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**THE TWENTY-NINTH LEGISLATURE
APPLICATION FOR GRANTS
CHAPTER 42F, HAWAII REVISED STATUTES**

Log No:

For Legislature's Use Only

Type of Grant Request:

GRANT REQUEST – OPERATING

GRANT REQUEST – CAPITAL

"Grant" means an award of state funds by the legislature, by an appropriation to a specified recipient, to support the activities of the recipient and permit the community to benefit from those activities.

"Recipient" means any organization or person receiving a grant.

STATE DEPARTMENT OR AGENCY RELATED TO THIS REQUEST (LEAVE BLANK IF UNKNOWN): _____

STATE PROGRAM I.D. NO. (LEAVE BLANK IF UNKNOWN): _____

1. APPLICANT INFORMATION:

Legal Name of Requesting Organization or Individual:
Public Education Advocates for Christian Equity-USA

Dbas: PEACE Global

Street Address: 2214 North King Street
Honolulu HI 96819

Mailing Address: Same as Above

2. CONTACT PERSON FOR MATTERS INVOLVING THIS APPLICATION:

Name SHIRLEY Y KINOSHITA

Title Project Administrator, PEACE Global

Phone # 808 295-8899

Fax # 808 845-5349

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3. TYPE OF BUSINESS ENTITY:

- NON PROFIT CORPORATION INCORPORATED IN HAWAII
- FOR PROFIT CORPORATION INCORPORATED IN HAWAII
- LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY
- SOLE PROPRIETORSHIP/INDIVIDUAL
- OTHER

6. DESCRIPTIVE TITLE OF APPLICANT'S REQUEST:

IMPROVING YOUTH SEXUAL HEALTH BY EMPOWERING PARENTS TO TAKE RESPONSIBILITY FOR EDUCATING THEIR CHILDREN.

4. FEDERAL TAX ID #: [REDACTED]

5. STATE TAX ID #: [REDACTED]

7. AMOUNT OF STATE FUNDS REQUESTED:

FISCAL YEAR 2019: \$35,300.00

8. STATUS OF SERVICE DESCRIBED IN THIS REQUEST:

- NEW SERVICE (PRESENTLY DOES NOT EXIST)
- EXISTING SERVICE (PRESENTLY IN OPERATION)

SPECIFY THE AMOUNT BY SOURCES OF FUNDS AVAILABLE AT THE TIME OF THIS REQUEST:

STATE \$ _____

FEDERAL \$ _____

COUNTY \$ _____

PRIVATE/OTHER \$ 45,978.33

SHIRLEY Y KINOSHITA
NAME & TITLE

JANUARY 19, 2018
DATE SIGNED

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Grant Application

Improving Youth Sexual Health by Empowering Parents to Take Responsibility for Educating Their Children

I Background and Summary:

1. Applicant's Background

PEACE Global is a 501c3 dedicated to *parents* and their leadership role in the educational needs of children, particularly in sex education.

PEACE leadership has become certified in the *sexual risk avoidance strategy*. The *risk-avoidance model* is effectively used by public health to address health concerns such as smoking, and drug use and does work well to reduce teen sexual activity, thus reducing pregnancy and sexually transmitted infections. These lifestyle choices contribute to the youths short and long term physical, mental & emotional well being, their ability to complete school, and their earning potential.

To this end PEACE has become certified as *sexual risk avoidance specialists*, and in two SRA programs:

- 1) **Building Family Connections** – An 8 hour training that empowers *parenting* to begin the life-long conversation about Sex and Healthy Relationships with their children & youth.
- 2) **Heritage Keepers** – Abstinence Education is a **classroom-based curriculum** that teaches students the benefits of practicing *sexual abstinence* and the risks that can be associated with sexual activity outside of marriage.

Below are detailed program descriptions taken from the related websites.

Youth Program – Heritage Keepers

The goal of the **Heritage Keepers® Abstinence Education** program is to reduce the number of teens initiating sexual activity and increase the number of sexually active teens returning to abstinence.

The Heritage program uses theoretical models and various methodologies in program implementation and The **Heritage Keepers® Abstinence Education** program encourages teens to:

- develop a strong sense of personal identity and worth,
- set protective boundaries,
- resist negative peer pressure,
- determine and protect personal values and goals, and
- set high standards for themselves.

A significant amount of the curriculum focuses on reproduction and sexually transmitted diseases (STDs), specifically discussing STD symptoms, treatments/cures, and prevention (all with information provided by the Office of Adolescent Pregnancy Prevention and approved for medical accuracy). Condom efficacy is also explained in relation to each STD.

