

Answers to Questions – Through 10/07/2024

Question 1: “contract awarded to an organization that primarily serves a specific geographic area or region with a collaborative approach to service delivery that supports at least one strategic focus area; proposes to meet an emerging need; or targets an underserved population. Level (3) Leading Grants are expected to meet at least three measurable outcomes annually.” Our Resident Support Team provides Case Management/ Family Support to all households residing at New Life Village; and intentional, residential community located in 33619.

- **If awarded these funds, would the New Life Village community constitute as a specific geographic area or region? Or would the Resident Support Team need to serve families outside of the New Life Village community?**

Answer: The funded agency is expected to service people residing, going to school, or working in the Palm River/Clair-Mel communities with children ages birth to middle school age. This will include families which reside outside of New Life Village.

Question 2: “Priority Population. Pregnant women, fathers, and families who are residing, going to school, or working in the Palm River/ Clair-Mel communities with children ages birth through middle school age.” Our program serves families with children birth through 21, as well as Seniors.

- **Would awarded funds only be permitted for providing Family Support services to the ‘Priority Population’ in our community?**

Answer: The funded agency is expected to service people residing, going to school, or working in the Palm River/Clair-Mel communities with children ages birth to middle school age. Awarded funds cannot be solely used for residents of New Life Village.

Question 3: If an organization was unable to attend the information session, are they still eligible to apply?

Answer: Yes

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Question 4: Regarding "universal access," would an organization be eligible if their intention were to serve participants of an already existing *residential* Program *within* 33619, or must applicants serve the entirety of 33619?

Answer: The funded agency is expected to service people residing, going to school, or working in the Palm River/Clair-Mel communities with children ages birth to middle school age. The funded agency cannot limit services to an existing residential program within 33619.

Question 5: First question is if the information session for this was recorded? I don't see it posted on the website, and saw notification of the ITN after the meeting was held.

Answer: The information session was recorded and is posted on the CBHC website.

Question 6: My second question is if this funding can be used in part to pay for specific supports for the families that are receiving support through the program? Things such as rental or utility assistance in an effort to keep families safe and housed, while working on connecting them with additional community resources?

Answer: The awarded program will not be offering case management services and therefore will not have access to Children's Board ASO funds.

Question 7: Please advise if we can still apply despite missing the info session.

Answer: Yes