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NOTICE OF FUNDING AVAILABILITY

Funding Agency:	New Mexico Indian Affairs Department (“IAD”)
Opportunity Title:	Behavioral Health Services Grant
Total Funding Available:	\$1,000,000.00
Application Open Date:	July 1, 2024
Preference Priority Date:	July 15, 2024 at 5:00PM MST
Application Close Date:	Continuous until funding is expended
Period of Performance:	Date of executed agreement to June 30, 2025
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BACKGROUND

During the 2024 Legislative Session, IAD received an extension to expend general funds appropriated to support the expansion of Tribal Serving Healthcare and Behavioral Health Services in the State during the 2025 Fiscal Year (July 1, 2024 - June 30, 2025).

PURPOSE

IAD has \$1,000,000.00 available for the expansion of tribal-serving mental and behavioral health resources and services including outreach, training, and collaboration. Eligible projects are encouraged to build upon tribal capacity and implement culturally appropriate resources that expand or enhance current services that will benefit Nations, Pueblos and Tribes (“NPT”) in New Mexico. The outcome or impact of the project should have a measurable change or enhancement to the overall physical and mental well-being of the community served.

APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS

IAD has established the following application requirements for NPTs for this funding:

1. Complete the attached Behavioral Health Services Grant Application.
2. Applications must identify and address how the NPT will use the funds to expand

behavioral health services and how the expansion of services will benefit their tribal communities and Native American people in New Mexico.

3. Applications must specify how they intend to expend awarded funds by June 30, 2025.
4. Applications must include an itemized budget.
5. Applications must include a letter of support from their Tribal Leadership.
6. **Capital projects will not be considered.**

APPLICATION REVIEW CRITERIA

Applications will be evaluated on their direct benefits to NPTs in New Mexico by and meeting the criteria listed below:

1. Demonstrates a thorough understanding of the tribal population to be served and the needs of this population that the project will benefit. Projects should include existing data and information that supports the applications for funding.
2. Provides an organized plan for the grant to implement or enhance existing programs.
3. Provides a budget with justification related to the project plan.
4. Project timeline and budgetary obligations meets Period of Performance.

DELIVERABLES

Upon award, grantees will be required to fulfill the following deliverables:

- Participate in at least one site visit and a quarterly progress call with a program monitor from IAD.
- Ensure project funds are expended by June 30, 2025.
- Submit quarterly reports detailing the progress and outcomes of the program. Quarterly reports should include information regarding the progress on the project and if necessary, how IAD can support the grantee in expending all funds.
- Submit requests for reimbursement with detailed invoices, receipts, and other supporting documentation on a monthly basis. Please note that purchases or expenditures made before the date of the IAD Purchase Order will not be reimbursed.
- Submit a final report which includes an assessment of the stated need, impact made by grant funds, and challenges met during the project.

APPLICATION SUBMISSION INSTRUCTIONS

Please submit all completed applications and supporting documents electronically to seth.damon@iad.nm.gov. For any questions, contact Deputy Seth Damon, at the same email address.