



AGREEMENT FOR PURCHASE OF SERVICES
Strategic Innovation Opportunity
Increasing Provider Confidence in Addressing Perinatal Distress

THIS AGREEMENT dated the _____ day of _____, 2020 is made between Boone County, Missouri, a political subdivision of the State of Missouri through the Boone County Commission, on behalf of the Boone County Children’s Services Board, herein “**BCCSB**” and **City of Columbia**, a tax-exempt, not organized for profit organization or governmental entity, hereinafter referred to as **City of Columbia**.

WHEREAS, the BCCSB, under the provisions of 67.1775 and 210.861 of the Revised Statutes of Missouri, has the right to expend monies from the Children’s Services Fund (CSF) for the purposes of funding services to children and youth 19 years of age and younger, and their families residing in Boone County; and

WHEREAS, City of Columbia has submitted a complete Strategic Innovation Opportunity Proposal Application to the BCCSB detailing the services and other supports to be provided along with the expected cost to City of Columbia thereof; and

WHEREAS, the BCCSB has approved the Strategic Innovation Opportunity Proposal in whole or in part as hereinafter set forth.

IN CONSIDERATION of the parties’ performance of the respective obligations contained herein, the parties agree as follows:

FUNDING ALLOCATION FOR SERVICES RENDERED BY CITY OF COLUMBIA

City of Columbia is expected to the greatest extent possible to maximize funding from all other sources. City of Columbia shall periodically, upon request, furnish to the BCCSB information as to its efforts to obtain such other sources of funding. City of Columbia shall only request reimbursement for services not reimbursable by any other source. City of Columbia shall not invoice the Children’s Services Fund for units of service invoiced to another funding source. City of Columbia shall provide documentation and assurance to the BCCSB that requests for reimbursement from the CSF is not a duplication of reimbursement from any other source of funding.

1. **BCCSB Funding Policy**. The BCCSB Funding Policy is to be taken as part of this formal contract and is incorporated as if fully set forth herein.

2. **Contract Documents.** This agreement shall consist of this BCCSB Agreement, the application for **City of Columbia** as described in the Strategic Innovation Opportunity Proposal Application, and responses to Request for Clarification. All such documents shall constitute the contract documents, which are attached hereto and incorporated herein for reference. In the event of conflict between any of the attached documents, the terms conditions, provisions, and requirements contained in this BCCSB Agreement shall prevail and control.

3. **Purchase.** The BCCSB agrees to purchase from City of Columbia and City of Columbia agrees to furnish the **Increasing Provider Confidence in Addressing Perinatal Distress** training program for service providers of children and youth nineteen years of age or less and their families, as described and in compliance with the Strategic Innovation Opportunity Proposal Application and as presented in **City of Columbia's** response. Services/deliverables shall be provided as outlined in the attached proposal response(s). The total allowable compensation under this agreement shall not exceed **\$19,925.00** unless compensation for specific identified additional services is authorized and approved by BCCSB in writing in advance of rendition of such services for which additional compensation is requested.

4. **Contract Duration.** This agreement shall commence on the date of contract execution and extend through the completion of described training program.

5. **Billing and Payment.** For the Purchase of Service Contract, the unit rate for services is the mutually agreed upon unit rate as provided in the table below.

| Service Description | Unit Measurement | Unit Rate | Proposed # of Units | Total Amount Requested |
|----------------------------------|------------------|-----------|---------------------|------------------------|
| Scholarship (Two-Day Training) | 1 scholarship | \$375.00 | 35 | \$13,125.00 |
| Scholarship (Day Three Training) | 1 scholarship | \$200.00 | 34 | \$6,800.00 |

All billing shall be invoiced to BCCSB by the 10th of the month following the month for which services were provided. The BCCSB agrees to pay all monthly statements within thirty days of receipt of a correct and valid invoice/monthly statement. In the event of a billing dispute, the BCCSB reserves the right to withhold payment on the disputed amount; in the event the billing dispute is resolved in favor of City of Columbia, the BCCSB agrees to pay interest at a rate of 9% per annum on disputed amounts withheld commencing from the last date that payment was due.

