

April 19, 2024

Question 1. If awarded the Administrator grant, can that same agency still qualify to receive NCPEP program funds or be contracted to provide NCPEP services?

Answer: The Administrator may submit an application for NCPEP program funds.

Question 2. How stringent is the five-year NCPEP experience requirement?

Answer: The five-year experience is not a disqualifier. Organizations should indicate the number of years of experience that they do have and describe that experience.

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Question 3. Who will hold the NCPEP Program Funds for disbursement - FloridaCommerce or the NCPEP Administrator?

Answer: FloridaCommerce.

Question 4. Who pays for the audit and monitoring? Does it come out of the Administrator budget?

Answer: The Administrator.

Question 5. Does the compliance monitoring include both program and financial monitoring?

Answer: Yes.

Question 6. Is there a minimum number of NCPEP Program recipient files expected to be reviewed on the audit?

Answer: No.

Question 7. Is the NCPEP Program awards open only to LWDB [local workforce development board] or a combination of LWDBs and contractors?

Answer: The program awards will be open to LWDBs as well as other eligible entities.

Question 8. What is the total amount of NCPEP Program funds that will be available for awards and the minimum and maximum of each award?

Answer: The total amount of NCPEP program funds is \$6,550,000. There is no minimum or maximum for program awards. The maximum award for the Administrator is \$500,000.

Question 9. What is the number of projected NCPEP Program recipients?

Answer: There is no projected number of NCPEP Program recipients.

Question 10. What is the projected number of clients served per NCPEP Program recipient award (dollar to service ratio)?

Answer: This is based on several factors including the budget of each grantee, where they are located in the state, and what, if any, supportive services are offered.

Question 11. What is the timeline for the request for applications, screening, and awards?

Answer: The goal is to award Administrator funds by July 1, 2024.

Question 12. Are the NCPEP Program grants one-year or multiple year grants? What about the Administrator award?

Answer: The awards are for one year but they have the potential to be extended or renewed.

Question 13. Are the NCPEP Program grant recipients paid under a cost-reimbursement contract? Will service providers submit monthly invoices along with their backup invoices and payroll registers to back up invoice/requests?

Answer: Current awards have been cost-reimbursable. The program grant recipients will be required to submit monthly invoices as well as supporting documentation to the Administrator for review and approval.