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## FIELD OF DREAMS INITIAL APPLICATION

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Field of Dreams is Jays Care’s signature capital space granting program. We partner with a wide variety of organizations and grassroots groups to help build, revitalize, expand and refine safe play spaces for children and youth.

Applicants are required to complete the following Initial Application Form (IAF) as the first phase of application. If the IAF is deemed successful, your organization will be invited to submit a second stage application that will be sent to you.

This application needs to be submitted by **October 31, 2018 at 5 PM EST** to [fieldofdreams@bluejays.com](mailto:fieldofdreams@bluejays.com) in order to be considered.

KEY ORGANIZATIONAL INFORMATION			
<b>Organization Name and Mailing Address:</b>			
<b>Organization Website:</b>			
<b>Not for Profit/Registered Charity Number:</b>			
<b>Project Name/Title:</b>			
<b>Please provide the <i>full address</i> of the project’s location:</b>			
<b>Is the project located on City property?</b>		<b>Have you received initial approval?</b>	
<b>Organization contact #1 Name and title:</b>		<b>Phone:</b>	
<b>Email Address:</b>			
<b>Organization contact #2 Name and title:</b>		<b>Phone:</b>	
<b>Email Address:</b>			



ORGANIZATION INFORMATION	
<b>Mission Statement and Organizational Goals:</b>	
<b>Brief summary of your organization's history (100 word limit):</b>	



<p><b>Description of the current programs and activities (200 word limit):</b> <i>Please highlight programming linked to the space; the number of people reached; and accessibility.</i></p>	
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<b>PURPOSE OF FUNDING</b>	
<p><b>What is the total cost of the project? How much funding have you secured to date?</b></p>	
<p><b>How much funding are you requesting from Jays Care Foundation? Please specify an exact value (Ex. \$10,000).</b></p>	



**Please provide a detailed breakdown of how JCF funds will be used (100 word limit).**

**Have you applied for any other funding for this project?  
If YES, please indicate the amount(s) requested from each organization.**



**Please provide a detailed description of the project (200 word limit).**  
**Please include the following:**  
**1. Project Completion Date**  
**2. Specific goals you hope to achieve upon completion of the project**

**Please clearly explain what you hope to address (issue/needs) with the success of this project (200 word limit):**  
*Ex.: growing demand for programs; operating at full capacity; lack of viable options for children and youth.*



<p><b>Who currently utilizes the space? Who will benefit from the completion of the project?</b></p>	
<p><b>Please describe the neighbourhood(s) being served. Please include the following:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li><b>1. Is the space/field in a priority neighbourhood with minimal alternatives?</b></li><li><b>2. How will the community benefit?</b></li></ol> <p><b>Please provide as much socio-economic, social, political facts about the community. We would like to get a well-rounded picture of it (200 word limit).</b></p>	



<b>Current number of children and youth your organization serves annually through organized programming (by age).</b>	<b>Ages</b>	<b>Number</b>
	Under 5	
	5 – 13	
	14 – 18	
	19 – 25	
	26 +	
<b>If you receive funding from Jays Care, will the ages and numbers served through organized programming change? If so, please explain how.</b> <i>Ex. With lighting at the baseball diamond, 50 additional 10-12 year olds will play.</i>		
<b>How will Jays Care Foundation’s support be acknowledged? (100 word limit)</b> <i>Ex. signage or possible openings, tournaments, etc.</i>		



**Additional information that you feel would make your application stronger (100 word limit).**

**Please attach your organization's most recent financial statement.**

**Please also provide 3-4 pictures of the current space and/or a short video. This is your opportunity to help us envision the community and understand why this project is necessary. Please note the video is optional but will be considered a strong asset.**