6. **Availability of Funds.** Payments under this contract are dependent upon the availability of funds or as otherwise determined by the BCCSB. This contract can be terminated if funding becomes unavailable in whole or in part for cause shown, and the BCCSB shall have no obligation to continue payment.

REPORTING, MONITORING, AND MODIFICATION

7. **Reporting.** The BCCSB shall utilize the Strategic Innovation Opportunity Application and responses to the Requests for Clarification as submitted by City of Columbia to monitor service delivery and program expenditures. City of Columbia agrees to submit to the BCCSB a report for the training provided including information on attendance, pre- and post-surveys, and data on whom the CSF provided scholarships to attend the training. This report is due no later than 30 days after the training has been held. Variations on this date may be requested by City of Columbia and, if so stipulated, are noted on this contract document. Payments may be withheld from City of Columbia if the report designated here is not submitted on time, until such time as the reports are filed and approved.

8. **Audits.** The City of Columbia also agrees to make available to the BCCSB a copy of its annual audit within four months after the close of the City of Columbia's fiscal year. The audit must be performed by an independent individual or firm licensed by the Missouri State Board of Accountancy. The audit is to include a complete accounting for funds covered by this agreement in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles. In addition, the BCCSB requires that the management report of any audit as it relates to BCCSB program activities be made available to BCCSB as part of the required audit. Payment may be withheld from the City of Columbia, if reports designated here are not made available upon request. Audits shall be uploaded to the Organization Profile in the Apricot System and continually kept up to date.

9. **Monitoring.** City of Columbia agrees to permit the BCCSB, the Director of the Community Services Department and any staff of the Community Services Department, or designee of the BCCSB to monitor, survey and inspect City of Columbia's services, activities, programs, and client records, to determine compliance and performance with this contract, except as prohibited by laws protecting client confidentiality. In addition, City of Columbia hereby agrees that, upon notice of forty-eight (48) hours, it will make available to the BCCSB or its designee(s) all records, facilities, and personnel, for auditing, inspection, and interviewing, to determine the status of service, activities and programs covered hereunder, expenditure of CSF funds and all other matters set forth in the contract.

10. **Modification or Amendment.** In the event City of Columbia requests to make any change, modification, or an amendment to funded services, one-time items, activities, and/or programs covered by this contract, a request of the proposed modification or amendment must be submitted in writing to the Director of Community Services to share with the BCCSB for approval. A board resolution from City of Columbia may be required with the request. For consideration of a request to modify or amend the contract, requests to the BCCSB must be submitted in writing at least two weeks prior to a regularly scheduled BCCSB meeting.

OTHER TERMS OF THIS CONTRACT

11. **Violation of Client Rights.** Any alleged case of a violation of a client's rights in a program funded through the Children's Services Fund shall be investigated in accordance with

City of Columbia's policies and procedures and in accordance with any local/state/federal regulations. City of Columbia agrees to notify the BCCSB through the Director of Community Services of any such incidents that have been reported to the appropriate governmental body and must also authorize the governmental body to notify the BCCSB of any substantiated allegations. City of Columbia must comply with Missouri law regarding confidentiality of client records.

12. **Discrimination.** City of Columbia will refrain from discrimination on the basis of race, color, religion, sex, national origin, ancestry, disability, age, sexual orientation, genetic information, and familial status and comply will applicable provisions of federal and state laws, county or municipal statutes or ordinances, which prohibit discrimination in employment and the delivery of services.

13. **CSF to be used for Services Provided.** City of Columbia agrees that the CSF funds shall be used exclusively for the provision of providers that serve Boone County children and youth 19 years of age or less and their families and for administrative costs directly related to City of Columbia's provision of such services.

14. **Accreditation/Licensure/Certifications.** City of Columbia must comply with all state/federal certification and licensing requirements and all applicable federal, state, and local laws and must remain in "good standing" with the applicable oversight entity.

