

# 2017 WA Dedicated Marijuana Account (DMA) Community-based Organization (CBO) Grant RFA RFA #18/19-004

## Questions and Answers

**June 23, 2017**

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**Q:** Is the due date July 21<sup>st</sup>? I saw the 14<sup>th</sup> listed on page 8.

**A:** The due date for RFA #18/19-004 is July 21<sup>st</sup>, 2017. There was a typo for RFA #18/19-008 on page 8 under the Submission of Application section that had mistakenly stated the due date was July 14<sup>th</sup>, instead of July 21<sup>st</sup>. That mistake was corrected earlier this week.

**Q:** Can you clarify how to earn 2 bonus points under point (i) on page 11?

**A:** The 2 bonus points under point (i) on page 11 are for applications that show collaboration with community coalitions for high-needs communities. This would be demonstrated by answering question 6a and 6c of the Project Narrative in Appendix B. Question 6d would qualify you for the up to 4 priority bonus points for submitting one or more coalition letters of support with your application.

**Q:** Is the funding level (i.e. \$100,000) per year, or per biennium?

**A:** The RFA states “DSHS/DBHR intends to award ten (10) to fifteen (15) contracts to local CBOs, governments, or public agencies to serve high-need communities in Washington State, and will grant up to \$20,000 per proposal that will serve a single community and/or up to \$100,000 for proposal(s) that serve multiple communities on an annual basis.” Funding from the legislature for these programs are appropriated by fiscal year.

**Q:** Does the list of Priority High Needs Communities represent the only communities (or entities that serve those communities) eligible for grant funding?

**A:** No, all CBOs may apply. Priority scoring will be given to CBOs serving the Priority High-needs communities. See page 5 for details.

**June 29, 2017**

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**Q:** Do the eligible high need communities take precedence over established CPWI sites?

**A:** Priority high-needs communities listed on page 6 are eligible for priority bonus points. CPWI communities are not included on the priority high-needs communities list. All CBO applicants are eligible to receive priority bonus points for collaborating with CPWI communities, and for providing a letter of support (see Scoring Criteria section on pages 9-11 for more detail).

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# Questions and Answers

**July 7, 2017**

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**Q:** If we are doing a mentoring project something was mentioned about going on Mentoring Works and do some type of self-assessment. Could you please tell me where it is and also do we need to complete it before applying?

**A:** All community-based mentoring programs applicants must complete a Mentoring Works Washington (MWW) program survey prior to application submission. The survey can be found at this link:

<https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/X8TSJHR>.