Fiscal Year 2023 Students in the Care of DC Out of School Time Coordinating Entity Questions & Answers

Q1. Who selects the subgrantees for this program?
   A. The subgrantees will be selected by the Coordinating Entity in collaboration and consultation with the Office for Students in the Care of DC (SCDC), the Department of Corrections (DOC) and the Department of Youth Rehabilitative Services (DYRS).

Q2. Will the recorded Grant Information Session be accessible?
   A. The recorded Grant Information Session can be found on the Learn24 website under Service Providers/Funding Opportunities here.

Q3. Will the Coordinating Entity have to manage a process for selecting the subgrantees?
   A. The Coordinating Entity will manage the process for selecting subgrantees in collaboration and consultation with the Office for Students in the Care of DC (SCDC), the Department of Corrections (DOC) and the Department of Youth Rehabilitative Services (DYRS).

Q4. Is the 60 youth a day to be broken into groups of 15?
   A. All programming must be delivered with an adult to youth ratio of not more than 1:15. The Coordinating Entity will ensure that all programming meets the adult to youth ratio requirement and that all programming is also in compliance with any additional safety and security procedures as required by the Department of Corrections (DOC) and the Department of Youth Rehabilitative Services (DYRS).

Q5. Will all of the services be provided inside of a District government facility?
   A. Yes.

Q6. Is there any flexibility on the insurance requirements related to this grant, specifically, the requirement regarding the auto insurance policy and commercial umbrella?

   In the case of the auto policy it seems like this would better be applied to the subgrantee in the event they were transporting youth. The commercial umbrella policy is also high for a nonprofit that would NOT be providing direct service.

   A. The Office of Risk Management (ORM) will make all decisions regarding insurance coverage. Grantees will have an opportunity to meet with ORM to discuss required coverages. Subgrantees should also have all necessary insurance in place.

Q8. Has this grant been done before or is this a new grant opportunity?
   A. This grant competition has not been awarded previously.

Q9. Is this a multi-year opportunity or is it only for one year?
   A. This is a one-year grant opportunity with the potential for an additional year of continuation funding.

Q10. If an organization is interested in being considered as a subcontractor for this grant, what are the next steps necessary?
    A. If an organization is interested in being considered as a subcontractor for the SCDC Coordinating Entity grant they should send an email to RFA.SY22-23@dc.gov to be added to the list of potential subcontractors that may be considered upon confirmation of the Coordinating Entity grantee.