15. **Conflict of Interest.** City of Columbia agrees that no member of its Board of Directors or its employees now has, or will in the future, have any conflict of interest between himself/herself and City of Columbia, and this shall include any transaction in which City of Columbia is a party, including the subject matter of this contract. Missouri law, as this term is used herein, shall define "Conflict of Interest".

16. **Subcontracts.** City of Columbia may enter into subcontracts for components of the contracted service as City of Columbia deems necessary within the terms of the contract. All such subcontracts require the written approval of the BCCSB or their designated representative. In performing all services under the resulting contract agreement, City of Columbia shall comply with all local, state, and federal laws. Any subcontractor shall be subject to the audit/monitoring requirements stated herein and all other conditions and requirements of this contract agreement.

17. **Employment of Unauthorized Aliens Prohibited.** City of Columbia agrees to comply with Missouri State Statute section 285.530 in that they shall not knowingly employ, hire for employment, or continue to employ an unauthorized alien to perform work within the state of Missouri. City of Columbia shall require each subcontractor to affirmatively state in its Agreement with the City of Columbia that the subcontractor shall not knowingly employ, hire for employment, or continue to employ an unauthorized alien to perform work within the state of Missouri. Provider shall also require each subcontractor to provide City of Columbia a sworn

affidavit under the penalty of perjury attesting to the fact that the subcontractor's employees are lawfully present in the United States.

18. **Litigation.** City of Columbia agrees that there is no litigation, claim, consent order, settlement agreement, investigation, challenge, or other proceeding pending or threatened against City of Columbia or any individual acting on the City of Columbia's behalf, including subcontractors, which seek to enjoin or prohibit City of Columbia from entering into this contract agreement of performing its obligations under this agreement.

19. **Board Ownership.** If City of Columbia ceases to be funded by the BCCSB or ceases to provide programs and services for Boone County children, youth, and their families, pursuant to this contract, all capital equipment, materials, and buildings purchased with CSF funds shall be returned to Boone County unless so otherwise approved by a majority vote of the BCCSB. In addition, if City of Columbia no longer uses capital equipment, materials, or buildings purchased with CSF funds for its original intent, City of Columbia will need BCCSB approval to re-direct the use of such.

20. **Failure to Perform/Default.** In the event City of Columbia, at any time, fails or refuses to perform according to the terms of this contract, as determined by the BCCSB, such failure or refusal shall constitute a default hereunder, and the BCCSB will be relieved of any further obligation to make payments to City of Columbia as set out herein. This contract will be terminated at the option of the BCCSB.

21. **Termination.** This Contract may be terminated, with or without cause, by either party upon thirty (30) days written notice to the other party. In addition, this agreement may be terminated by the BCCSB upon 15 days' advance written notice for any of the following reasons or under any of the following circumstances:

a. BCCSB may terminate this agreement due to material breach of any term or condition of this agreement, or

b. BCCSB may terminate this agreement if key personnel providing services are changed such that in the opinion of the BCCSB delivery of services are or will be delayed or impaired, or if services are otherwise not in conformity with proposal specification, or if services are deficient in quality in the sole judgment of BCCSB, or

c. BCCSB may terminate this agreement should City of Columbia fail substantially to perform in accordance with its terms through no fault of the party initiating the termination, or

d. If appropriations are not made available and budgeted for any calendar year to fund this agreement.

Upon receipt of notice of termination, City of Columbia shall make every effort to reduce or cancel outstanding commitments and shall incur no additional expenses. BCCSB shall reimburse the City of Columbia for outstanding expenses incurred up to the date of

termination, including noncancelable obligations and reasonable termination costs, but in no event, will such costs exceed the total funds presently allocated to this Contract.

22. Insurance Requirements. The **City of Columbia** shall not commence work under this contract until they have obtained all insurance required in this section and such insurance has been approved by the County. All policies shall be in amounts, form, and companies satisfactory to the County which must carry an A-6 or better rating as listed in the A.M. Best or equivalent rating guide.

a. Worker's Compensation and Employers' Liability Insurance: The **City of Columbia** shall take out and maintain during the life of this contract, Worker's Compensation and Employers' Liability Insurance for all their employees employed at the site of work, and in case any work is sublet, the **City of Columbia** shall require the subcontractor similarly to provide Worker's Compensation Insurance and Employers' Liability Insurance for all of the latter's employees unless such employees are covered by the protection afforded by **City of Columbia**.