Heritage Keepers® educators are trained to address the varying levels of sexual experience among teens including sensitivity to those who may have been sexually assaulted or abused. This holistic curriculum has received overwhelmingly positive feedback from students who have gone through the course, with post program interviews indicating that more than 90% of participating students strongly liked the program and instructor and would recommend it to a friend.



The **Heritage Keepers®** curriculum has been approved by the Medical Institute for Sexual Health and the US Department of Health and Human Services, Office of Population Affairs, for medical accuracy and scientific referencing. Heritage ensures that the curriculum is research-based with over 80 references from widely accepted social science research to support curriculum information. The **Heritage Keepers®** curricula is on the Department of Health and Human Services List of Approved Teen Pregnancy Prevention Programs. It is also approved for adherence to federal A-H legislative requirements for abstinence education as set forth in Section 510(b) of Title V of the Social Security Act. The **Heritage Keepers®** program also meets all 66 standards of the CDC-funded SMARTool (Systematic Method for Assessing Risk-avoidance Tool).

Heritage Keepers® has been tested and found to reduce teen sexual activity by 67%.

Parent Program - Building Family Connections –

An 8 hour training that empowers **parenting** to begin the life-long conversation about Sex and Healthy Relationships with their children & youth. The **Building Family Connections (BFC)** curriculum is an interactive sexual health curriculum. It teaches content on sexual health, skill-building on **parent-child** connectedness and communication. The **BFC** curriculum was developed in association with a grant from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and is provided by the Medical Institute.



Goals of the Program:

- educate **parenting** adults so they can assist youth to grow up safe, smart, and strong
- increase knowledge of medically accurate information related to adolescent development, teen pregnancy, contraception, HIV/STI's and healthy and unhealthy relationships.

Content of **BFC Modules**:

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| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Great Parenting Strategies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Characteristics of effective parents ✓ Effective Communication Techniques <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Benefits of effective communication • Ways to improve communication with your child ✓ Decision Making and Your Child <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Challenges for adolescents • Decision making and adolescent brain development • Decision making and the STOP tool ✓ Adolescent Development; physical, intellectual, emotional, social, spiritual <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Changes during puberty ✓ Teen Pregnancy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • consequences of non-marital pregnancy • strategies to help child avoid teen pregnancy | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Contraception <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Effectiveness of various contraceptives • Discussing contraception with teens ✓ HIV & Sexuality Transmitted Infections <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Types of STIs • Ways to prevent STIs • Discussing with teens ✓ Health & Unhealthy <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Compare and contrast healthy and unhealthy relationships • Effects of child abuse • Ways to keep children safe ✓ Sexual Risk Avoidance <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Benefits of Sexual Risk Avoidance • Kinds of sex education • Ways to support abstinence in your family and community |
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Why is it important?

Effective **parent-child** communication makes healthy adolescents! Since **parents** are the most influential factors in an adolescent's sexual decision making, it is essential that **parents** talk to their children before their peers or the media does. Increasing **parent-child** communication on the sensitive topic of sexual health can

lead to a delay in sexual activity in adolescents. However, **parents** are hesitant to talk to their children about sex or do not know how to do so. The curriculum provides information on how parents can communicate effectively with their children on sexual health issues.

2. Goals and Objectives Related to the Request

The stated goals of the programs are:

- Increasing the age of sexual debut
- Decreasing the number of sexual partners
- Decreasing non-marital childbearing and resulting single-parent homes
- Decreasing sexually transmitted diseases and associated infertility issues
- Increasing the number of individuals who have the skills necessary to form healthy relationships, build strong marriages and form safe and stable families
- Increase parent child connectedness
- Increasing awareness of family structure
- Increasing the value of marriage and committed love
- Increasing awareness regarding poverty as a determinate of health
- Decrease poverty and increase self-sufficiency through proven science based strategies

Currently we have **4 Heritage Keepers®** instructors and **1 Building Family Connections** instructor. Our

Our goal is to expand our services by training 25 more facilitators in the fall of 2018.

3. Public Purpose and Need

Teen pregnancy and sexually transmitted infections (STIs) are serious public health issues. Hawaii's STI epidemic is most severe among young people, especially young women. For example, Hawaii has the 12th worst chlamydia rate and the 10th highest teen pregnancy rate in the nation.

4. Target Audience

- a) Parenting adults – This would include parents, grandparents who are raising children, or any other authority involved in a child's life
- b) Youth in Grades 6 to 12.

Source Locations: churches, schools, home school networks, community centres with youth programs

5. Geographic Coverage:

We have had interest and activity on Oahu, Molokai, Kauai, and Maui. Once organized we believe there is need on all islands throughout the state.

