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Title of Project

Enhancing Community Health Through Free Dental & Vision Clinics

Applicant Organization

Sandy Seventh-day Adventist Church

Federal Tax-Exempt ID Number

[REDACTED]

Organization Address

18575 SE Langensand Rd.

Organization City, State, ZIP

Sandy, OR 97055

Name of Project Manager

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Project Beginning Date

Sun, 10/05/2025

Project End Date

Fri, 04/30/2027

Please describe your 2025-2027 SSCP project

Project Details:

1. Free Dental Clinic (Fall 2025 and Fall 2026):

- In partnership with Caring Hands Worldwide, Inc., Patterson Dental, and volunteer dental professionals, Sandy Seventh-day Adventist Church will offer our seventh and eighth annual, free, one-day Dental Clinics October 5, 2025 & October 4, 2026.
- Performance Measures: These clinics will provide vital dental services, including x-rays, hygiene, crowns (possibly only 2025), extractions, and fillings, benefiting at least 120 patients each year. (We served over 160 patients in 2024)
- Professional services will be provided on site by dental professionals from Sandy and surrounding communities as in-kind donations of labor.
- Through in-kind donations provided by Custom Dental Prosthetics and Assured Dental Lab, the clinics may also offer dental flippers, addressing aesthetic and functional dental concerns. These

partnerships for dental flippers are in place for 2025, not guaranteed in 2026.

- Caring Hands Worldwide, Inc., will contribute essential dental equipment and supplies to ensure high-quality dental care for underserved community members.
- Patterson Dental will provide the use of a crown fabrication machine as an in-kind donation in 2025. They also will provide a dental scanner for flippers in 2025 and in-kind donations of toothbrushes, toothpaste and dental floss for distribution to patients.
- The partnership with Caring Hands Worldwide, Inc., requires an annual fee of \$3500 to Sandy Seventh-day Adventist Church to facilitate these essential dental services.
- An additional annual liability insurance fee of approximately \$2500 is required by our risk management administrator for free dental clinics. The final fee is determined based on the number of patients receiving services and types of services provided.

2. Free Vision Clinics (Spring 2026 and Spring of 2027)

- Partnering with the Daniel Migael Foundation, Inc., Sandy Seventh-day Adventist Church plans to offer our fourth and fifth annual, free, one-day Vision Clinic April 26, 2026, and Spring 2027.
- Performance Measures: Experienced, volunteer ophthalmologists will provide in-kind donations of labor for comprehensive eye exams, including screenings for glaucoma and diabetes, aiming to serve at least 100 patients.
- Patients will have the opportunity to receive prescription eyeglasses at no cost, enhancing their quality of life and visual health.
- The Daniel Migael Foundation, Inc., will contribute essential equipment for the eye examinations and eyeglass fittings.
- To support this partnership, the foundation charges an annual fee of \$4000 to Sandy Seventh-day Adventist Church, demonstrating a shared commitment to community well-being.

What is the dollar amount of SSCP grant funding you are requesting?

18,000.00 (2 Dental & 2 Vision Clinics Partially Funded)

Which of the 2025-2027 program objectives will your project achieve?

Support the health and physical well-being of residents within Sandy city limits

Please specifically describe how your project meets the selected program objective(s)

Sandy Community Benefits::

These free Dental & Vision Clinics hold significant potential for positively impacting the Sandy community:

- Addressing Unmet Needs: Low-income residents lacking access to dental and vision care will receive crucial services, promoting their overall health and quality of life. Also underinsured people in our community are provided with services they may not be able to afford, indirectly affecting their long-term health.
- Collaborative Partnerships: By partnering with Caring Hands Worldwide, Inc., Patterson Dental, Assured Dental Lab (2025), Custom Dental Prosthetics (2025), Daniel Migael Foundation, Inc., and dental and vision professionals, Sandy Seventh-day Adventist Church leverages collective resources for a more extensive community reach.
- Public Health Improvement: Through preventative and restorative dental care and comprehensive eye exams, and early detection of eye conditions, the clinics contribute to much better long-term health improvement for our Sandy community.
- Community Well-Being: Improved vision and dental health positively impacts individuals' self-esteem, employability, and overall well-being for those in our Sandy community.

