Virginia Partners in Prayer & Prevention Disparities Grant Information Webinar Cohort IV Frequently Asked Questions (FAQ) 2022

Application/RFA

Application due date
August 11, 2022, by 5:00 PM ET. Applications received after will not be considered.

eVA - RFA Online Application Link:
[Request for Application (RFA) 2022-03-OHE](#)

What is the link for the eVA Registration?
https://eva.virginia.gov/register-now.html

Will the informational webinar recording be available?
Virginia Partners in Prayer & Prevention Disparities Grant Recording:
Recording Link: https://youtu.be/KFIRVkB210o

Will the informational webinar PowerPoint be available?
Click here to visit our VDH OHE Virginia Partners in Prayer & Prevention Disparities Grant page. You will find past Information Session recordings and VAP3 Disparities Grant Session PowerPoint.

Applications can be submitted by mail, in person, and or via RedCAP
(No applications will be accepted by email or fax)
- IN-PERSON APPLICATIONS: must be received by a VDH VAP3 staff member
- APPLICATIONS CAN BE RECEIVED BY REDCAP:
  https://redcap.vdh.virginia.gov/redcap/surveys/?s=Y8N8DX8F9T

Please refer to the RFA for further guidance on submitting your application. Applications have to be received by Thursday, April 11, 2022, 5:00 PM EST

What is the mailing address for applications?

Virginia Department of Health, Office of Health Equity
ATTN: Veronica Cosby
109 Governor Street, 7th Floor
Richmond, VA 23219

Hard Copy (Printed) Application Submission: The application and all required forms and attachments shall be provided with Six (6) hard copies (printed), one marked Original, for a total of six (6) copies with the RFA number and the name of the applicant organization.

Eligibility

Where can I register for a UEI for the W9 form? Is the UEI required?
UEI Registration is available at SAM.gov. The UEI is not required for this application submission.

Note: EVA Registration is Required for this application. Applicants must be registered with EVA prior to their application submission. You will be required to provide your EVA Registration ID.

Funding

Is this grant reimbursement only?
Disbursement of funds will follow a cost reimbursement procedure and will be for actual funds expended.

Reference page 18 of the RFA for further guidance on reimbursements.

Reporting

How will we submit our quarterly reports?
You will submit quarterly reports via REDcap. These reports will be required and used to capture progress for sub-recipients (grantee) activities.

Will there be a preprinted form, with specific criteria that needs to be reported, for the quarterly reports?
No, preprinted form will be provided. Quarterly reports will be submitted only and through RedCap a pre-formatted report to fill out.

Strategies, Activities, and Outcomes

Can a religious org/house of worship propose a community-based project in collaboration with a local hospital (that does not provide clinical care). For example, rural hospitals serve disadvantaged rural communities. Could a religious org/house of worship propose a health education series that includes speakers from the local rural hospital?

FBOs are able to partner with hospitals for project programming and initiatives.

Could you perhaps give a couple examples of covid-19 related health disparities?

Scope of Work/Services (Strategies and Activities)
This grant program will address COVID-19-related health disparities and advance health equity by expanding state, local, US territorial and freely associated state health department capacity and services to prevent and control COVID-19 infection (or transmission) among populations at higher risk and that are underserved, including racial and ethnic minority groups and people living in rural communities. All strategies should aim to build infrastructures that both address disparities in the current COVID-19 pandemic and set the foundation to address future responses.

Activity Focus

- Testing
- Quarantine and Isolation
- Vaccine access
- Culturally appropriate messaging
- Community capacity/ engagement/outreach
- Programs/services/re sources
- Preventive care and disease management
- SDOH - Social Determinants of Health
- Health education
- Addressing mistrust or hesitancy

Activity Examples
- Community Health Improvement
- Health, Wellness & Prevention Programming
- Hosting vaccine events
- Outreach & Engagement
- Transportation Support
- Other - Activities are not limited to this listing

Would providing mental health services/resources be covered under this grant?

Clinical services, costs which offset counseling fees, client cost and/or billable services.are not covered through this funding..