II Service Summary & Outcomes

1. Scope of Work, Tasks & Responsibilities

PEACE Global Board of Directors – seek presentation opportunities; ensure fidelity in program implementation

Heritage Keeper Trainers (South Carolina) have trained and certified current presenters and will come to Hawaii to train additional presenters.

Building Family Connections Trainers – Medical Institute for Sexual Health, Austin Texas, has trained our current presenters and will come to Hawaii to train additional presenters

Administrator – to implement the plan, control presentation scheduling, supply and support presenters, collect and summarize assessments.

Presenters/Instructors – seek out presentation locations, and deliver programs

2. Projected Timeline

Date	Objective(s) Achieved
<p>February – September 2018</p> <p>20 presentations</p>	<p>PEACE Board members, presenters and key stakeholders (15) will each find 3 locations for presentations to a minimum of 25 candidates.</p> <p>Presenters will present to the best 20 possible locations.</p> <p>20 presentations x 25 = 500 children or parenting adults reached</p> <p>During that time board members and trained monitors will visit, observe and assess. During this time they will also seek ideal candidates to be trained as Heritage Keeper trainers. Each of our board members, certified instructors and monitors will be charged with the responsibility to find 5 potential training candidates to expand our presenter base.</p>
<p>July – October 2018</p> <p>Assessing New Instructors</p>	<p>During this time potential presenter candidates will be screened and assessed. Successful candidates will be trained in Heritage Keepers or Building Family Connections, and be provided with a Heritage Keeper and Building Family Connections promotion packages.</p> <p>Before November 2018 – Approved presenter candidates will secure their first HK presentation opportunity, thus making the training more meaningful.</p>
<p>November 2018</p> <p>Heritage Keeper & Building Family Connections Training</p>	<p>Heritage Keeper Training: Heritage Community Services will come to Honolulu, Hawaii, to train 30 of the best qualified applicants who have secured one presentation, will attend the Heritage Keeper Certification Training, Oahu, Honolulu, November, 2018. These trainees will become Agents of PEACE seeking presentation opportunities.</p> <p>Building Family Connections – Medical Institute for Sexual Health will come to Honolulu, Hawaii to train 20 of the best qualified applicants. These trainees will become part-time Agents of PEACE seeking presentation opportunities.</p>
<p>November 2018 – October 2019</p> <p>4500 Children or Parenting Adults Reached</p>	<p>All agents of PEACE (board members, presenters and approved stakeholders) will secure 3 presentations to at least 25 students.</p> <p>PEACE Heritage Keeper Instructors will deliver the presentations</p> <p>(60 seekers x 3 presentations) x 25 students = 4500 children or parenting adults reached</p> <p>During that time board members and trained monitors will visit, observe and assess. During this time they will also seek ideal candidates to be trained as Heritage Keeper trainers. Each of our board members, certified instructors and monitors will be charged with the responsibility to find 5 potential training candidates.</p>
<p>Nov. 2019 – October 2020</p>	<p>Repeat Cycle of training and presentations</p>

3. Quality Assurance & Evaluation

Both programs have pre and post tests to ensure learning has been accomplished.

4. Measure(s) of Effectiveness

One year after a presentation, attendees will receive a follow-up survey to determine if they have implemented the training.

III Financial

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BUDGET REQUEST BY SOURCE OF FUNDS

Period: July 1, 2018 to June 30, 2019

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BUDGET CATEGORIES	Total State Funds Requested (a)	Total Federal Funds Requested (b)	Total County Funds Requested (c)	Total Private/Other Funds Requested (d)
A. PERSONNEL COST				
1. Salaries				
2. Payroll Taxes & Assessments				
3. Fringe Benefits				
TOTAL PERSONNEL COST	null	null	null	null
B. OTHER CURRENT EXPENSES				
1. Training Fee	7,000			
2. Roundtrip Airfare (2) from S. Carolina to HI	2,400			
3. Accommodations: 4 da x \$150	600			
4. Food \$50/d days = 200 x 2 people =	400			
5. Tool kit \$180/person x 50 =	9,000			
6. Promo Kit \$5/person x 50	2,500			
7. Total Cost Heritage Keepers \$21900				
8. Training Fee	7,000			
9. Travel 2 people x airfare from Austin TX	2,400			
10. Accommodations: 4 days x \$150	600			
11. Food \$50/days = days x 2 people	400			
12. Tool Kit \$100/person x 20	2,000			
13. Promo Kit \$50/person x 20	1,000			
14. Total Cost - Building Family \$13400				
15				
16				
17				
18				
19				
20				
TOTAL OTHER CURRENT EXPENSES	35,300	null	null	null
C. EQUIPMENT PURCHASES				
D. MOTOR VEHICLE PURCHASES				
E. CAPITAL				
TOTAL (A+B+C+D+E)	35,300	null	null	null
SOURCES OF FUNDING		Budget Prepared By:		
(a) Total State Funds Requested	35,300	Shirley Y. Kinoshita 808 295-8899		
(b) Total Federal Funds Requested		Name (Please type or print) Phone		
(c) Total County Funds Requested		Signature of Authorized Official Date		
(d) Total Private/Other Funds Requested				
TOTAL BUDGET	35,300	Shirley Y Kinoshita, Project Administrator		
		Name and Title (Please type or print)		

