

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
COMMUNITY HEALTH ADMINISTRATION

NOTICE OF FUNDING AVAILABILITY  
**Request for Applications # CHA\_CTG\_1.25.13**

FY 2013 Community Transformation Grants

The Government of the District of Columbia, Department of Health Community Health Administration is soliciting applications from qualified applicants to implement systems, environmental, and programmatic changes aimed at increasing physical activity and proper nutrition, reducing weight, reducing tobacco use, and improving chronic disease outcomes. Program areas for this grant support the following Community Transformation Grant for Small Communities (CTG) Strategic Directions: Tobacco-Free Living, Healthy Eating and Active Living, and Healthy and Safe Physical Environments leading to reduced chronic disease morbidity and mortality in the District of Columbia. Program areas include: 1) Baby Friendly Hospital Initiative, 2) Smokefree Public Housing, 3) Active Transportation, and 4) Chronic Disease Management and Prevention.

In FY 2013, approximately \$875,000 in CTG funds, ranging from \$100,000 to \$450,000, are expected to be available from the year 2012 grant received by DOH from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, grant number: 1 H75DP004358-01. The CTG grant award is pursuant to the authority under section 4201 of the Affordable Care Act and the Fiscal Year 2012 Consolidated Appropriations Act, Section 4002. FY 2013 CTG grant awards are projected to begin April 2013.

The following entities are eligible to apply for grant funds under this RFA: Private non-profit organizations. Private entities include hospitals, community health centers, community-based and faith-based organizations. All organizations must be located within and provide services in the District of Columbia.

**The release date for RFA No. CHA\_CTG\_1.25.13 is Friday, January 25, 2013.** The District of Columbia, Department of Health, Community Health Administration will have the complete RFA available on the DC Grants Clearinghouse website at [www.opgs.dc.gov](http://www.opgs.dc.gov) on **Friday, January 25, 2013**. The RFA will also be made available on-site at the Community Health Administration, 899 North Capitol Street NE, 3rd floor.

**The Request for Application (RFA) submission deadline is 4:00 pm Thursday, February 28, 2013.** The Pre-Application conference will be held in the District of Columbia at 899 North Capitol Street, NE, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor Conference Room 306, Washington, DC 20002, **on Thursday, January 31, 2013, from 1:00pm – 2:30pm.**

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