Worker's Compensation and Employers' Liability Insurance coverage shall meet Missouri statutory limits. Employers' Liability limits shall be \$500,000.00 each employee, \$500,000.00 each accident, and \$500,000.00 policy limit.

b. Comprehensive General Liability Insurance: The **City of Columbia** shall take out and maintain during the life of this contract, such Comprehensive General Liability insurance as shall protect them from claims for damages for personal injury including accidental death, as well as from claims for property damages, which may arise from operations under this contract, whether such operations be by themselves or by anyone directly or indirectly employed by them. The amounts of insurance shall be not less than \$1,000,000.00 per limit for any one occurrence covering both bodily injury and property damage, including accidental death. If providing Comprehensive General Liability Insurance, then the Proof of Coverage of Insurance shall also be included. The **City of Columbia** shall furnish the County with Certificate(s) of Insurance which name the County of Boone – Missouri as additional insured in an amount as required in this contract and requiring a thirty (30) day mandatory written cancellation notice. In addition, such insurance shall be on an occurrence basis and shall remain in effect until such time as the County has made final acceptance of the project.

The **City of Columbia** shall provide the County with proof of Comprehensive General Liability and Property Damage Insurance with the County as additional insured, which shall protect the County against any and all claims which might arise as a result of the operations of the **City of Columbia** in fulfilling the terms of this contract during the life of the Contract. The minimum limit of such insurance will be \$1,000,000.00 per occurrence, combined single limits. Limits can be satisfied by using a combination of primary and excess coverages. Should any work be subcontracted, these limits will also apply. Coverage wording shall include hold harmless agreement as written below, subrogation waiver and protection against third party suits to further protect Boone County from liability belonging to the **City of Columbia**.

c. **Professional Liability Insurance:** The City of Columbia is required to carry Professional Liability Insurance with a limit of no less than \$1,000,000.00 and naming Boone County as additional insured.

d. **Commercial Automobile Liability:** The City of Columbia shall maintain during the life of this contract, Commercial Automobile Liability Insurance in the amount of not less than \$1,000,000.00 combined single limit for any one occurrence, covering both bodily injury, including accidental death, and property damage, to protect themselves from any and all claims arising from the use of the City of Columbia's own automobiles, teams and trucks; hired automobiles, teams and trucks; and both on and off the site of work.

23. **Indemnification.** To the extent permitted under Missouri law, the City of Columbia agrees to hold harmless, defend and indemnify the BCCSB, the County, its directors, agents, and employees from and against all claims arising by reason of any act or failure to act, negligent or otherwise, of the City of Columbia's services (meaning anyone, including but not limited to consultants having a contract with the City of Columbia or subcontractor for part of the services), or anyone directly or indirectly employed by the City of Columbia, or of anyone for whose acts the City of Columbia may be liable in connection with providing these services. This provision does not, however, require Contractor to indemnify, hold harmless, or defend the County of Boone from its negligence.

24. **Publicity by the City of Columbia.** City of Columbia shall notify the BCCSB of contact with the media regarding CSF funded programs or profiles of participants in CSF funded programs. City of Columbia will acknowledge the BCCSB as a funding source whenever publicizing CSF funded programs. City of Columbia will collaborate with the BCCSB to inform the community about the ways its tax dollars are being invested in services and supports. City of Columbia agrees to acknowledge the Children's Services Fund as a funding source on written and electronic publications including brochures, annual reports, and newsletters.

25. **Independence.** This contract does not create a partnership, joint venture, or any other form of joint relationship between the BCCSB and City of Columbia. The BCCSB does not recognize any of the City of Columbia's employees, agents, or volunteers as those of the BCCSB.

26. **Binding Effect.** This agreement shall be binding upon the parties hereto and their successors and assigns for so long as this agreement remains in full force and effect.

