

Addendum #1

Questions & Answers

Alliance for Wisconsin Youth

Below are the answers to questions submitted to the Wisconsin Department of Health Services in response to this Grant Funding Opportunity.

#	Question	Answer
1	Do you have to be an established provider to provide services for Alliance for Wisconsin Youth?	Any agency who meets the eligibility requirements as stated in Sections 2 and 2.1 of the funding opportunity is eligible to apply.
2	<p>A. Page 6 states “Applicants can apply to serve multiple regions”. If an applicant intends to serve more than one region, do they need to apply separately for each region or will one application suffice for the multiple regions?</p> <p>B. Section 3.6 (Budget) does not mention a cap on indirect costs. We have a federally approved rate of 20%. Is this allowable and is there need for verification of that approved rate in the application?</p> <p>C. Attachments: Do you recommend attaching Letters of Commitment? If so, would those count towards the page limit?</p> <p>D. In Section 3.2.1, Proposed Services, a bulleted item under Coalition Support and Technical Assistance states:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Managing and providing financial support for scholarships to conferences, including a minimum set aside of \$5,000 in their budget.</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">If an agency is proposing to serve more than one region, should they reserve \$5,000 for each additional region?</p>	<p>A. Either separate application responses or one response is satisfactory. If you provide one application response for both regions, please be very clear in the description of how the services will be provided for each region.</p> <p>B. Awardees using a federally approved indirect cost rate above 10% will be required to supply a copy of their approved indirect cost rate agreement letter as part of the contracting process.</p> <p>C. Letters of Commitment were not required for this application and therefore would be considered part of the 15-page application response.</p> <p>D. Yes, please reserve \$5,000 for each additional region.</p>
3	Does providing the indirect rate letter count against the 15-page page limit?	The indirect rate letter does not need to be submitted with your application response. We will request a copy of the indirect rate letter from the awardees during the contracting process.
4	How many renewals will be available for awardees under this solicitation?	Per Section 5.2, contracts awarded to successful applicant(s) shall be effective from 7/1/2023 through 6/30/2024 with the possibility of four one-year renewals.
5	<p>In Section 3.2.1, Proposed Services, the last bullet under “Coalition Support and Technical Assistance” states:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Providing coalitions with funding to carry out prevention projects/strategies that align with WPC goals.</p> <p>What is WPC?</p>	<p>The WPC acronym was a typographical error and should have read as follows:</p> <p style="padding-left: 40px;">Providing coalitions with funding to carry out prevention projects/strategies that align with RPC goals.</p> <p>RPC means Regional Prevention Center.</p>

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6	Will the organization who is awarded the funding be the fiscal agent for the coalition?	No, DHS does not require the RPC to be the fiscal agent for the coalition(s) they are working with.
7	Agencies currently under contract for providing services under the Alliance for Wisconsin Youth program may also hold SOR grants. How does the 3-month overlap between the two programs/funding sources work?	Agencies that receive multiple contracts from DCTS are required to meet the goals, objectives, data and performance reporting for each contract separately. These activities may not be combined even if the services being provided are similar.
8	The budget template (and work plan template) are multi-page documents. Would the content provided under those documents count as part of the 15-page limit for the application response?	No, the content included within the Work Plan and Budget documents are not part of the 15-page application response page limits.