

## APPLY NOV!

For the Better Ageing Fitness Development Subsidy Program.

Calling all sport, fitness, and exercise professionals. If you're looking to train the older adult population (aged 65 years and over), you can now apply for your chance to receive funding for professional development in this area.

With thanks to Sport Australia's Move It AUS, City of Parramatta Council has been awarded funding from the Better Ageing Grant Program. This program aims to improve the overall health and wellbeing of older Australians (aged 65 and over) by increasing their physical activity levels. We're looking for fitness professionals who want to build their skills in this area and facilitate this goal.

## To be eligible:

- You must be a qualified sport, fitness, or exercise professional who works in the Parramatta LGA.
- Be over 18 years old.
- The nominated professional development course must be recognised by Exercise & Sports Science Australia (ESSA), Physical Activity Australia (PAA), Fitness Australia or Australia Community Workers Association (ACWA).
- The nominated professional development course must be taken after the application submission date. Funding for courses already taken or certifications already granted are not eligible.
- Applicants can only receive one subsidy.

Do you tick all the boxes? Find out more and apply now at: bit.ly/fitness-subsidy Turn over to view the application process



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PART 1 Choose Your Track

Two tracks are available under the Subsidy Program - the 50% Track and the 100% Track:

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Under this track 100% of the professional development course will be covered and the applicant will be required to facilitate at least one free activity session, applying the newly acquired knowledge, under the Active Parramatta Fitness Program.  Submit an application through SmartyGrants. If you have used SmartyGrants for any other grants program, you can use the same login.

PART 2

Apply

Online

- The application period is open from 2 December 2019 to 30 June 2020 and applications will be assessed throughout this period with the following closing dates:
  - 4pm on 31 January 2020
  - 4pm on 17 April 2020
  - 4pm on 30 June 2020
- Successful applicants will be notified via email that their course is approved for funding and are required to sign a funding agreement as a formal acceptance of the subsidy.
- All payments will be made via Electronic Funds Transfer.

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