

District of Columbia Department of Health
Community Health Administration
Child, Adolescent and School Health Bureau

Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA)
Request for Applications (RFA)
RFA# CHA_SBHC_06.21.2013

School Based Health Centers

The Government of the District of Columbia, Department of Health (DOH), Community Health Administration (CHA) is soliciting applications from qualified not-for-profit organizations located and licensed to conduct business within the District of Columbia to improve access to care for high school students in grades 9-12 by operating a school-based health center. The overall goal is to help address the primary and urgent care needs of students in the school that will house the school-based health center. This includes assuring appropriate confidentiality and coordination of care, making referrals for specialty care, and serving as a model medical home.

DOH is working with DC Public Schools (DCPS) and the Department of Government Services (DGS) as the construction of the health center is completed. The school-based health center will be approximately 2,500 square feet and will include practice space for the school nurse. There will be two awards of up to \$675,000.00 each. Approximately \$1,350,000 in local appropriated funds is anticipated to be available for these two year grants. The second year is contingent upon performance and continued availability of funds.

The release date for RFA # CHA_SBHC_06.21.2013 is Friday, June 21, 2013. The Department of Health, Community Health Administration will have the complete RFA available on the DC Grants Clearinghouse website at www.opgs.dc.gov on **Friday, June 21, 2013**. The RFA will also be available for pickup at CHA located at 899 North Capitol Street, NE, on the 3rd Floor.

The Request for Application (RFA) submission deadline is 4:45 pm Monday, July 15, 2013. The Pre-Application conference will be held in the District of Columbia at 899 North Capitol Street, NE, 3rd Floor Conference Room, Washington, DC 20002, **on Thursday, June 27, 2013, from 10:00am – 12:30pm.**

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