

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH (DOH)
HIV/AIDS, HEPATITIS, STD and TUBERCULOSIS ADMINISTRATION (HAHSTA)
NOTICE OF FUNDING AVAILABILITY (NOFA)
HAHSTA_RFA#_NEX103114**

2015 Needle Exchange Services

The Government of the District of Columbia, Department of Health-HIV/AIDS, Hepatitis, STD and TB Administration (HAHSTA) is soliciting applications from qualified organizations to provide prevention services. The following entities are eligible to apply: private, non-profit and for profit organizations who are licensed to conduct business with the District of Columbia. Private entities include community development corporations, community action agencies, community-based and faith-based organizations.

Program Area: Needle Exchange

Total Available - \$720,000.00

Grants will be awarded through the use of District of Columbia appropriated funds as authorized by the FY 15 local budget. All awards will be based on the availability of funds. All awards resulting from this Request for Applications (RFA) are contingent upon the continued availability of funding. Grant awards are projected to begin January 1, 2015 and end September 30, 2015, with two full 12 month option years.

The release date for RFA #_NEX103114 is October 31, 2014. The RFA will be available on the Office of Partnerships and Grant Services website <http://www.opgs.dc.gov/opgd/cwp/view>, under the District Grants Clearinghouse. A limited number of copies of the RFA will be available for pick up at DOH/HAHSTA offices located at 899 North Capitol Street, NE Washington, DC 20002 4th floor.

The Request for Application (RFA) submission deadline is no later than 4:30 p.m. on December 1, 2014. Late applications will not be accepted for funding consideration. A Pre-Application Conference will be held **on November 4, 2014 from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.** at 899 North Capitol Street, NE, 4th Floor, Washington, DC in the HAHSTA 4th floor conference room.

Please contact Stacey Cooper at 202-671-4900 or Stacey.Cooper@dc.gov for additional information.