Please specifically describe how residents within Sandy city limits will benefit from the project

Healthy citizens are the backbone of a thriving city. Free Dental & Vision services impact a city's well-being through better long-term health. When citizens see their city investing in their well-being, it fosters a sense of belonging and civic pride.

DENTAL CARE:

- Oral health is directly linked to systemic health. It helps prevent infections, heart disease, diabetes complications and even strokes.
- A healthy smile improves confidence, which affects social interactions, job prospects and overall happiness.
- Untreated dental issues can cause persistent pain, leading to anxiety, depression and sleep problems.
- People with healthy teeth are more likely to succeed in interviews and customer-facing roles.
- Fewer dental emergencies mean fewer missed work days and more consistent productivity.
- Relief from oral discomfort allows students to focus and perform better in class.
- Dental issues often send people to urgent care and emergency departments when care is unaffordable, adding to healthcare costs and burdens the healthcare system. Free services ease this burden.

VISION CARE:

- Correcting vision problems can alleviate chronic discomfort and provide mental clarity.
- Seeing clearly reduces frustration, isolation and anxiety-especially with seniors and those with disabilities.
- Children with undiagnosed vision issues often struggle in school. Free care ensures they can read, write and engage fully.
- Vision problems can mimic attention disorders; correcting them can improve classroom behavior and focus.
- Clear vision is essential for most professions.
- People with corrected vision are more confident and capable in interviews and work environments.
- Older adults can stay in the workforce longer with proper eye care.
- Good vision helps prevent falls, traffic incidents and workplace injuries.
- Seniors and people with disabilities can navigate the city more safely and confidently.
- Free vision care helps low-income residents, immigrants and marginalized groups participate fully in city life.
- Seeing clearly is fundamental to self-reliance, communication and social interaction.

Please identify and describe the measurements that will be used to assess the project's positive impact on Sandy residents

Performance Measures:

DENTAL CARE:

Experienced, volunteer dental professionals will provide in-kind donations of labor for comprehensive dental care including cleanings, extractions, fillings and in 2025 crowns & flippers to at least 120 patients with a significant number of patients being residents of the city of Sandy.

EYE CARE:

Experienced, volunteer ophthalmologists will provide in-kind donations of labor for comprehensive eye exams, including screenings for glaucoma and diabetes, aiming to serve at least 100 patients each clinic with a significant number of patients being residents in the city of Sandy.

Please describe how this project represents good value for the City; maximizing the public benefits generated from this investment of taxpayer funds

Good Value for the City of Sandy:

Free dental and vision clinics offer tremendous value to the City of Sandy by delivering high-impact

public benefits that ripple across health, education, workforce readiness, and economic resilience. Here's how this investment of taxpayer funds pays off in meaningful ways:

Health Equity & Preventive Care

- Early detection saves lives and money: Routine dental and vision screenings catch issues before they escalate into costly emergencies or chronic conditions.
- Reduces ER visits: Many uninsured residents turn to emergency rooms for dental pain or vision-related accidents—free clinics divert these cases, easing the burden on hospitals.
- Improves overall well-being: Oral and visual health are directly tied to systemic health. Untreated gum disease, for example, is linked to heart disease and diabetes.

Support for Vulnerable Populations

- Low-income families and seniors benefit most: These clinics provide access where insurance coverage is limited or nonexistent.
- Children thrive in school: Vision problems are a leading cause of learning difficulties. Free screenings and glasses help kids stay focused and succeed academically.
- Empowers underserved communities: When basic health needs are met, people are more likely to engage in civic life, work, and education.

Economic & Workforce Impact

- Healthy workers are productive workers: Poor dental health can lead to missed workdays and reduced job performance. Clear vision is essential for many trades and professions.
- Boosts employability: A confident smile and corrected vision can make a huge difference in job interviews and workplace interactions.
- Attracts and retains residents: Cities that invest in public health signal a commitment to quality of life, making Sandy more appealing to families and businesses.