27. **Entire Agreement.** This agreement constitutes the entire agreement between the parties and supersedes any prior negotiations, written or verbal, and other proposal or contractual agreement. This agreement may only be amended by a signed writing executed with the same formality as this agreement.

28. **Record Retention Clause.** City of Columbia shall keep and maintain all records relating to this contract agreement sufficient to verify the delivery of services in accordance

**Certification Regarding
Debarment, Suspension, Ineligibility and Voluntary Exclusion
Lower Tier Covered Transactions**

This certification is required by the regulations implementing Executive Order 12549, Debarment and Suspension, 29 CFR Part 98 Section 98.510, Participants' responsibilities. The regulations were published as Part VII of the May 26, 1988, Federal Register (pages 19160-19211).

(BEFORE COMPLETING CERTIFICATION, READ INSTRUCTIONS FOR
CERTIFICATION)

- (1) The prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds certifies, by submission of this proposal, that neither it nor its principals are presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from participation in this transaction by any Federal department or agency.
- (2) Where the prospective recipient of Federal assistance funds is unable to certify to any of the statements in this certification, such prospective participant shall attach an explanation to this proposal.

Name and Title of Authorized Representative

Signature

Date

STATES SELF-INSURERS RISK RETENTION GROUP, INC.
222 South Ninth St Suite 2700
Minneapolis, MN 55402-3332
(612) 766-3000

CERTIFICATE OF INSURANCE

| Insured: City of Columbia, MO PO Box 6015 Columbia MO 65205 | This certificate is issued as a matter of information only and confers no rights upon the certificate holder. This certificate does not affirmatively or negatively amend, extend or alter the coverage afforded by the policy(ies) below. This certificate of insurance does not constitute a contract between the issuing insurer, authorized representative or producer, and the certificate holder. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| IMPORTANT: If the certificate holder is an Additional Insured, the policy(ies) must be endorsed. If Subrogation is waived, subject to the terms and conditions of the policy, certain policies may require an endorsement. A statement on this certificate does not confer rights to the certificate holder in lieu of such endorsement(s). | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Coverages: This is to certify that the policy(ies) of insurance listed below have been issued to the insured named above for the policy period indicated, notwithstanding any requirement term or condition of any contract or other document with respect to which this certificate may be issued or may pertain, the insurance afforded by the policy(ies) described herein is subject to all the terms, exclusions, and conditions of such policy(ies). Limits shown may have been reduced by paid claims. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| 3000030-3 | 10/1/2019 | 10/1/2020 | \$3,000,000 | \$10,000,000 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Public Entity Excess Liability including Error or Omission Liability Coverage. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Retroactive Date: | Occurrence Form Policy | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Description of Operations/Locations/Vehicles/Special Terms: Proof of insurance for city departmental activities. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Certificate Holder: | CANCELLATION: Should the above described policy be cancelled before the expiration date thereof, notice will be delivered according to policy provisions. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Self-Insured Retention: | Authorized Representative: <div style="text-align: center;">  _____ Signature </div> <div style="text-align: right;"> 9/26/2019 Date </div> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| \$500,000 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

THIS ENDORSEMENT CHANGES THE POLICY. PLEASE READ IT CAREFULLY.

**ADDITIONAL INSURED – DESIGNATED
PERSON OR ORGANIZATION**

This endorsement modifies insurance provided under the following:

COMMERCIAL GENERAL LIABILITY COVERAGE PART

SCHEDULE

| Name Of Additional Insured Person(s) Or Organization(s) |
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| The City of Columbia PO Box 6015 columbia, MO 65205 |
| Information required to complete this Schedule, if not shown above, will be shown in the Declarations. |

Section II – Who Is An Insured is amended to include as an additional insured the person(s) or organization(s) shown in the Schedule, but only with respect to liability for "bodily injury", "property damage" or "personal and advertising injury" caused, in whole or in part, by your acts or omissions or the acts or omissions of those acting on your behalf:

- A. In the performance of your ongoing operations; or
- B. In connection with your premises owned by or rented to you.

