

Guidelines for the Application of Funds from the Harry and Clare Foundation.



Preamble.

The Harry and Clare Friday Foundation is a charitable trust committed to the growth and future development of the Mansfield District Hospital, Bindaree Aged Care Hostel and Buckland House Nursing Home.

The Foundation aims to be the catalyst that enables the Mansfield District Hospital Board realize strategic projects that meet community demand and assists in achieving the vision of long term viability of healthcare in Mansfield.

All funding decisions will be made taking into consideration the primary need to maintain the the Harry and Clare Friday Foundation as a going concern.

The Foundation prefers to support proposals that:

- Are not eligible for government funding programs, or for funding sources other than philanthropy in the community, however it will support proposals that require matching funding from funding sources such as State or Commonwealth Government.
- Focus on programs that improve the health and well being of the community.
- Have quantified a need and wish to explore a new approach to addressing that need.
- Are sustainable in the long term.
- Provide funding for major infrastructure upgrades on the Mansfield District Hospital, Bindaree Aged Care Hostel and Buckland House Nursing Home facilities that is unable to attract alternative funding.
- Provide staff with financial assistance to explore innovative opportunities that ensure long term benefits to the organization.
- Support the hospital to achieve its strategic plan by providing capital funding for improvement and expansion of current or future projects.

The Foundation does not provide grants for:

- Shortfalls or deficits in budgets for operating expenditure or core funding
- Unspecified donations.

The Foundation is prepared to support community groups by way of seeding or matching funding when the ultimate target is to raise funds as outlined in the preamble.

Application Response:

All applications will be responded to in writing and will contain a full outline of the Trustees decision. All funding decisions will be communicated directly to the Mansfield District Hospital board.

Please send the completed application form with contact details to:

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Jamieson 3723
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