

DEPARTMENT OF BEHAVIORAL HEALTH

NOTICE OF FUNDING AVAILABILITY

Faith Based Organizations: Connecting DC Residents with Behavioral Needs to Clinical Services and Treatment During COVID 19

RFA No. RMO FBS121820

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 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:	Faith Based Organizations: Connecting DC Residents with Behavioral Needs to Clinical Services and Treatment During COVID-19
Funding Opportunity Number:	RMO FBS121820
Opportunity Category:	Competitive
DBH Branch/Division Unit:	Behavioral Health Block Grant Program
DBH Administrative Unit:	Policy, Planning, and Evaluation Administration
Program Contact:	Jocelyn Route 202.671.3204, jocelyn.route@dc.gov
Program Description:	This RFA identifies an opportunity for the District’s faith-based organizations with resources and targeted information to link DC residents with behavioral needs, who are impacted by COVID-19, to clinical services and treatment.
Eligible Applicants:	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. A faith-based organization located in the District of Columbia (DC);2. 501(c)(3) non-profit status, or the ability to enlist the services of a fiscal agent that meets this criterion to apply for the funding on behalf of the applicant organization; and3. Active Charitable Solicitation license from DC Department of Consumer and Regulatory Affairs (DCRA).4. Organizations awarded under the FBS082820 competition are not eligible.
Anticipated Number of Awards:	Up to 2 awards, up to \$25,000 each
Anticipated Amount Available:	Up to \$50,000
Floor Award Amount:	N/A
Ceiling Award Amount:	Up to \$25,000

Funding Authorization:

Legislative Authorization:	Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Administration
Associated CFDA#:	93.665
Associated Federal Award ID#:	6H79FG000258-01M001
Cost Sharing/Match Required?	No
RFA Release Date:	Friday, December 18, 2020
Pre-Application Conference (Date):	Tuesday, December 22, 2020
Pre-Application Conference (Time):	2:00 p.m. (ET)
Pre-Application Conference (WebEx/Conference Call Access):	Meeting link: https://dcnet.webex.com/dcnet/j.php?MTID=m4b03fbdc2a16356aefb97a75cfe700fe Meeting number: 180 165 2873 Password: Mentalhealth2020
Letter of Intent to Apply Due Date:	Wednesday, December 23, 2020
Application Deadline Date:	January 29, 2021
Application Deadline Time:	5:00 pm
Links to Additional Information about this Funding Opportunity:	DC Grants Clearinghouse https://communityaffairs.dc.gov/content/community-grant-program DBH RFA Opportunities https://dbh.dc.gov/page/request-applications-001

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 DUNS#, 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.