

RDU/Component: Human Services Community Matching Grant

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Contribution to Department's Mission

Provide funds to municipalities under Alaska Statute 29.60.600.

Core Services

- AS 29.60.600 authorizes the department to make grants to qualified municipalities. Services from municipalities include, but are not limited to, the following: substance abuse treatment, mental health services, food and shelter for the low income, sexual assault shelters, domestic violence treatment, runaway shelters, health services for low-income housing and rehabilitation for the physically and mentally ill. These services are purchased through contracts with non-profit sub-grantee agencies.

Major Component Accomplishments in 2018Fairbanks North Star Borough Sub-grantees:

Alaska Legal Services
American Lung Association of Mountain Pacific
Big Brothers Big Sisters
Interior Community Health Center
North Star Council on Aging
Fairbanks Community Food Bank
Alzheimer's of Alaska
Interior Aids Association
Love in the Name of Christ Tanana Valley
No Limits, Inc.
Resource Center Parents Children
Literacy Council

Municipality of Anchorage Sub-grantees:

Catholic Social Services – St. Francis House
Bean's Café
Catholic Social Services – Brother Francis Shelter – Food Pantry
Abused Women's Aid in Crisis
Catholic Social Services – Clare House
Food Bank of Alaska
Alzheimer's Disease Resource Agency of Alaska, Inc.
AK Institute for Justice
Covenant House

Matching Programs:

Providence Alaska Medical Center (PAMC) Sexual Assault Response Team (SART)

Mat-Su Borough Sub-grantees:

Access Alaska
Alaska Legal Services Corporation
American Red Cross
Boys and Girls Club
Catholic Community Services Early Learning
Matanuska Community Health Care (Children's Place)
Mat-Su Services for Children and Adults, Inc.
Mat Su Youth Housing (My House)
Nugen's Ranch (Alaska Addiction Rehab Services)

Palmer Senior Citizen's Center
Wasilla Area Seniors, Inc.

Key Component Challenges

To obtain services within Alaskan municipalities to provide essential human and health services to prevent serious mental or physical hardship to individuals.

Significant Changes in Results to be Delivered in FY2020

Programs will finalize their transition to outcomes evaluation utilizing a Logic Model to manage and report outcomes of success. Performance measures will be coordinated with those divisions who fund the department programs in which this grant enhances. Efforts to work across division lines when services intersect with other services supported by the department will continue.

Statutory and Regulatory Authority

AS 29.60.600-.650 Human Services Community Matching Grants.

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RDU/Component: Community Initiative Matching Grants (non-statutory grants)

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Contribution to Department's Mission

Provide essential human services to communities throughout the state that are ineligible for Human Services Community Matching Grant funds. Additional preference points were available to those organizations who proposed services that met Department of Health and Social Services definition of "essential".

Major Component Accomplishments in 2018

List of Grantees include:

First City Homeless Services
Juneau Cooperative Christian Ministry (The Glory Hole)
Aiding Women in Abuse and Rape Emergencies, Inc. (AWARE)
Brother Francis Shelter, Kodiak
Alaska Legal Services (Bethel Area)
Alaska Legal Services (Juneau Area)
Alaska Legal Services (Kenai Area)
Alaska Legal Services (Dillingham Area)
Bethel Winter Shelter Lions Club
Bristol Bay Native Association
Copper River Native Association
Nome Emergency Shelter Team (NEST)
Nome Community Center
Independent Living Center-Homer
Kenaitze Indian Tribe
Southeast Alaska Independent Living, Inc. (SAIL)
Women in Safe Homes
Native Village of Unalakleet
Maniilaq Association
Copper River Native Association
Palmer Senior Citizens Center, Inc.

Services provided through these programs support Alaska's most vulnerable population. The homelessness, hungry, and destitute depend on these services to remain alive and safe. These services are of the most basic type where sometimes the goal is to simply keep someone from freezing to death.

Key Component Challenges

To obtain essential human and health services whose unavailability would subject persons needing the services to serious mental or physical hardship.

Significant Changes in Results to be Delivered in FY2020

Programs will continue to evaluate outcomes utilizing a Logic Model to manage and report outcomes of success. Performance measures will be coordinated with those divisions who fund the department programs in which this grant enhances. Efforts to work across division lines when services intersect with other services supported by the department will continue.

Statutory and Regulatory Authority

No statutes and regulations.