

Addendum 1

STATE OF CONNECTICUT DEPARTMENT OF MENTAL HEALTH AND ADDICTION SERVICES RFP# DMHAS-PCC Part A 2021

The State of Connecticut Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services is issuing Addendum 1 to the

Prevention in Connecticut Communities Part A 2021 Request for Proposals

Addendum 1 contains:

- 1. Amendment to **SECTION I. GENERAL INFORMATION B. INSTRUCTIONS 7. Minimum Eligibility and Qualifications of Respondents.** and
- 2. Recommended Virtual RFP Conference Registration Information

In the event of an inconsistency between information provided in the RFP and information in Addendum 1, the information in Addendum 1 shall control.

- 1. SECTION I. GENERAL INFORMATION B. INSTRUCTIONS 7. Minimum Eligibility and Qualifications of Respondents. is amended as follows:
 - **7. Minimum Eligibility and Qualifications of Respondents.** To qualify for a contract award, a Respondent must have the following minimum requirements:
 - a. A Municipality (city or town) that:
 1) has never received DMHAS funding;
 - 2) has not received DMHAS prevention funding for coalition development to implement the Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF, PFS, PFS 2015, Best Practices, CSC) within the past eight (8) years; or
 - 3) has not previously received, or is not currently receiving, Stop ACT, Drug Free Communities (DFC) SPF/PFS or any direct federal funding to implement any or all steps of the SPF.
 - b. A **Community Agency** proposing on behalf of a community/communities that: 1) has never received DMHAS prevention funding;
 - 2) has not received DMHAS funding for coalition development to implement the Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF, PFS, PFS 2015, Best Practices, CSC) within the past eight (8) years; or
 - 3) has not previously received, or is not currently receiving, Stop ACT, DFC, SPF/PFS or any direct federal funding to implement any or all steps of the Strategic Prevention Framework. Proposers within this group are required to obtain and submit a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) from the municipality/municipalities in which the program is directed, that demonstrates awareness of the proposal and support for the project. In this group, DMHAS

actively encourages proposals from entities and organizations that work with sub-groups within the community experiencing health disparities (e.g., families who are housing unstable; families with a history of incarceration; veteran and military families; lesbian, bisexual, transgender, and questioning (LGBTQ) youth populations; and Native youth, including cross-tribal and state-recognized tribal organizations

2. Recommended Virtual RFP Bidder's Conference

A Virtual RFP Bidder's conference will be held on:

Wednesday, February 3, 2021 Time 9:00 AM- 10:30 AM

Two (2) attendees per organization are allowed to register. **Please email** your interest to attend to the Official Contact: Marcia McDonough marcia.mcdonough@ct.gov **no** later than Monday, February 1, 2021 3:00 PM.

Please include the name of the organization and the e-mail addresses of the two (2) attendees.

An invitation will be sent to the prospective attendees, Tuesday, February 2, 2021 no later than 12:00 PM.