

**DEPARTMENT OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH (DBH)  
CHILD, ADOLESCENT & FAMILY SERVICES ADMINISTRATION  
NOTICE OF FUNDING AVAILABILITY (NOFA)**

**RFA No. RM0 SCP010623**

**District-Wide Synar Compliance Program**

The District of Columbia, Department of Behavioral Health (DBH) is soliciting applications from qualified applicants for services in the program and service areas described in this Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA). This announcement is to provide public notice of the DBH’s intent to make funds available for the purpose described herein. The applicable Request for Application (RFA) will be released under a separate announcement with guidelines for submitting the application, review criteria, and DBH terms and conditions for applying for and receiving funding.

**General Information:**

Funding Opportunity Title:	District-Wide Synar Compliance Program
Funding Opportunity Number:	RMO SCP010623
Opportunity Category:	Competitive
DBH Branch/Division Unit:	SUD Prevention Branch
DBH Administrative Unit:	Child, Adolescent & Family Services
Program Contact:	Yasir Shah, Grants Specialist (202) 727-8601 yasir.shah@dc.gov Thomas Randolph, Synar Program Coordinator (202) 727-6916 thomas.randolph@dc.gov
Program Description:	The purpose of this grant is to assist the District of Columbia’s Department of Behavioral Health (DBH) in ensuring compliance to the Congress enacted Alcohol, Drug Abuse, and Mental Health Administration Reorganization Act (Public Law 102-321) of July 1992 and the Tobacco 21 legislation which restricts selling tobacco products to individuals under the age of 21. In order to reach this goal, DBH seeks a grantee that is capable of recruiting, selecting, training, and managing qualified youth for conducting compliance checks with tobacco licensees. The grantee shall also be required to complete paperwork that aligns with the federal protocols.
Eligible Applicants:	Applicants must be qualified non-profit or for-profit community-based organizations based in the District of Columbia that address community and public health, substance abuse, or behavioral health issues.

Anticipated Awards:	One
Anticipated Amount Available:	\$60,000.00
Floor Award Amount:	\$60,000.00
Ceiling Award Amt.:	\$60,000.00

**Funding Authorization:**

Legislative Authorization:	Subparts II & III, B, Title XIX, PHS Act/45 CFR Part 96 Substance Abuse Prevention & Treatment Block Grant
Associated CFDA#:	93.959
Associated Federal Award ID#:	TI084684-01
Cost Sharing/Match?	None
RFA Release Date:	Friday January 6, 2023
Pre-Application Conference (Date):	Thursday January 12, 2023
Pre-Application Conference (Times):	12:00 PM ET
Pre-Application Conference (Virtual):	Please find access information (web link and phone number) in Request for Application.
Letter of Intent Due:	Friday January 13, 2023
Application Deadline Date:	Tuesday February 7, 2023
Application Deadline Time:	12:00 PM ET
Links to Additional Information about this Funding Opportunity:	Serve DC: <a href="https://communityaffairs.dc.gov/content/community-grant-program#4">https://communityaffairs.dc.gov/content/community-grant-program#4</a> DBH RFA Opportunities: <a href="https://dbh.dc.gov/page/request-applications-01">https://dbh.dc.gov/page/request-applications-01</a>

Notes:

- A. DBH reserves the right to issue addenda and/or amendments subsequent to the issuance of the NOFA or RFA, or to rescind the NOFA or RFA.
- B. Awards are contingent upon the availability of funds.
- C. Individuals are not eligible for DBH grant funding.
- D. Applicants must have a UEI, Tax ID#, and be registered in the federal Systems for Award Management (SAM).
- E. Contact the program manager assigned to this funding opportunity for additional information.