STRATEGIC INNOVATION OPPORTUNITY
CONCEPT PAPER COVER SHEET

Applicant Information

Organization Name: Columbia/Boone County Public Health and Human Services

Federal EIN Number: 43-6000810

Organization Type (choose one): tax-exempt/not-for-profit governmental

Address: 1005 W. Worley

City, State, Zip Code: Columbia, MO 65203

Name of Executive Director of Organization: Stephanie Browning

Telephone: 573-874-7769 Email Address: Laura.McCulloch@como.gov

Website: https://www.como.gov/health/

Project Information

Project Title: Increasing Provider Confidence in Addressing Perinatal Distress

Amount Requested: \$ 20,000 Total Project Cost: \$ 43,125

Are funds requested all or part of a required match for a grant? Yes No

Briefly describe how these funds will be used:

Funds will be used toward bringing PSI (Postpartum Support International) training to Boone County. The evidence-based two day training is focused on educating nurses, physicians, social workers, mental health providers, childbrith professionals, social support providers, or anyone that would like to assess or treat perinatal mood disorders. Training leads to certification.

Is there any other organization other than the applicant acting as a fiscal agent for this project?

Yes No We have applied for funding through Sage Therapeutics, and have not heard back yet.

If yes, please indicate the following:

Name of Fiscal Agent Organization: _____

Contact Person: _____ Telephone: _____

Name of Project Director (if different from Executive Director): _____

Project Director Title: _____

Telephone: _____ Email Address: _____

Increasing Provider Confidence in Addressing Perinatal Distress

Project Description

The proposed project would provide county-wide funding to providers that are interested in increasing their knowledge and/or confidence to treat and support parents experiencing perinatal distress. Perinatal distress encompasses any mood or anxiety disorder that occurs during pregnancy and up to one year postpartum. These disorders include depression, bipolar disorder, generalized anxiety disorder, panic disorder, social anxiety, obsessive compulsive disorder, and post-traumatic stress disorder.

Problem Project Addresses

National estimates report that 20 – 25% of mothers experience a perinatal mood disorder during pregnancy or during the postpartum period (National Perinatal Association) and an estimated 10% of partners experience postpartum depression. In Missouri, according to the PRAMS survey completed in 2015, 1 in 7 mothers experience symptoms of postpartum depression. The children of parents not treated for perinatal distress are at increased risk of developmental and mental health problems. Perinatal distress can result in a hostile and intrusive parenting style or a disengaged parenting style. In either scenario, the parent is not able to reliably and appropriately engage with their child. Over time, these parent-child interactions can lead to increased stress and anxiety in the child, which can interfere with brain development that may affect their ability to learn and put them at risk of emotional disorders (Harvard Center on the Developing Child). Increasing provider education to better serve families

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in our community who are experiencing perinatal distress will lead to improved mental health outcomes for parents and better mental and developmental outcomes for children.

The research shows that treatment is necessary for perinatal distress given the detrimental health outcomes. However, provider training for treating perinatal distress is not widely available and it is costly to receive the education and travel to the training. This leads to a shortage of providers ready to treat perinatal distress. A survey conducted through the University of Missouri and Columbia/Boone County Public Health and Human Services in January 2020 found that 88% of the 57 providers that completed the survey are at least slightly interested in attending training or receiving a certification in treating perinatal distress, and 47% were “very” or “extremely interested”. Providers that completed the survey included therapists, physicians, midwives, nurse practitioners. Organizations that participated included MU, Boone Hospital, Burrell, Lutheran Family and Children’s Services, Family Health Center, Counseling Associates, Brave, Ashland Family Counseling, and Tiger Pediatrics.

Proposed Project

Boone County Pregnancy and Postpartum Support requests funding for a two-day training through Postpartum Support International (PSI), with an optional third day of training in Advanced Perinatal Mental Health Psychotherapy for providers that would like to be certified through PSI. The PSI two-day training costs \$375, with the third day adding an additional \$200. This funding would be used toward scholarships for providers for whom this is cost-prohibitive.

