

June 18, 2021

Addenda for RFA #22-01

Below are the answers to questions the Morris County Department of Human Services received from May 28, 2021 through June 17, 2021:

- **Q** – Is the mandatory four (4) outreach/community education requirement events per provider or per program/application?
- **A** – The four (4) events are per provider assuming the outreach event will include all funded programs.

- **Q** – Does attending monthly County meetings count towards the mandatory four (4) outreach/community education requirement? Please provide examples of what fits this requirement.
- **A** – No, attending regular meetings does not count toward the outreach/community education requirement. Some examples of acceptable outreach/community education/public awareness include, but are not limited to, table at community fairs, presentations about the program to schools, faith-based communities, police departments, etc., presentations at County meetings discussing the program, referral process, etc., using mass media such as newsletters, television, radio, internet, social media, brochures, medial hot spots, public events, etc.

- **Q** – For Youth Services GIA, State Community Partnership, and Family Court, what agency(ies) will provide referrals to program services?
- **A** – This is determined by the provider and the proposed program.

- **Q** – Is there an anticipated total number of youth expected to be referred for Youth Services GIA, State Community Partnership, and Family Court?
- **A** -No, this is determined by the provider and the proposed program.

- **Q** – What is the allowable indirect cost rate?
- **A** – There is no standard allowable indirect cost rate for these funding streams.

- **Q** – Are sliding scale fees applicable when services are provided free of charge to clients?
- **A** – No, if all programs/services are free of charge sliding scale fees are not applicable.

- **Q** – If an agency charges clients for services, is the program still eligible for Grant-In-Aid (GIA) funding.
- **A** – Yes, a detailed description under the sliding scale fee question in the application would need to be answered. Please note, public funding may only be billed for a specific unit of service when there is no third-party insurance, Medicare, Medicaid or any other type of reimbursement, in whole or in part, for that service unit.

- **Q** – Does an organization applying for GIA have to have a 501c status?
- **A** – No, a 501c status is not required to apply for GIA.