

A COMMUNITY THRIVES/GRANT OPPORTUNITY

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Elderly Compassionate Care of the Macedonia Community Development Corporation 501(c)3 made a submission for USA Today's/Gannett's "A Community Thrives" grant competition to receive funding to provide scholarships for Home Health Aide, Certified Nursing Assistant, Patient Care Assistant and Licensed Practical Nursing training. These are high demand career fields, which we consider to be entry level positions. The grant offers the potential for an award of \$100,000 \$50,000, \$25,000, \$15,000 or \$10,000 plus and added incentive to raise money through a GoFundMe campaign called CrowdRise during the period March 19 through May 11, 2018. In order to bring this funding into our community for this much-needed training, community support is vital. Please donate and get others to donate to our healthcare training initiative during this critical period of March 19 through May 11, 2018.



PROCESS:

- Submit Online Application by March 15, 2018
- Participate in the Challenge to CrowdRise with Donations - March 19th through May 11, 2018
 - Minimum donation is \$10 per transaction and maximum donation is \$10,000
 - Must raise at least \$3,000 through CrowdRise to compete for grant funding
 - Only credit card donations will be accepted
 - Please encourage friends, family, church, co-workers, etc. to contribute

PERKS:

- Opportunity to win one of six grant awards as a tier 1 contestant
- Opportunity to win an additional \$25,000 if CrowdRise contributions are one of the top two donations received as a tier 1 contestant (Fan Favorite)
- Will keep all CrowdRise funds received

REMINDER: CROWDRISE DONATIONS START MARCH 19TH

Donate at <https://www.crowdrise.com/o/en/campaign/elderly-compassionate-care>

- Project is titled: "Elderly Compassionate Care"

Checkout the website at <http://metcaecc.org>