

Simplified Grant Scoring Rubric		
Scoring Item	Description	Value (out of 5 possible points)
Is the project focus and impact aligned with a GHD priority area?	Yes: Addresses one or more priority areas per GHD policy	5
	Somewhat: Addresses one or more other (non-priority) community health need in East County	4
	Inadequate: Missing supporting information or details, but overall impression is that the project is not in alignment with GHD priorities	3
	No: While there is a healthcare nexus, the project is not in alignment with GHD priorities	2
Will the project provide direct hands-on care to address GHD residents' health needs?	Yes: The project proposal clearly describes the provision of direct, hands-on care to GHD residents	5
	Somewhat yes: There is a lack of clarity in the proposal, but overall response indicates "yes"	4
	Somewhat no: Overall response indicates a probable "no"	3
	No: The project would not provide direct, hands-on care to GHD residents	2
Will the project serve residents within GHD boundaries?	Yes: The project will primarily serve residents within GHD boundaries, and is designed to address the specific needs of East County residents	5
	Somewhat yes: The project will serve residents within GHD boundaries, but is not designed specifically to meet the needs of East County residents	3
	No: There is justification provided that demonstrates a benefit to East County residents, but no evidence that residents of GHD will be served through the project	1

Is a community health need for the project established in the narrative?	Yes: All needed information is provided, and the response clearly establishes community need	5
	Somewhat There is missing information or supporting details, but overall response indicates “yes”	4
	Inadequate: Question is answered but the information provided does not establish a clear community need	3
	No: The response does not clearly establish community need	1
Does the project address health disparities in an underserved population?	Yes: The project clearly addresses a health disparity in an underserved population (e.g., older adults, rural residents, minority groups, non-English speakers, people with disabilities)	5
	Somewhat yes: The project addresses a health disparity in an underserved population	4
	Inadequate: Information provided does not demonstrate that the project addresses a health disparity in an underserved population	3
	No: The project does not address health disparities in underserved populations	2
Does the proposed project include collaboration with other providers of complementary services?	Yes: The project proposal describes direct collaboration with identified provider(s) of complementary services	5
	Somewhat: The project proposal describes collaboration with provider(s) of complementary services, but does not identify specific partnerships	4
	No: There is no evidence that collaborative partnerships will be leveraged as a part of the project	3

Has the organization received grant or sponsorship funding from GHD within the past five years?	No: The organization has not received grant and/or sponsorship funding from GHD during the past five grant cycles	5
	Yes, some: The organization has received grant and/or sponsorship funding from GHD within the past five years, but not during all five grant cycles	4
	Yes: The organization has received grant and/or sponsorship funding from GHD for five or more consecutive years	3
For those organizations that have received grant funding from GHD in the past, to what extent has/did the organization meet its goals for its most recent GHD-funded project? Skip if not applicable.	Goals exceeded, and additional community impact above and beyond the project's expectations were documented (5)	5
	Goals met, and expected community impact was clearly communicated	4
	Project goals met	3
	Goals not met, but some community impact was documented	2
	Goals not met, with no demonstrable community impact	1
For those organizations that received grant funding from GHD during the past year, how timely has the organization been in submitting the required reports? Skip if not applicable.	All required reports were received by the provided deadline (Quarterly reports required FY24-25 and prior)	5
	One report was received late	4
	Two reports were received late	3
	Three reports were received late	2
	All required reports were received late	1

