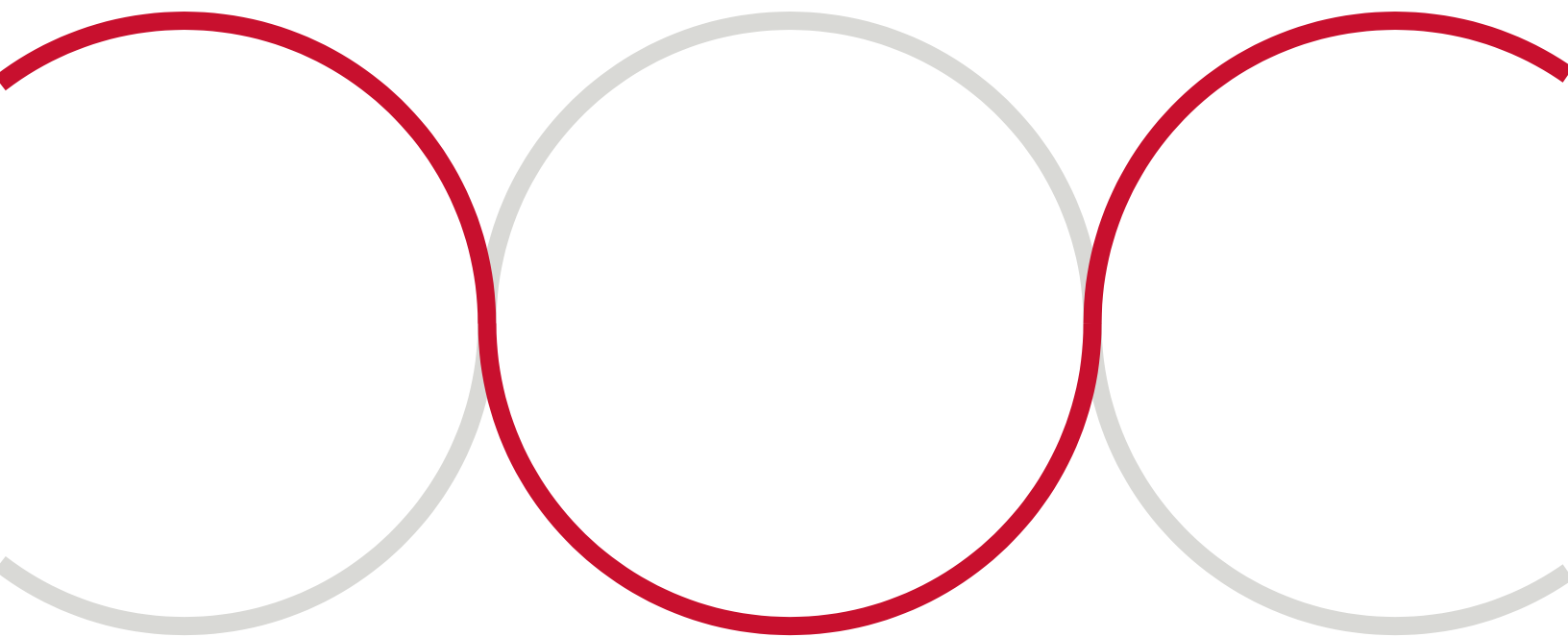


**CHARITABLE CASH CONTRIBUTIONS**

**Frequently  
Asked  
Questions**



As part of the Johnson & Johnson Family of Companies, we believe it's our responsibility to improve the communities where we live and work. At Johnson & Johnson Vision, we're focused on changing the trajectory of eye health worldwide by elevating it to a global priority. We believe that when people see better, they connect better and live better.

Our charitable contributions align with three strategic focus areas



Healthcare  
Access



STEM  
Education



Healthy  
Communities

## Application Submission Timing & Frequency

When can we submit a 2021 charitable contributions cash application?

- Applications for cash contributions funding consideration may be submitted through our online application [portal](#) from February 1, 2021 – November 5, 2021.

How often may our organization apply per calendar year?

- To support as many great projects/programs as possible in the communities where we do business, we ask that organizations only submit one charitable contributions application per calendar year.

## Eligibility Requirements & Restrictions

What type of organization is eligible for J&J Vision charitable contributions consideration?

- To be considered for a charitable contribution from J&J Vision, an organization must be classified by the Internal Revenue Service (IRS) as a tax-exempt, 501(c)(3) charitable nonprofit.

Is our organization eligible to apply for a charitable contribution if we are not a 501(c)(3), have a pending/revoked status with the IRS, or we are located outside of the United States?

- No. Only organizations with an active, IRS-recognized 501(c)(3) status may apply.

Are there other organization-related eligibility restrictions?

- Yes. Examples include (but are not limited to):
  - Individuals, fraternal & athletic organizations, political groups & candidates for office, sectarian & religious organizations not serving the public on a nondenominational basis
  - Organizations restricted from receiving contributions by Federal or State legislation
  - Organizations requested by customers or government officials

For what type of requests and locations do you consider awarding charitable cash contributions?

- We predominantly focus our philanthropic contributions around the markets in which we do business and consider single-year programs that align with our strategic focus areas.

Can you provide examples of applications ineligible for charitable contributions consideration?

- Requests to cover staff-related overhead costs such as salaries, benefits, travel, meals, etc.
- Trips, memberships, or sponsorships (e.g., walks/runs, ceremonies, dinners, conferences)
- Scholarships, loans, memorial funds, or endowments of any kind
- Infrastructure or capital requests (e.g., building campaigns or major renovations)
- Requests to support independent educational activities intended to contribute to patient care (e.g., HCP continuing education, patient education programs, fellowships, etc.)

## Pre-Application Information

Can we schedule a call to discuss our organization's programs and ideas prior to applying?

- Due to the volume of requests received annually, we're unable to host strategy and funding discussions with organizations prior to submission of their online application.

What supplemental documents are we required to include with our application?

- Organization's IRS determination letter and W-9
- Copy of the most recent IRS Form 990 filed and audited financial statements
- Copy of organization's non-discrimination policy and list of current board members
- Brochure, pamphlet, annual report, etc. highlighting the specific project or program
- An itemized budget breakdown outlining specifically how contributions funds (if awarded) would be used within the related project/program (template provided in application)

Are there restrictions around the funding amount we can request in our application?

Yes. While award sizes vary, we recommend organizations submit conservative requests.

- Additionally, we do not consider proposals that exceed 15% of an organization's operating budget (or that exceed 10% if a Johnson & Johnson employee is on the board of directors).
- \* **Note:** Submission of an application is not a commitment, promise, or guarantee of funding.

## Completing the Application

Should I save the CyberGrants Login ID and password created when I set up my online profile?

- Yes. You should use the same ID/password combo each time you sign into the online system.

Can I start an application and finish it later?

- Absolutely! Remember to save before closing or you might lose any new data entered.

## Application Review and Funding Decision Process

When and how will we be contacted about the final status of the application?

- Our contributions committee typically reviews applications within 60 days of submission.
- All applicants will be notified via email of their application's final funding decision. In most cases this will occur 60-90 days after application submission (subject to exceptions).
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