The Fostering Access, Rights and Equity (FARE) grant program helps women workers who are paid low wages access their employment rights and benefits.

WHAT IT DOES

The FARE grant program provides funding for community-based organizations, unions, other non-profit organizations with deep ties to women-dominated, low-paid sectors of the workforce to provide women workers with improved access to workplace rights and safety net benefits.

THE GOALS OF THE GRANT PROGRAM ARE TO:

1) Provide outreach to women who are paid low wages at work, marginalized and underserved.
2) Provide educational materials through varied platforms, including social media, in-person or virtual events, brochures and leaflets, one-on-one consultations, and other outreach.
3) Assist women workers with navigating and calculating benefits.
4) Connect and refer women workers to additional services, benefits, and/or legal assistance as needed.
5) Help women become advocates for employment rights, benefits, and assistance in their own communities (i.e., a train-the-trainer model for navigation).
6) Collect stories about how the grant activities improve working women’s lives.

WHO IT SERVES (Target Population)

- Working Women
- Historically underrepresented communities including but not limited to women of color, women with disabilities, justice-impacted women, individuals who identify as LGBTQ, marginalized workers in female-dominated sectors hard-hit by the pandemic, ethnic minorities, immigrants, workers with limited English proficiency, older adults, and workers experiencing intimate partner violence, substance abuse issues, homelessness, or chronic poverty.

WHO CAN APPLY?

- Nonprofit organizations, including unions/labor organizations

HOW TO APPLY

- [Grants.gov](https://grants.gov); Applications are due online by July 1, 2022, 11:59 PM ET.

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