Brookwood-Sago grant program helps mining community to provide education and training programs to promote safe and healthful workplaces for U.S. miners.

**WHAT IT DOES**

Brookwood-Sago grants provide funding for education and training programs to help the mining community identify, avoid, and prevent unsafe and unhealthy working conditions in and around mines.

**THE GOALS OF THE GRANT PROGRAM ARE TO:**

1) Ensure safety and health of miners.
2) Provide training and training materials that:
   a. Focus on occupational hazards caused by exposures to respirable dust and crystalline silica, powered haulage and mobile equipment safety, mine emergency preparedness, mine rescue, electrical safety, contract, and customer truck drivers, improving training for new and inexperienced miners, managers and supervisors performing mining tasks, pillar safety for underground mines, and falls from heights.
   b. Support programs emphasizing training on miners’ statutory rights, including the right to be provided a safe working environment, to refuse an unsafe task, and to have a voice in the safety and health conditions at the mine.
3) Support programs and materials that target smaller mines and underserved mines and miners in the mining industry, and prioritize diversity, equity, and inclusion.

**WHO IT SERVES (Target Population)**

- Mine Workers
- Mine Operators and Contractors
- Underserved Communities including rural, territorial, and tribal entities; and indigenous communities in the mining industry
- Non-English speaking mine workers

**WHO CAN APPLY**

- Nonprofit entities including labor organizations/unions
- City, County, or Township Governments
- Native American nonprofit Tribal Organizations
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- State Governments
- Private nonprofit institutions of higher education
- Public and State-controlled institutions of higher education

**HOW TO APPLY?**

- [Grants.gov](https://grants.gov); Applications are due online by August 23, 2022, 11:59 PM EDST.

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