Smart Use of Taxpayer Dollars

- High ROI on preventive care: Every dollar spent on prevention saves multiple dollars in future treatment costs.
- Leverages volunteer and nonprofit partnerships: Our clinics operate with support from local dentists, dental hygienists, ophthalmologists, optometrists, and health organizations—stretching public funds further.
- Reduces long-term public assistance costs: Healthier residents are less likely to rely on disability benefits or other social services.

Community Trust & Civic Pride

- Visible impact builds trust in local government: Residents see their tax dollars at work in tangible, life-improving ways.
- Fosters a culture of care: Free clinics demonstrate that Sandy values all its residents, reinforcing community bonds and shared responsibility.

If Sandy continues to invest in these clinics, it's not just providing services—it's building a healthier, more resilient, and more inclusive city.

Please describe how this project represents a sustainable long-term investment of taxpayer funds. How will this investment be leveraged to provide services in the future?

This is investing in the long-term health of our citizens by providing preventative care for both dental and vision.

Have you received grant funding in the past, either through SSCP or through another organization?

Yes

Please indicate the program/organization from which you received grant funding; the year; and the dollar amount

1. SSCP Funding 2023-2025 14,500.00 2. Versacare Foundation 2024 5000.00(dental) 3. Versacare Foundation 2025 4000.00 (vision)

Did you successfully comply with all terms and requirements of the past grant funding you received?

Yes

Are you requesting an Alternative Payment Accommodation per Section 7 of the Program Guidelines?

No

Project Budget

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If you would like to provide supplementary project documents, promotional materials, or other files for the City's consideration, you may upload them here

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Certification of Eligibility

I certify that the proposed project is eligible for funding under the Program Guidelines. Specifically: the project will directly benefit residents living within Sandy city limits; the applying organization is tax-exempt under the Internal Revenue Code in good standing with the IRS; the project will not promote or inhibit religious activities; the project will not promote or inhibit political activities; the project will not discriminate based on race, ethnicity, age, gender, or sexual orientation; the project will not involve "self-dealing" or similar conflicts of interest as defined in the Project Guidelines; the project has a clear public benefit and has the permission of the owner of the property on which it will take place (if applicable); the applicant has a positive record of successful grant completion and compliance with City policies and regulations; and the requested funding for organization staffing will be dedicated to the execution of the specific project being applied for (if applicable).

Agreement / Certification of Accuracy

I certify that the information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I understand that if the City finds the information in this application to be false, or if I fail to abide by all provisions and requirements of the SSCP Program Guidelines or all terms of the grant agreement executed between my organization and the City of Sandy, I will lose my eligibility to receive current and future grant funds, and may be required to return to the City any grant funds already received. I further understand that all materials submitted through this application and as part of this grant program may be subject to disclosure under public records laws.

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2025-2027 SPECIAL SERVICE CONTRACT PROGRAM GRANT APPLICATION BUDGET FORM