Statutorily eligible service areas affected by this project include crisis intervention services for parents experiencing a severe mental episode that may include psychosis or

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suicidal ideation, psychological evaluations and professional counseling and therapy services for parents experiencing perinatal distress, and mental health screenings for anyone at risk of perinatal distress.

The Boone County Pregnancy and Postpartum Support Coalition reports that parents suffering from perinatal distress often wait up to two months for treatment. Many agencies that work with perinatal parents hesitate to provide screening because of lack of timely referral options for parents with a positive screen. The intent of this project is to increase the number of providers trained to treat perinatal distress in order to increase screening and access to treatment in Boone County.

Intended Outcomes

The target population for this project is multi-tiered. Ultimately, we hope to target anyone who is pregnant or gave birth to or adopted a child within the past year, and their partners. The expected outcome is improved support through increased screening, increased referrals to treatment, and improved treatment for perinatal distress. The immediate target population is providers that will be screening or providing treatment for parents. In the long-term, the children of parents experiencing perinatal distress will be targeted by this intervention through improved parent-child interactions as parents receive treatment.

Approximately 25% of Boone County residents (45,299 individuals) are women of childbearing age (15-44 years of age) and may be served by this project, along with their partners, at some point during their childbearing years (DHSS Population MICA). The effect will

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be cumulative when considering the benefits to partners, children, and the community at large in terms of productivity and engagement.

In the short-term, the outcome is an increase in the number of Boone County providers trained to treat perinatal distress. In the long-term, outcomes include an increase in organizations that screen for perinatal distress, an increase in providers providing treatment for perinatal distress, and an increase in parents receiving treatment for perinatal distress. Ultimately, the outcome of interest through this project is improved access to treatment for perinatal distress.

The training will be April 1-3, 2020 at Holiday Inn Express & Suites in Columbia, Missouri.

Description of Organization

Boone County Pregnancy and Postpartum Support is a community coalition comprised of individuals from various organizations. Our vision is “Supported parents today for healthy babies tomorrow”. The coalition was established in October 2018 after maternal mental health was identified as a priority area of concern in Boone County through the Maternal Child Health Needs Assessment completed in March 2018 through Columbia/Boone County Public Health and Human Services. This project is in line with the coalition’s overall goal of improving support and access to care for those with perinatal distress. The Boone County Pregnancy and Postpartum Support Coalition is comprised of 101 individuals representing a variety of organizations in Boone County as well as a few from the Callaway County Health Department. Additionally, several of these coalition members are members of subcommittees that are

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actively working to improve resources and referrals around perinatal distress and bringing training to Boone County to increase awareness and education of perinatal distress.

Project Sustainability

Sustainability of the project will be achieved through the inclusion of trained providers on a perinatal distress resource handout which will be distributed within organizations.

Through the dissemination of information regarding which providers can treat perinatal distress, we will be able to continue increasing the number of parents served.

Project Cost

Boone County Pregnancy and Postpartum Support requests \$20,000 in funding for the three-day PSI training. The minimum number of participants required for PSI to hold the training in Boone County is 75, which amounts to a total cost of \$43,125 if each participant chooses to complete the 3-day training. The funding would be used toward scholarships for Boone County providers that may otherwise not be able to attend the training. We have submitted a request for funds to Sage Therapeutics, and the Beacon of Hope foundation has mentioned interest in providing scholarships for rural Missouri providers that are outside of Boone County. At this time, we do not have donations or contributions toward the training.

Kristin Cummins

From: Kristin Cummins
Sent: Monday, February 24, 2020 11:28 AM
To: Laura McCulloch
Cc: Joanne Nelson
Subject: RE: SIO Proposal

You can take out the qualifier of being a non-profit. I didn't read your previous response clearly. We approve of the process you identified for providers to receive a scholarship.

