

REQUIRED SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS FOR Adaptive Equipment Funding Requests



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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Please read carefully before beginning the application process.

Please ensure all required information and supporting documents are included with your application as we are unable to consider incomplete applications.

ALL applications must include:

- a complete, signed application from parent/caregiver.
- a **current** letter of justification/referral from healthcare professional/consulting team member which includes/states:
 - diagnosis/special need(s) of child
 - the need for the adaptive equipment and
 - how request will support the overall care plan of the child
- a **current** Notice of Assessment (NOA) from Revenue Canada for each adult (household) contributor that shows net income (line 23600) or Canada child benefit notice (CCB) statement that shows net family income. (T4 slips, T1 summaries or pay stubs will **NOT** be accepted).
- proof of exhausted or denied government funding, as applicable.

ADAPTIVE EQUIPMENT (INCLUDING MOBILITY OR RESIDENCE) applications must also include:

- a detailed quote for each item of adaptive equipment requested.
- vendor company name, contact name, address, telephone, email, fax.
- confirmation that other available funding including extended health, MSP Healthy Kids, At Home, Fair PharmaCare deductible or other community/government resources have been utilized or denied.

Variety does not pay for assessments, report writing, travel time or services/products paid for by government.

Once you have completed the application and have all necessary supporting documents, please submit everything **together** to Variety by email (preferred) or standard mail.

All applications are reviewed independently. Please note, our current processing time is approximately **12 weeks** from receipt.

Variety pays only for approved grants (directly to vendor) and cannot reimburse for any service or item prior to a confirmation of approval in writing.

While Variety aims to support as many families in need as possible, we are unable to guarantee funding for every application.

QUESTIONS? Please contact

a Grant Program Team Member at heart.fund@variety.bc.ca or **604-320-0505**.

Child Information		
First Name	Last Name	Gender: <input type="checkbox"/> M <input type="checkbox"/> F <input type="checkbox"/> Non-binary <input type="checkbox"/> None of the above. I identify as:
Date of Birth	PHN	Have you received funding from Variety in the past: <input type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> Yes Year:
Address		City
Province	Postal Code	Main Diagnoses/Conditions:

Diagnosed Special Need(s) – Medical and Developmental: Check all that apply		
<input type="checkbox"/> Medical & Genetic Disorders	<input type="checkbox"/> Cerebral Palsy	<input type="checkbox"/> Cleft & Craniofacial
<input type="checkbox"/> Mental Health	<input type="checkbox"/> Gastroenterology	<input type="checkbox"/> Endocrinology & Diabetes
<input type="checkbox"/> Autism Spectrum Disorder	<input type="checkbox"/> Nephrology (Kidneys)	<input type="checkbox"/> Neurosciences (Neurology)
<input type="checkbox"/> ADHD	<input type="checkbox"/> Ophthalmology	<input type="checkbox"/> Oncology, Hematology & BMT
<input type="checkbox"/> Fetal Alcohol Syndrome	<input type="checkbox"/> Audiology	<input type="checkbox"/> Pain
<input type="checkbox"/> Intellectual Disability	<input type="checkbox"/> Cardiology	<input type="checkbox"/> Seeking Diagnosis
<input type="checkbox"/> Learning Disability (Q Ministry Designation)	<input type="checkbox"/> Orthopedics	<input type="checkbox"/> Others:

Legal Guardian Information			<input type="checkbox"/> Current NOA or CCB Attached
GUARDIAN #1 Name	Relationship to child	Phone	Cell Phone
Address (if different from child)	City	Province	Postal Code
Occupation & Employer:		Email	

GUARDIAN #2 Name	Relationship to child	Phone	Cell Phone
Address (if different from child)	City	Province	Postal Code
Occupation & Employer:		Email	

Please list all other children in the household:

Please check if this child has been helped by Variety

1. First Name: _____ Last Name: _____
2. First Name: _____ Last Name: _____
3. First Name: _____ Last Name: _____
4. First Name: _____ Last Name: _____

Please send complete applications with supporting documents together to:
Email: heart.fund@variety.bc.ca **Mail:** 4300 Still Creek Drive, Burnaby BC V5C 6C6

Referral letter cannot be from the same vendor providing the services and quote. Please have them include as much information as possible regarding the child's symptoms and behaviours in the detailed referral letter.

Health Care Professional Referral Info			<input type="checkbox"/> Detailed Referral Letter Attached
Name		Title/Professional Designation	
Agency/Hospital/Organization Name			
Address	City	Province	Postal Code
Telephone Ext:	Fax No.	Email	

Variety will consider up to two (2) requests per year. If you have more than one request, please list in order of priority.

Funding Request #1			<input type="checkbox"/> Quote/Therapy Plan Attached
Equipment/Service/Product Description			Total Cost
Vendor/Service Provider Name			
Address	City	Province	Postal Code
Telephone	Email		
If applicable:			
Length of sessions (in minutes): _____			
Total number/frequency of sessions: _____			
Cost per session: _____			

Funding Request #2			<input type="checkbox"/> Quote/Therapy Plan Attached
Equipment/Service/Product Description			Total Cost
Vendor/Service Provider Name			
Address	City	Province	Postal Code
Telephone	Email		
If applicable:			
Length of sessions (in minutes): _____			
Total number/frequency of sessions: _____			
Cost per session: _____			

Other Applicable Funding Information			
Employer Extended Healthcare	Y <input type="checkbox"/> / N <input type="checkbox"/>	Amount:	Status:
At Home Program	Y <input type="checkbox"/> / N <input type="checkbox"/>	Amount:	Status:
MCFD (Including Autism/CSYN)	Y <input type="checkbox"/> / N <input type="checkbox"/>	Amount:	Status:
Pharmacare	Y <input type="checkbox"/> / N <input type="checkbox"/>	Deductible:	Maximum:
Other Charity:	Y <input type="checkbox"/> / N <input type="checkbox"/>	Amount:	Status:
Other:	Y <input type="checkbox"/> / N <input type="checkbox"/>	Amount:	Status:

Would you be willing to share how Variety has helped your family? Yes No

Consent, Confidentiality & Authorization

Variety – the Children’s Charity of British Columbia respects and upholds an individual’s right to privacy. Your child’s information/application will be maintained as a confidential and secure record.

If deemed necessary by Variety for the purpose of determining eligibility for Variety fund ing and programs or for the purpose of meeting my child’s needs, I give consent to Variety to share file information with potential partnership funders.

PLEASE ENSURE YOUR APPLICATION IS COMPLETE WITH ALL SUPPORTING DOCUMENTS BEFORE SUBMITTING.

We regret that applications with any missing information or documents will not be considered. Variety is unable to fund any child under 6 who received government autism funding. In addition, we are unable to pay for any items/ services you obtain prior to approval in writing.

**Please feel free to provide an introductory letter about your child/family situation (optional).*

I, _____, parent/guardian to (child’s name) _____ hereby agree to the above, that the information included in this application is accurate and complete to the best of my knowledge and that I have read and understand Variety’s requirements and eligibility for funding requests.

DISCLAIMER: By typing your name below, you are signing this application electronically. You agree that your electronic signature is the legal equivalent of your manual signature on this application.

Signature:

Date:

Please keep copies of all documents for your records. We are unable to return documents.

Please ensure your application and supporting documents are **included** with your request.

PLEASE DO NOT SEND DOCUMENTS SEPARATELY.

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