



Proof Alliance

Preventing fetal alcohol spectrum disorders
and supporting all impacted

Family-Centered Long-Term Recovery Supports Grant Application FAQs

1. What is the focus area of the grant?

The purpose of this grant is to provide long-term services to pregnant and parenting women known who use alcohol and other drugs. The priority focus area is for women with histories of alcohol use disorders. The women served by these funds must be either pregnant or currently parenting children. These services will prevent fetal alcohol spectrum disorders (FASD) and increase the number of toxic-free babies born.

2. What is the total amount of funding available for the Recovery Supports grants?

During year 1 (through June 30, 2022), there is \$193,351 available.

In year 2 (July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023) there is \$660,578 available.

3. How many grants do you plan on awarding?

We expect to award 3 grants.

4. What is the amount of funding that will be awarded to each grant recipient?

It depends on a variety of factors, such as the applicant's level of readiness, the scope of the regional collaborative, and the number of women served during the grant period.

5. What is the definition of long-term services?

The long-term services must be a minimum of one year, although it is preferred that the services continue beyond one year.

6. What is a regional collaborative?

A regional collaborative must be a partnership between at least one local government and at least one community-based organization, and a family home visiting program when available. A local government includes a county or multicounty organization, a tribal government, a county-based purchasing entity, or a community health board. A regional collaborative is required for this grant.

7. Can we apply for a grant if we have received a grant from Proof Alliance in the past?

Yes, all past and current grantees are eligible to apply.

8. Can we apply for multiple grants during the same period?

Yes, an agency may apply for a Family-Centered Long-Term Recovery Supports Grant, a Community Grant, and any other Proof Alliance grant during the same year.

9. Must our organization be located in Minnesota?

The organization may have a physical location outside of Minnesota, but it must serve individuals living in Minnesota. Grant funds are restricted to serving Minnesota residents. Priority will be given to organizations serving underserved communities.

10. Can an organization apply for funds for training on FASD?

No, the funds available are for providing services to the target population. Required training opportunities on a variety of topics including FASD will be provided throughout the grant period.

11. What indirect costs are allowable for this grant?

The indirect costs that are allowable are identified within the budget form and include costs such as:

- Fringe benefits: services or benefits provided to employees (e.g., health insurance, payroll taxes, pension contribution)
- Space costs: facility costs (rent, heat, electricity, etc.)

12. How do I apply for funding?

Grant proposals must be submitted by 5:00 pm on **May 23, 2022** to ensure consideration. Due to staff working remotely, we are only accepting electronic copies. To submit electronically, email the proposal to sarah.brown@proofalliance.org. Make sure to include all items listed in the proposal checklist. If some documents are very large, the grant proposal can be sent using multiple emails and/or compressed zip files.

If you have additional questions, you can contact Sarah Brown at sarah.brown@proofalliance.org or 651-917-2370.