

FUNDING APPLICATION

GENERAL INFORMATION

Organization Information

Legal Name: Alamo Head Injury Association, Inc.	Federal Tax ID#: 74-2588800	Are you a 501(3)(c) charity? Yes	
Address: P.O. Box 28074	City: San Antonio	State: TX	Zip Code: 78229
Website: alamoheadinjury.org	Fax: (210) 862-8053		

Head Of Organization

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Application Contact

Name: Brad Troup	Title: Treasurer	E-Mail Address: btroup1062@gmail.com	Phone: (210) 862-8053
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Has the organization applied to the Gordon Hartman Family Foundation in the past and been declined?

No

Grant Amount Requested \$:	Total Project Budget \$:	Organization's Annual budget \$:
\$15,000	\$30,000	\$58,008

Mission Statement:

Alamo Head Injury Association (AHIA) focuses on development and execution of activities and outcomes to improve the quality of life for survivors of an acquired brain injury (moderate to severe traumatic and non-traumatic brain injuries) and their families and caregivers. AHIA strives to increase awareness of brain injuries, advocate for the needs of survivors and their families, serve as an emotional and social support structure for survivors and their families, provide financial assistance through its survivor grant program, interact with the community to share, and gain knowledge of resources, and raise funds to support the AHIA mission.

PROJECT INFORMATION

Program / Project Title:

Contribute to AHIA Financial Support (Grants) to assist in the special needs of Brain Injury Survivors.

PROJECT TIMELINE

Start Date	End Date
01/01/2024	12/31/2024

Program / Project Description:

AHIA provides financial support (grants) to brain injury survivors to positively impact and improve their lives. The AHIA grant program has three primary grant request categories: Education Assistance, Assessable Housing Modifications, and General items such as specialized equipment. This year (2023) we have seen a significant increase (3x) in requests for assistance, mostly in the area of funding to help with the cost of modifying homes (often bathrooms and entryways) to make them more assessable and safer. With our organization's increased focus, passion and efforts, we will continue and possibly increase our funding to support the special needs of survivors of brain injuries that have physical and cognitive disabilities. Through Sept. 2023, we have funded or have committed to funding for sixteen survivors and their families. We currently fund our grant program 100% with internal funds. To maintain and hopefully expand our level of financial support to our targeted community, we are seeking external sources, such as the Gordon Hartman Family Foundation, to assist us in funding a portion of our survivor grant program.

We believe that the AHIA grant program aligns with the mission and intentions of Gordon Hartman Family Foundation and its support of non-profit organizations such as AHIA for Bexar County and surrounding counties.

Evaluation Plan:

Any funds granted and received pursuant to this Funding Application would be restricted to the 2024 AHIA grant program for its targeted community; individuals with moderate to severe acquired brain injuries that have special needs due to their cognitive and physical disabilities. AHIA can provide information throughout the year that shows what the funds were used for.

Plans to sustain project beyond the term of this request:

AHIA has been in existence for over 40 years. It has experienced challenges as well as very position outcomes over the years and has maintained its mission and support of its targeted community, individuals with moderate to severe acquired brain injuries and their family and caregivers. The AHIA survivor Grant program is one of the core tactics in pursuit of meeting its mission and objectives. Other core tactics include providing emotional and social support, increasing awareness, advocating for needs, interacting with the community and gaining and sharing knowledge and information regarding resources.

Our plans are to grow the AHIA survivor grant program, while balancing the financial resources with the other key tactics of the organization. Additional funding from external sources would greatly enhance our ability to maintain and grow the financial support to serve the targeted community.

Line item Budget:

Line Item Description	Total Project Funds Allocation	Gordon Hartman Funds Allocation
AHIA Grants for ABI Survivors (2024)	\$30,000	\$15,000
TOTAL:	\$30,000	\$15,000

BOARD OF DIRECTORS

LIST OF BOARD DIRECTORS

Name & Office Held	Corporate Affiliation
Deborah Harper; President	
Christina Avila; Secretary	
Brad Troup; Treasurer	
Abigail Harper; Executive Coordinator	
James Mallard; Survivor Representative	
Dan Harper; Survivor Representative	
Maria Pollifrone, DO; Member At Large	
Kevin Vallecillos, PT,DPT,CBIS; Member At Large	
Cindy Urshan, BSN, RN; Member At Large	
Maricela Garcia; Member At Large	
Lydia Keppler; Member At Large	
Catherine Torrington Eaton, PHD, CCC-SLP; Member At Large	