

We believe that...

With opportunities, people grow and share their dreams and talents.

Communities are stronger when all people have a voice and are heard with respect.

The humanity we share is more important than the differences in our abilities.

VTDDC is a proud member of the



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VERMONT DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES COUNCIL

The Mission of VTDDC is to help build connections and supports that bring people with developmental disabilities and their families into the heart of Vermont communities.

About SEEDS

2016



Sow the Seeds of System Change

SEEDS grants aid projects in Capacity Building

SEEDS grants:

- * Range from \$10,000 to \$15,000.
- * Represent nonrenewable, one-time funding.
- * Must be tied to VTDDC's Five-Year State Plan.
- * Made to nonprofit entities.

Projects that focus on underserved rural areas are especially encouraged.

SEEDS projects will enhance the capacity of Vermont communities to welcome and support people with developmental disabilities and their family members.

VTDDC encourages applications from individuals and organizations with creative and new ideas that support inclusion, self-determination, and productivity.

Capacity-building activities may include coalition development, training, planning, outreach, and — with additional guidelines — demonstration projects.

***“It’s like the seed put in the soil
— the more one SOWS,
the greater the HARVEST.”***

—Orison Swett Marpden

*If you need assistance in completing an application or in identifying a nonprofit partner, please call VTDDC at: [1-802-828-1310](tel:1-802-828-1310)
Application and Instructions available at: www.ddc.vermont.gov/projects*