

Swim Safe Grants Now Open

Applications are now being accepted for the Swim Safe Boston Grant. Through this competitive grant application, a total of **\$250,000** will be awarded to Boston nonprofit organizations to provide free swim lessons and other free aquatics programming to Boston residents.

The Swim Safe grants are competitive grants. **The maximum award that will be considered for a Swim Safe grant is \$150,000.** Awards will vary in size. The City may award full funding, partial funding or no funding. Swim Safe will prioritize non-profit applicants that operate pool locations in Boston, have an established track record of offering aquatics programming to Boston residents, and are able to collect and submit data on program outcomes.

Applicant Eligibility Criteria

Applicants must meet all of the following eligibility criteria:

- Applicants must be a non-profit 501(c)3 tax-exempt organization.
- Applicants may apply for programs that run on an ongoing basis. Funding will NOT be available for one-time events.
- Programming sites must be located in the city of Boston.
- Programs and services funded by this grant must serve Boston residents.
- Programs funded by this grant must be free for participants.

Swim Safe Application Timeline

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- [Bidders Conference](#) Aug 29, 2023
- Applications must be received by Sep 15, 2023
- The Review Committee will select grantees by Oct 6, 2023
- The grant period will begin Oct 27, 2023

Application:

Applicants must complete this [application form](#) by September 15, 2023 to be eligible for a grant.

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