Kristin Cummins

Program Specialist
Boone County Community Services Department
605 E. Walnut, Ste. A
Columbia, MO 65201
Phone: 573-886-4298
www.showmeboone.com/communityservices/

From: Laura McCulloch <Laura.McCulloch@como.gov>
Sent: Monday, February 24, 2020 11:25 AM
To: Kristin Cummins <KCummins@boonecountymo.org>
Cc: Joanne Nelson <JNelson@boonecountymo.org>
Subject: Re: SIO Proposal

Thank you, Kristin,
I don't think I can edit the flyers, but I will send them to PSI ASAP to include the log. One point of clarification - can the scholarship funds only be used for employees of nonprofit organizations?

On Mon, Feb 24, 2020 at 11:20 AM Kristin Cummins <KCummins@boonecountymo.org> wrote:

Laura,

Thank you for providing more information on how the scholarships. Please see the attached logo that must be included on the training flyers and any other promotional items. We request that the flyers include the following information:

“Scholarships are available for non-profit providers that serve Boone County children and families. Scholarships are made possible by the Boone County Children’s Services Fund.” Add any contact information.

Joanne also received an email for the Pregnancy and Postpartum Support Coalition and saw a few fliers promoting a training. Is this the same training that we will be funding scholarships for? If so, we will need you to send updated flyers with our logo ASAP.

I will have the contract to you by the end of the day. Thanks!

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From: Laura McCulloch <Laura.McCulloch@como.gov>
Sent: Friday, February 21, 2020 4:18 PM
To: Kristin Cummins <KCummins@boonecountymo.org>
Cc: Joanne Nelson <JNelson@boonecountymo.org>
Subject: Re: SIO Proposal

Hi Kristin,

I will wait to hear back before sending out the scholarship form to make sure you agree with the information I will be asking for. I'm hoping to start sending it out early next week.

Thank you!

On Fri, Feb 21, 2020 at 12:14 PM Laura McCulloch <Laura.McCulloch@como.gov> wrote:

Kristin,

I also wanted to ask if there is a logo we could include or who we should specify the funding is through? Thank you!

On Fri, Feb 21, 2020 at 11:39 AM Laura McCulloch <Laura.McCulloch@como.gov> wrote:

Hi Kristin,

We will be promoting the scholarship throughout the county through the coalition and partners. We will distribute an online form for those that are interested in the scholarship. We will have 2 levels of funding - one at 50% and one at 100. We will be asking if organizations serve families in Boone County and if they serve low-income families. If they are requesting the 100%, we will ask if they are a 501c3 and to provide justification for requesting the 100%.

Providers will then receive a code that will be entered directly into the PSI registration form online. PSI will invoice us for these discount codes.

Please let me know if you have any other questions! Thank you!

On Fri, Feb 21, 2020 at 8:14 AM Kristin Cummins <KCummins@boonecountymo.org> wrote:

Hi Laura,

The proposal explains that Children's Services Funds will be used toward scholarships for Boone County providers that otherwise may not be able to attend the trainings. Would a scholarship for the two day training consist of the full \$375 or a portion? And again, is the scholarship the full \$200 for the third day or a portion?

Can you also provide more information on how scholarships will be made available and the cost burden for a provider is determined?

I'm just trying to get clarification in order to determine how to set up invoicing for those receiving scholarships.

Thanks!

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From: Laura McCulloch <Laura.McCulloch@como.gov>

Sent: Thursday, February 20, 2020 3:58 PM

To: Joanne Nelson <JNelson@boonecountymo.org>

Cc: Kristin Cummins <KCummins@boonecountymo.org>

Subject: Re: SIO Proposal

Joanne,

That is so great to hear! Thank you!

On Thu, Feb 20, 2020 at 3:34 PM Joanne Nelson <JNelson@boonecountymo.org> wrote:

Laura,

I wanted to let you know that the Boone County Children's Services Fund has approved your Strategic Innovation Proposal for the "Increasing Provider Confidence in Addressing Perinatal Distress" for \$20,000. Kristin Cummins, the Program Specialist, will be working on the contract. We hope to have this to you at the beginning of next week. I have copied Kristin on this email so if you have any questions, feel free to contact either one of us.

Thank you,

Joanne Nelson

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