North Carolina Division of the American Trauma Society

Mission Statement:
The North Carolina Division of the American Trauma Society is a statewide, non-profit, voluntary organization dedicated to the prevention of trauma and improvement of trauma care.

Eligible Applicants:
Non-profit organization or governmental entities with the state of North Carolina that qualify for exemption under 501(c)(3)of the Internal Revenue Code are eligible for funding.

Funding Information, Restrictions, and Requirements:
Applications will be reviewed by the Board of the North Carolina Division of the American Trauma Society. Their recommendations regarding approval or denial will be final. Applications will be reviewed based on congruency with NC ATS mission, scope, probability of positive outcomes, and compliance with submission guidelines. A maximum of five grants not to exceed $750.00 each may be awarded.

The priority of this funding will be on interventional projects, although well-developed research projects may also be funded. Appropriations will be made only to programs and services that will:
(a) have an impact on the prevention of injury
(b) facilitate public education regarding trauma
(c) promote the improvement of trauma care
(d) contribute to the body of research related to trauma.

The NC ATS will not provide support for salaries or capital construction.

Funding requirements include:
(a) Grantees must appropriately use the NC Division of the ATS logo on materials.
(b) Grantees must expend funds by October 1, 2001. Any funds not expended must be resubmitted to the NC ATS or an approval for extension received.
(c) Grantees are required to submit a detailed Project and Fiscal Accountability Report at the end of the project.
(d) Grantees are required to attend the October 2001 meeting of the NC Division of the ATS and provide a verbal report on the project.

Time Line:
October 23 - November 30, 2000 Call for Proposals
December 1, 2000 Deadline for grant applications for funding
December 2000 NC Division of the NC ATS to review grant applications for approval/denial
January 5, 2001 Letter to requesting agencies notifying them of approval or denial
January 2001 Funds disbursed to grantees
October 1, 2001 Funds must be expended
October 2001 Report by grantees at NC ATS meeting
Submitting a complete application:
Please read the instructions carefully before completing the application form. All grant proposals must be submitted according to the guidelines stated below.
(a) Type or print neatly on the application form. You may photocopy the form, scan it or reproduce it on a computer as needed.
(b) Please limit your responses to the spaces provided with the exception of allowances given on the application form.
(c) The application must have an original required signature.
(d) Applications cannot be accepted by fax or email.

Deadlines
A full application must be received by the NC ATS by the close of the business day on Friday, December 1, 2000. Applications should be mailed to:

Sharon Rhyne
President, NC ATS
NC Office of EMS
2707 Mail Service Center
Raleigh, NC 27699-2707