| Project Name: | | Enhancing Community Health Through Free Dental & Vision Clinics | | | | | | |
|---|--------------|---|---------------|-------------|----------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------|-------------|
| Applicant Name: | | Sandy Seventh-day Adventist Church | | | | | | |
| BUDGET ITEM | Units Needed | Units of Measure | Cost Per Unit | Total Cost | SSCP Grant | Matching Funds | | TOTALS |
| | | | | | (A) SSCP Funding Requested | (B) Other Funding Sources * | (C) In-Kind Support | |
| Personnel Costs: List Personnel Working on Project, their pay rate, days or hours worked, and whether they will be paid by grant, other funding, or in-kind match (volunteer). If they are volunteering, assume a pay value of \$33.49 per hour. | | | | | | | | |
| Dental Clinic Volunteers | 540 | personel | \$33.49 | \$18,084.60 | | | \$18,084.60 | \$18,084.60 |
| Vision Clinic Volunteers | 96 | personel | \$33.49 | \$3,215.04 | | | \$3,215.04 | \$3,215.04 |
| Crown Manufacturing | 40 | units | \$220.00 | \$8,800.00 | | | \$8,800.00 | \$8,800.00 |
| Flipper Manufacturing | 10 | units | \$450.00 | \$4,500.00 | | | \$4,500.00 | \$4,500.00 |
| Subtotal Personnel Costs | | | | \$34,599.64 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$34,599.64 | \$34,599.64 |
| Materials / Supplies / Equipment | | | | | | | | |
| Dental Clinic ID Name tags | 400 | units | \$1.00 | \$400.00 | | | \$400.00 | \$400.00 |
| Toothbrushes | 300 | units | \$0.50 | \$150.00 | | | \$150.00 | \$150.00 |
| Toothpaste | 300 | units | \$1.00 | \$300.00 | | | \$300.00 | \$300.00 |
| Dental Floss | 300 | units | \$0.25 | \$75.00 | | | \$75.00 | \$75.00 |
| Subtotal Materials/Supplies/Equipment: | | | | \$925.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$925.00 | \$925.00 |
| Event Fees / Publicity / Marketing | | | | | | | | |
| Fliers for dental/vision clinics | 4 | clinics | \$250.00 | \$1,000.00 | \$1,000.00 | | | \$1,000.00 |
| Caring Hands Worldwide, Inc. Fee (dental) | 2 | clinics | \$3,500.00 | \$7,000.00 | \$7,000.00 | | | \$7,000.00 |
| Daniel Migael Foundation, Inc. Fee (vision) | 2 | clinics | \$4,500.00 | \$9,000.00 | \$6,200.00 | \$2,800.00 | | \$9,000.00 |
| Risk Management Liability Insurance for Dental Clinic | 2 | clinics | \$2,500.00 | \$5,000.00 | | \$5,000.00 | | \$5,000.00 |
| Subtotal Fees/Publicity/Marketing | | | | \$22,000.00 | \$14,200.00 | \$7,800.00 | \$0.00 | \$22,000.00 |
| Transportation Costs | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | \$0.00 | | | | \$0.00 |
| | | | | \$0.00 | | | | \$0.00 |
| Subtotal Transportation and Other Costs | | | | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| Project Administration (clerical, printing, postage, permits, etc.) | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | \$0.00 | | | | \$0.00 |
| | | | | \$0.00 | | | | \$0.00 |
| Subtotal Admin Costs | | | | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 | \$0.00 |
| Misc Other Costs | | | | | | | | |
| Church Facility Use | 4 | days | \$2,000.00 | \$8,000.00 | | | \$8,000.00 | \$8,000.00 |
| Dental Clinic Lunches for Patients and Volunteers | 2 | clinics | \$1,000.00 | \$2,000.00 | \$2,000.00 | | | \$2,000.00 |
| Crown supplies (additional) | 2 | clinics | \$300.00 | \$600.00 | \$600.00 | | | \$600.00 |
| Food for Vision Clinic | 2 | clinics | \$300.00 | \$600.00 | \$600.00 | | | \$600.00 |
| Miscellaneous supplies for dental/vision clinics | 4 | clinics | \$200.00 | \$800.00 | \$600.00 | \$200.00 | | \$800.00 |
| Subtotal Misc. Other Costs | | | | \$12,000.00 | \$3,800.00 | \$200.00 | \$8,000.00 | \$12,000.00 |
| TOTAL PROJECT COSTS | | | | \$69,524.64 | \$18,000.00 | \$8,000.00 | \$43,524.64 | \$69,524.64 |

| * Other Funding Sources - List Sources Here | Amt. Funded |
|---|-------------------|
| Oregon Conf of Seventh-day Adventists | \$2,500.00 |
| Sandy Seventh-day Adventist Church | \$5,500.00 |
| Total: Other Funding Sources | \$8,000.00 |

2024 Sandy Area Free Dental Clinic Highlights Video



<https://youtu.be/fQa-ioiCr7U?si=OR0EzCVnlw1Ge1iH>