

Draft: Emergency Response Programme Application

***Note: All items are mandatory

Organization Info

Org Name [\[from Org profile\]](#)

Org Country [\[from Org profile\]](#)

Org Region [\[from Org profile\]](#)

Primary Contact [\[required\]](#)

Signatory Contact [\[required\]](#)

Please demonstrate your organization's equivalency to a U.S. 501c3 charitable organization.

You can find more information here. [\[hyperlink "here" to the ED template, English version\]](#)

If you have an equivalency determination certificate you may upload that here. If you are a U.S.-based organization, please upload your most recent 990 or provide a link to your GuideStar profile in the text box below. You may also use this text box to provide further context or information about your organization's equivalency status.

[\[Document upload field, optional, with the label "Equivalency Determination"\]](#)

[\[Text Box, max 200 words\]](#)

Please demonstrate your organization's capacity to manage a grant award in the range of US\$250,000 to US\$500,000.

Share examples of previous grants awarded to your organization. You can provide URLs to award announcements and press releases, a copy of your organization's annual budget that includes funding amounts, or other evidence of experience in and capacity to manage an award of this size.

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Please demonstrate how your organization's mission aligns to the mission of the Internet Society.

Please explain how your organization's mission supports an open, globally-connected, secure, and trustworthy Internet for everyone.

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[Text Box, max 200 words]

Application Details

Duration of your proposed project (in months). [Number field, maximum = 12]

The maximum duration is 12 months.

Is your proposed project global (several geographic regions around the world) or regional (several countries within a geographical region) in scope?

[choose one]

[If regional] Component that populates the "Foundation regions" - *not to be confused with "Beyond the Net ISO countries/regions". File of Foundation regions & the countries is at <https://isoc.box.com/s/l6kox3iuv2hlzqzaqvhtucamif6d4czj>*

Why is this specific region your focus?

You may also further define or describe the geographic region here.

[Text Box, max 200 words]

Briefly summarize the COVID-19 challenge your project will address. Include details of the community disproportionately affected community by this challenge.

[Text Box, max 200 words]

Describe the connectivity project you are proposing and how it will support the affected community.

Be sure to include reasons why your intervention is innovative, how the Internet plays a critical role in the project's implementation, and how the project will make immediate, local impact.

[Text Box, max 500 words]

How will your project also provide for lasting, longer-term resiliency against the threat after the more urgent need has been addressed?

Priority is given to project ideas that not only address the very clear immediate needs but also how the project addresses the longer-term effects of the current emergency, ideally diminishing the negative impact of the threat if it were to return.

[Text Box, max 500 words]

Why is your organization best positioned to do this urgent work? Please describe how you will collaborate with local organizations or special interest groups in or from the affected community.

Explain your experience working in this specific location(s), technical expertise, community connections, partner organization assisting the effort, and any other details that clearly illustrate your organization is the best fit to implement this work.

[Text Box, max 500 words]

Identify 1-3 indicators that you will monitor for the duration of your project so that you can report on your impacts.

Describe how you will measure each indicator. What kind of data would you need to collect and behaviors you might observe to demonstrate your project's success? If you are unsure how to best measure an indicator, please indicate that and we will work with you if you are selected to receive this grant.

[I'm unsure of the best format for this Q. Might use formatting found in BNet Large application?]

Funding Information

Amount Requested (in US\$) [number field, formatted for US\$]

Amount should be greater than US\$250,000 and less than US\$500,000

Budget Categories:

- Personnel
- Contractual
- Equipment
- Travel
- Subawards
- Other Direct Costs
- Indirect Costs (*up to 20% of direct costs*)

Above, please select the budget categories you are utilizing for this project. For each category, provide the total amount you are requesting of the Foundation. Do not include any funding provided by partners or sponsors.

In order to streamline our application response time, you need not include itemized budget details at this time. You will be expected to provide such details at the time of reporting.

Budget Narrative

Provide a detailed rationale for the costs associated in each category your noted above. This narrative should be concise and provide a clear picture to the Independent Review Panel on how you will spend the funds and how those expenses are directly tied to your desired impact(s). For Personnel or Contractual costs, specify the role(s) and responsibilities of those project team members.

[Text Box, max 500 words]

Documents

Documents you may need to upload to your application:

- Equivalency Determination
- Organization Capacity
- Other Document(s) you believe this will enhance your application