Association | <input type="checkbox"/> Local Artist                            |
| <input type="checkbox"/> School District                 | <input type="checkbox"/> SCSEP                                   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> YMCA                            | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____                             |

**Lease/Own Requirements:** If the center owns its property, there are no restrictions to applying for a grant. If the space is leased, then you can apply for \$5,000 worth of grant monies for each year left on the lease, up to ten years on a lease. After a ten-year lease, there are no restrictions for grant monies up to \$150,000.

- We own our property or have a lease that can be extended up to ten years?
- There are only \_\_\_ years left on our lease, and the landlord may approve a lease extension contingent upon the senior center winning a PDA grant.

Senior Community Center Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Center Director and Phone No.: \_\_\_\_\_