



## **Funding Guidelines for the Inclusive Recreation Activity Fund**

### **WHO is eligible for funding?**

New Brunswick municipalities and not-for-profit organizations looking to support active living for individuals living with a disability are eligible for funding. The World Health Organization defines a disability as "...any restriction or lack of ability to perform an activity due to impairment."

### **WHAT is eligible for funding?**

Expenses associated with new or existing inclusive physical activity programming or infrastructure that removes barriers to active living and/or recreation opportunities are eligible for funding. Examples of appropriate requests include funding to reduce program fees, purchase new equipment, cover transportation costs or perform facility upgrades. One-time events and tournaments are ineligible for funding.

### **WHEN (and HOW) will funding be awarded?**

The Inclusive Recreation Activity Fund will be awarded twice in 2019-2020. Application deadlines for these rounds of funding will be August 23, 2019 and January 17, 2020. The Inclusive Recreation Activity Fund Selection Committee will meet to review applications and allocate a total of \$5,000 following both of these dates.

The Activity Fund Selection Committee will consider all applications and select requests that best reflect a long-term commitment toward improving access to physical activity programming and/or recreation opportunities. Priority will be given to first time applicants and Recreation NB membership. All funds will be made payable to the community or organization supporting the approved project.

### **HOW do we apply?**

Application forms are available online at: [www.recreationnb.ca/programs-and-initiatives](http://www.recreationnb.ca/programs-and-initiatives). Requests should not exceed \$5,000 and must be accompanied by a letter of intent detailing how these funds will be used and their potential benefits to your community or organization. Forms and letters can be submitted by email or mail to:

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