VI) Experience and Capability

1. Necessary Skills and Experience

For the past 3 years PEACE Global has existed as a volunteer board and staff. In that time we conducted over 120 presentations state-wide on sexuality education in schools. Our presentations have encouraged a number of churches to adopt and support local schools.

PEACE Global Board

Rev. Dr. Jonathan Steeper, Senior Pastor, Kalihi Union Church

Lynn Tamashiro Ching, Director / Volunteer, Retired educator

Leslie Jones, Director / Volunteer

Pastor Dave Willweber, Vice President

Shirley Kinoshita, Treasurer, Manager, Credit Union

Phil Lees, SRAS - Sexual Risk Avoidance Specialist, founder of parallel organization in Canada

The organization has strong ties to state and national organizations that embrace our vision.

In the last year we have worked toward the development of the systematic plan to serve the needs of families and contribute to the improvement of the health and well-being of Hawaii's families.

To meet the systematic approach being taken, at the beginning of Phase 1 we will hire an administrator to be responsible for ensuring the plan is successfully implemented. The organization has numerous volunteers with needed skills that will be directed by the administrator.

Our choice for this position is our treasurer Shirley Kinoshita. Her experience as manager of a credit union and passion for this vision makes her the ideal candidate for the position.

Once Phase is completed, we will need to be ready to hire additional staff for fundraising, grant writing and managing the large number of events.

2. Facilities

Currently our volunteer organization operates from an office in Kalihi Union Church, 2214 N King St., Honolulu, Hawaii. Vice President of the board, Rev Dr. Jonathan Steeper, is the senior pastor. During Phase 1 of the project it will be possible successfully operate out of Kalihi Union. During Phase 2 and staffing increases, it will be possible to continue to operate out of KUC, but we will need to find additional storage space for presentation equipment.

V. Personnel: Project Organization and Staffing

PEACE Global Board

President - Phil Lees, SRAS – project developer, consultant, trainer, International Speaker

Rev. Dr. Jonathan Steeper, Senior Pastor, Kalihi Union Church, Honolulu

Shirley Kinoshita, Treasurer and project administrator. Manages the implementation of the project. Administers volunteers and finances.

Pastor Dave Willweber, Mauka Makai Ministries

Leslie Jones, Heritage Keeper presenter

Lynn Ching – Director, volunteer event planner. Works with Shirley and presenters to plan and organize presentations

Presenters

Pastor Dave Willweber, Mauka Makai Ministries,

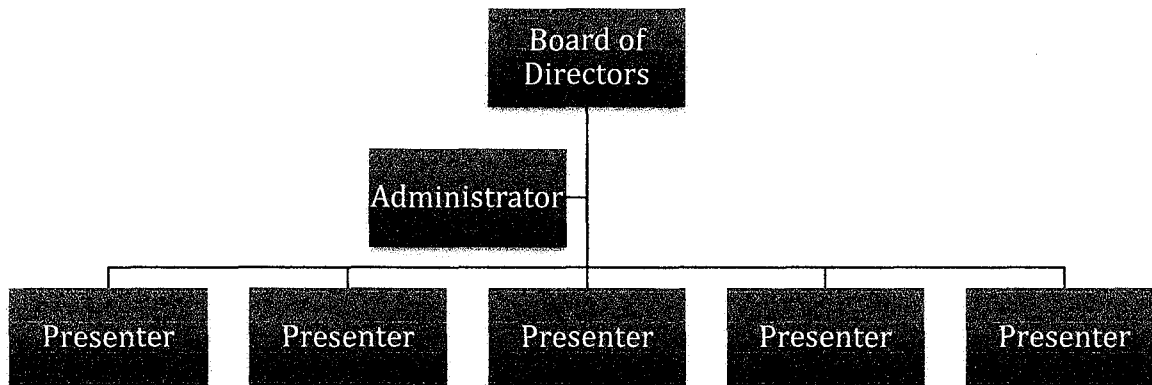
Pastor Kaipo Thomas, Waipuna Chapel, 17 Omaopio Rd, Kula, HI 96790

Leslie Jones, Heritage Keeper presenter

Phil Lees, SRAS (sexual risk avoidance specialist)

Joy Wright, Director, Malama Pregnancy Center Maui

2. Organization Chart



3. Compensation

All board personnel are volunteers. The only paid staff would be the full-time administrator. Compensation for this position would be \$45 000 annually.

