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BLOCK HASSENFELD CASDIN (BHC) COLLABORATIVE FOR FAMILY RESILIENCE

Grant Opportunity Webinar

February 11, 2020

Agenda

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BHC Collaborative for Family Resilience Grants

Purpose

- Ensure that children, families, and the broader community receive the programs and services they need to achieve long-term, holistic recovery from complex trauma
- Increase funds available to eligible not-for-profit agencies that provide critical resources related to trauma prevention or recovery for children and/or families

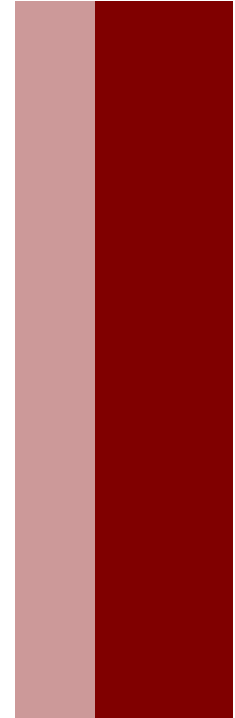
Hospital-Community Partnership

- UChicago Medicine's Urban Health Initiative (UHI)
- Trauma Care and Violence Prevention Workgroup of the Community Advisory Council (TCVP)

Overview of Grants

Building Trauma Resiliency

- Proven or promising practices in violence prevention, recovery, trauma resiliency
- \$25-50K for 1 year
- Potential to renew
- Link to RFP: <https://www.uchicagomedicine.org/about-us/community/grants-sponsorships>



Eligibility Criteria

- Applicant must be a 501(c)(3) nonprofit community-based organization
- 100% of the funded programs or services must be offered within the 12-zip UCM Service Area: 60609, 60653, 60636, 60621, 60615, 60637, 60620, 60619, 60649, 60643, 60628, 60617
- Proposals must serve children and/or families within the UCM Service area that have experienced or been impacted by gun violence, physical violence, family and domestic violence, sexual abuse, and/or child abuse and or neglect.
- Applicants must demonstrate a **readiness to serve** at the beginning of the grant period – defined as the capability to provide oversight and ensure consistent and quality implementation of proposed new or existing program

Eligibility Criteria Cont.

- The proposed program, service, or project must pertain to **TRAUMA RESILIENCE**, a UCM priority health area outlined in the [UCM Strategic Implementation Plan](#)
- Applicants must provide services to all persons in the target audiences and target geographic areas, regardless of race, religion, sex, gender identity, age, disability, national origin or sexual orientation
- All proposals must include SMART objectives (Specific, Measurable, Attainable, Realistic, and Time- Bound) that align with UCM and BHC defined outcomes (included in RFP)
- Proposed programs/services must be modeled on evidence-based, effective, or promising practices - the proposed program/service must be based on at least preliminary evidence or an established framework of effectiveness

Exclusions

Grants requesting the following types of support are excluded and will not be considered:

- Applications from partisan political organizations
- Applications from for-profit organizations
- Applications requesting support for fundraising activities such as sponsorships, advertising or event tickets
- Applications from individuals
- Applications for memorials or endowments
- Applications for programs, projects, or services operating and/or serving people outside of the UCM Service Area
- Applications requesting support solely for strategic planning or program development (i.e. “planning year”)

Proposals must align with the following outcomes:

- Reduce violent re-injuries among the following target audiences: children and/or families. ***Children are defined as anyone age 21 and younger. Family is not strictly defined in recognition of varied family structures organizations serve.***
- Increase access to trauma care (e.g. comprehensive social services, mental health, substance abuse programs or services)
- Increase children and family engagement in violence prevention and/or recovery programs or services
- Increase care providers' (e.g. parents, family members) capacity to care for individuals affected by trauma
- Provide wraparound resources to support the holistic needs of children and/or families experiencing trauma, linking them to specialized counseling services and other community-based social supports

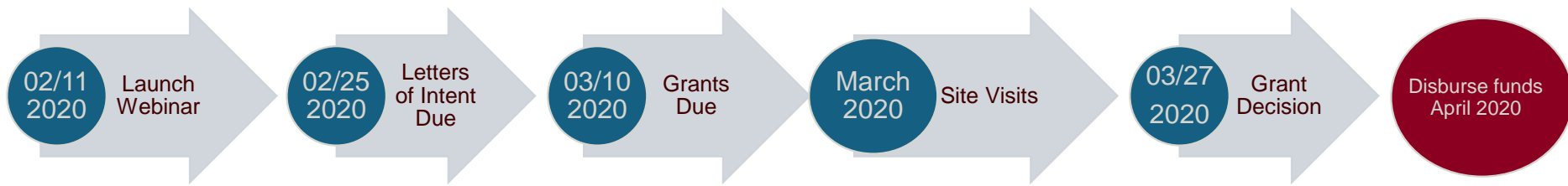
Application Components:

- **Letter of Intent (LOI)**, submitted to communitybenefit@uchospitals.edu by Tuesday, February 25, 2020, 5pm CST
 - Include Name of organization, contact person (title and phone), short description of proposed program
- **Application**, submitted to communitybenefit@uchospitals.edu by Tuesday, March 10, 2020, 5pm CST.
Narrative Sections:
 - Applicant information
 - Project description (4-page max)
 - Organizational Experience (2-page max)
 - Budget (1-page max*) – complete Appendix B
 - Evaluation (2-page max**) – complete Appendix A

*A copy of your annual budget is **required**, in addition to your application narrative. Submit as a separate attachment. Does **not** contribute to the 1-pg max for the budget section.

** A completed copy of Appendix A table is **required**, in addition to your application narrative. Does **not** contribute to 2-page max for the evaluation section.

Proposed Timeframes for BHC FY2020 Grant Cycle:



All items **must be submitted by deadlines to**
communitybenefit@uchospitals.edu

Questions ???

Please feel free to email questions to
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