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INNOVATIONS FOR YOUNG WOMEN

1. There are two funds. What are the differences between them?

For the 'Innovations for Young Women Fund' eligible organisations or teams are invited to apply for this fund with their best and innovative ideas to help young women get and stay active. Successful applicants will be selected to receive support through an innovation workshop session to develop and test their idea with expert advice and support. Developed ideas are then eligible to apply for one-off funding of up to \$25,000 per project.

The **'Young Women's Activation Fund'** is for larger investment (\$30,000 and \$300,000 per project, over a maximum three years). The fund provides support to national and large regional organisations who can demonstrate an ability to engage young women aged 12 to 18 years to get and stay active and develop leadership skills through play, active recreation and sport.

2. How does this work link to the Government strategy for Women and girls in sport and active recreation?

Innovations for Young Women supports two of the key strategic outcomes to enable women and girls to realise their potential in and through sport and recreation.

- a) More women and girls are leading, working, coaching and volunteering in sport and active recreation at all levels
- b) More women and girls are physically active through play, active recreation and sport.

3. There are two funds open. Can we put in an application for both of them?

The eligibility criteria are different for each fund, so please check the funding guideline documents for each fund.

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4. Will there be another funding round?

Yes, we intend to repeat this in 2020, although the criteria and time frames might be different.

5. What happens if we put in a late application?

Late applications will not be considered. The closing date for applications is 4pm, Monday 27 May for Innovations for Young Women.

6. Is the Design Challenge weekend compulsory to attend?

Yes, successful teams must be available to attend the Design Challenge weekend on 20-21 July 2019 when they submit their application.

7. How much funding can we apply for?

Teams that are successful through the Design Challenge weekend, will have the opportunity to submit their proposals for funding of up to \$25,000 per project.

8. What support will you provide during the application process?

Sport NZ have made available the key insights and data we have on young women. This information is available within the application guidelines and on our website at <u>www.sportnz.org.nz/womenandgirls</u>. There is also an email address <u>womenandgirls@sportnz.org.nz</u> you can email with any fund related queries.

9. What is a host organization?

A host is an organisation that is willing to support the application from a team of individuals that have an idea to submit. The team members do not have to be employees of the organisation. The 'host' will be the organisation that Sport NZ will enter into a contract with to ensure the team is meeting the requirements as part of the funding process.

If you have any further queries or issues with submitting your application, please email <u>womenandgirls@sportnz.org.nz</u>