



The Mirasol Foundation, Inc. is an independent, 501(c) (3) charitable foundation. Its mission is to raise, administer, and distribute funds to children, the elderly, and those in need. The Foundation was established in 2016 by members of the Mirasol community seeking to make an impact on the lives of those less fortunate who live within the greater Palm Beach County area.

## HOW TO APPLY FOR FUNDING

To be considered for an annual grant, your organization must be a tax exempt, non-denominational organization, with demonstrated financial stability and strong leadership. If your organization addresses civic, educational, health or social services needs in Palm Beach County and surrounding communities, begin your request for support by completing our Proposal for Funding and attaching your IRS determination letter.

### **The Foundation does not fund**

- Individuals
- Organizations outside the Palm Beach County area
- National organizations that do not have an active local chapter with demonstrable direct benefit to residents of the Palm Beach County area
- Sectarian or religious organizations
- General animal and environmental programs, except for educational outreach programs
- Grants to lobby legislation or influence public elections
- Multi-year grants

If your charity meets the criteria outlined above, your Proposal for Funding should be completed and sent by email to [board@mirasolfoundation.org](mailto:board@mirasolfoundation.org) or mailed to The Mirasol Foundation, 11600 Mirasol Way, Palm Beach Gardens, FL 33418. **All proposals must be received by November 30, 2019.**

Your organization will receive notification if its Proposal for Funding has been selected for further review. You will then be asked to complete the Grant Application.

## THE FUNDING PROCESS

- All Proposals for Funding will be reviewed by the Gifts and Grants Committee
- The selected charities will be invited to complete the Full Grant Application
- Site visits will be conducted by members of the Gifts and Grants Committee.
- Funding recommendations will be presented by the Gifts and Grants Committee to the Foundation Board of Directors for final approval.