VI) Other

1. Litigation - There is no pending litigation.

2. Licensure of Accreditation

President of the Board, Phil Lees is has the accreditation of Sexual Risk Avoidance Specialist.

Certification of Presenters

Phil Lees, certified in Building Family Connections and Heritage Keepers

Pastor Dave Willweber, certified in Building Family Connections and Heritage Keepers

Leslie Jones, certified in Heritage Keepers

Kaipo Thomas, certified in Heritage Keepers

Joy Wright, associate presenter, Heritage Keepers, qualified to co-present with a certified presenter

3. Private Educational Institution

Not applicable

4. Future Sustainability Plan

This request is for the funds to bring Heritage Keeper and Building Family Connections Trainers to Hawaii to train the 50 additional presenters. PEACE has funding streams to support through Phase 1, and will seek additional funding for Phase 2 (Presentation fees, administrative staff, etc.)

5. Certificate of Good Standing

Please find certificate attached.

6. Declaration Statement

Please see attached.

7. Public Purpose

Please see attached

**DECLARATION STATEMENT OF
APPLICANTS FOR GRANTS PURSUANT TO
CHAPTER 42F, HAWAII REVISIED STATUTES**


The undersigned authorized representative of the applicant certifies the following:

- 1) The applicant meets and will comply with all of the following standards for the award of grants pursuant to Section 42F-103, Hawaii Revised Statutes:
 - a) Is licensed or accredited, in accordance with federal, state, or county statutes, rules, or ordinances, to conduct the activities or provide the services for which a grant is awarded;
 - b) Complies with all applicable federal and state laws prohibiting discrimination against any person on the basis of race, color, national origin, religion, creed, sex, age, sexual orientation, or disability;
 - c) Agrees not to use state funds for entertainment or lobbying activities; and
 - d) Allows the state agency to which funds for the grant were appropriated for expenditure, legislative committees and their staff, and the auditor full access to their records, reports, files, and other related documents and information for purposes of monitoring, measuring the effectiveness, and ensuring the proper expenditure of the grant.
- 2) If the applicant is an organization, the applicant meets the following requirements pursuant to Section 42F-103, Hawaii Revised Statutes:
 - a) Is incorporated under the laws of the State; and
 - b) Has bylaws or policies that describe the manner in which the activities or services for which a grant is awarded shall be conducted or provided.
- 3) If the applicant is a non-profit organization, it meets the following requirements pursuant to Section 42F-103, Hawaii Revised Statutes:
 - a) Is determined and designated to be a non-profit organization by the Internal Revenue Service; and
 - b) Has a governing board whose members have no material conflict of interest and serve without compensation.

Pursuant to Section 42F-103, Hawaii Revised Statutes, for grants used for the acquisition of land, when the organization discontinues the activities or services on the land acquired for which the grant was awarded and disposes of the land in fee simple or by lease, the organization shall negotiate with the expending agency for a lump sum or installment repayment to the State of the amount of the grant used for the acquisition of the land.

Further, the undersigned authorized representative certifies that this statement is true and correct to the best of the applicant's knowledge.

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	1/19/2018
(Signature)	(Date)
Shirley Y Kinoshita, Project Administrator – PEACE GLOBAL	
(Typed Name)	(Title)



Department of Commerce and Consumer Affairs

CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

I, the undersigned Director of Commerce and Consumer Affairs of the State of Hawaii, do hereby certify that

PUBLIC EDUCATION ADVOCATES FOR CHRISTIAN EQUITY-USA

was incorporated under the laws of Hawaii on 11/12/2014 ;
that it is an existing nonprofit corporation; and that,
as far as the records of this Department reveal, has complied
with all of the provisions of the Hawaii Nonprofit Corporations
Act, regulating domestic nonprofit corporations.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set
my hand and affixed the seal of the
Department of Commerce and Consumer
Affairs, at Honolulu, Hawaii.

Dated: January 22, 2018

Director of Commerce and Consumer Affairs