

New Communities Initiative Frequently Asked Questions (Human Capital FY19 RFA Information Session)

Q1: Will the submission date for the RFA be extended beyond January 23, 2019 due to the cancellation of the information session scheduled on Monday, January 14, 2019?

A1: *No. The information session was cancelled on Monday, January 14, 2019 due to inclement weather which led to the closing of District Government offices. The application content remains the same.*

Q2: Is the Case Management grant only for the Lincoln Heights/Richardson Dwellings community?

A2: *Yes.*

Q3: Can a District-wide organization apply for the Comprehensive Case Management or Youth Development and Community Wellness grant?

A3: *A District-wide organization can apply for the Youth Development and Community Wellness grant. The organization must have a clearly defined plan as to how they will offer specific programming to the targeted NCI site that they will be applying for. The organization must also have a clearly defined outreach plan that demonstrates how they will target and serve the NCI Community and where they will be located to ensure that the target population can easily access the proposed programming.*

Q4: How long is the grant period?

A4: *The grant period is from the date of execution through September 30, 2019.*

Q5: Can an organization apply for the grant if they are already receiving an NCI grant? If so, can the organization apply for the grant to serve a different NCI site from the one that is currently being served?

A5: *Yes. For the Youth Development and Community Wellness grant, an organization may apply to serve a different community.*

Q6: If an organization is providing Youth Development programming, can the organization apply to provide Community Wellness programming for the same site, or vice versa?

A6: *Yes.*

Q7: Is the Certificate of Insurance (COI) required to be included with the application?

A7: *No. If conditionally awarded, recipients will be required to provide a copy of an active COI to satisfy the conditional award.*

Q8: If an organization or entity already received their Clean Hands Certificate in December at the release of the initial RFA before the RFA was re-released, does the organization have to get another Clean Hands Certificate or can they use their initial one?

A8: *The Office of Tax and Revenue Clean Hands Certificates should be dated between December 21, 2018 and January 23, 2019.*

Q9: If awarded, who will the organization or entity contact to establish a programming site either at or near the NCI community they are funded to serve?

A9: *It's recommended the awarded organization or entity meet with the property owner or manager regarding use of space.*

Q10: Does the organization or entity need to acquire letters of support? Can letters of support from Civic Leaders and the like that were received for another ODMPED Grant (Great Streets) be used?

A10: *Yes. Letters of support are required per the gifts online application.*

Q11: When will the organization or entity be notified of the outcome of the grant process?

A11: *DMPED will send a Response Letter to eligible applicants, during the week of February 18, 2019, informing them of their status in the review process and requesting the following supplemental documentation, if applicable*