

# DHS-EF LOCAL TEAM GRANTS

**Purpose:** To support innovation and creativity of local Employment First Teams to implement the Employment First Initiative, including capacity building, policies and practices, and education and outreach within local communities throughout Oregon.

**Amount:** \$1000 per EF Team for 2015-2017. No guarantee funds will be increased or recurring in subsequent years.

## **General Funding Guidelines:**

- EF Team must be established EF team and known to DHS-EF (i.e., County, current contact info, regular meetings, plan available)
- Costs will be paid on a reimbursement basis. No advances on expenses can be provided.

## **Allowable Costs:**

- **Support involvement of self-advocates or family members in EF events or trainings who could not participate without such supports (e.g. Travel, child care, lodging/per diem at usual and customary rates).**
- **Activities are in alignment with or enhancements to the local EF team's annual goals and plan (e.g., employer engagement, family training).**

[\*\*Access the EF TA Form Here\*\*](#)

**Questions about how funds can be used or to discuss prior approval,  
please contact:**