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From: Faculty Research Development Office Office of the Vice President for Research

Subject: Con Alma Foundation of Santa Fe Multi-Year Grant Program

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The Con Alma Health Foundation of Santa Fe announces a call for Letters of Inquiry under its Multi-Year Grant program. Grant awards will be made only to qualified 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations serving the residents of the state of New Mexico. The UNM Foundation (UNMF) will act as the fiscal agent for UNM grant applications. Multi-Year grants will be awarded to produce systemic change addressing issues, needs, and challenges in New Mexico.

No grants will be made for direct services, lobbying, scholarships/fellowships, or for capital costs, including property, construction or renovations. Con Alma will not pay any indirect costs. Any project working with pueblo or tribal communities must submit a letter of support from the pueblo or tribe with the final proposal.

Con Alma will fund multi-year grants up to \$50,000 per year for up to three years. Maximum grant term is January 1, 2018 to December 31, 2020. Additional priorities and other information can be found at https://conalma.org/wp-content/uploads/2017-MY-Guidelines.pdf.

This is a limited competition. Please submit a maximum 1-paragraph description of your project and its match with Con Alma's priorities by NOON on Tuesday, March 21, 2017 to limited@unm.edu with the subject line indicating: Con Alma-your name.

No late submissions will be considered. Please note: an alternative selection process will be used for this particular limited competition. The Limited Competition Management Team will collect the concept descriptions and provide them to the Con Alma Foundation who will conduct the review and decide who will be invited to submit Letters of Inquiry. The submission of LOIs (Stage 1) will be done through the UNM Foundation between 3/13/2017 through 4/3/2017 at 5:00 pm. Applicants approved for Stage 2 (Full Proposal) submission will be informed by Con Alma by 5/1/2017.

For further details and the internal competition requirements, please see the limited competitions website: http://frdo.unm.edu/?q=limited_competition.

You may also contact Betsy Till, Sr. Director of Corporate and Foundation Relations at the UNM Foundation at (505) 313-7678 or <u>betsy.till@unmfund.org</u> with any questions about the Con Alma Foundation.

If you are affiliated with HSC, please contact Corey Ford at 272-6950 for more information.