

RFA 9100 CG0001 Community Youth Development (CYD)

Official Questions and Answers

All questions should be directed to the RFA Authorized Contact Person: Cynthia Gamez at CYDInfo@austintexas.gov or in the Partnergrants database no later than July 1, 2021 at 12 PM CST.

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Questions	Answers
We only serve individuals with intellectual developmental disabilities. Would that disqualify us from this funding?	No. The eligible population requirements are described below: 1. Applicant will serve Youth ages 6-17 and their families who live in or attend public school in the 78744 ZIP Code(s) or attend school at a public middle or high school located outside of the 78744 ZIP Code(s) that has at least 30% enrollment from the ZIP Code(s.) 2. The target age range for Youth served is 10 - 17 years. Youth under age 6 are not eligible for CYD. Youth served from ages 6-9 cannot exceed 30% of the Performance Measure for annual unduplicated Youth served.
Can we use City of Austin Parks and Recreation facilities to deliver services?	Applicants may deliver services in the location that best meets the needs of the applicant's program service. Applicants can contact the Parks and Recreation Department (PARC) to develop an agreement for use of PARC facilities.
If we serve 30% of youth 6-9 yrs of age, will that impact the RFA Score?	The evaluation factors are based on serving the minimum threshold for each program service. Ages of youth served do not impact the score unless the applicant proposes to serve more than 30% of youth 6-9 yrs of age. We cannot serve more than 30% of youth in this age range under this grant funding.
Are the survey results that determine the needs that define this proposal available for public viewing?	The current Community Strengths and Needs Assessment (CSNA) has been added to PartnerGrants weblinks and the RFA website under "Other Documents for Applicants". Here is the link. FY20 CSNA
Is there a definition of what constitutes services that "directly" prevent juvenile delinquency? Or, do they just need to directly address the 5 risk factors mentioned.	Applicants should submit proposals using one or a combination of the approved program services under this RFA. These are Youth Leadership Development, Youth Based Curriculum Class or Activity, and Mentoring. The 5 protective factors [(1) Family bonding/communication, (2) School Involvement, (3) Individual self-esteem/efficacy, (4) Positive peer association, and (5) Community involvement] are linked to reduction of juvenile delinquency and should be considered as part of the application proposal.
I will be applying for the RFA 9100 CG0001 Community Youth Development 2021 grant and I'm trying to see how to submit the threshold release form prior to filling out the application. Please let me know where I can	Interested applicants need to register as a user in the Partnergrants system, go to the Partnergrants website and click on "Register Here." The Threshold Review Form is under the RFA 9100 CG0001 Community Youth Development 2021

find this.	opportunity. The threshold review form is due June 14th, 2021 by 11:59pm CST.
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