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PENNSYLVANIA COMMISSION ON CRIME AND DELINQUENCY

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Subject: Substance Abuse Education and Demand Reduction Category 1 Funds
To: Non-Profit Organizations
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Executive Director 

The Office of Justice Programs announces the availability of Substance Abuse Education and Demand Reduction (SAEDR) Category One funds.

The primary purpose of the 2022 Substance Abuse Education and Demand Reduction (SAEDR) funds is to fulfill the legislative requirements identified in Act 198 of 2002, as amended by Act 24 of 2003, and Act 36 of 2006, that establishes PCCD's responsibility for administration of the SAEDR Fund. These funds exist to support projects designed to educate the public about the dangers of substance abuse and/or reduce demand for these substances. The Act mandates the use of SAEDR funds to award grants in specifically defined categories to eligible organizations.

Funding is open to nonprofit organizations within the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania. Non-profit organizations may partner with a local government entity, including school districts, but are not required to do so.

Funding is available to provide research-based or evidence-based approaches to prevention, intervention, treatment, training, and education services to reduce substance use or to provide resources to assist families in accessing the services needed to reduce substance use behavior as well as strategies aimed at combating opioid/heroin overdoses.

Applications are due in PCCD's Egrants System by Friday, February 24, 2023. These 24-month awards will be presented for approval at the June 14, 2023 Commission meeting, and all projects will have a July 1, 2023 start date. For full application requirements, applicants are encouraged to read the narrative funding announcement and use it as a guide to complete their applications in the Egrants System.

We look forward to receiving applications under this funding opportunity, and the possibility to work with you in providing services to Pennsylvania's citizens.



2022 Substance Abuse Education and Demand Reduction (SAEDR) Category 1

Please Note: Applications are *only* accepted through PCCD's Egrants system. Applicants must register in Egrants prior to submitting an application. Applicants are strongly encouraged to familiarize themselves with the Egrants system and allow adequate time to prepare and submit an application.

Recommended [Egrants Agency Registration](#) Date:
2/1/2023

Recommended [Egrants User Registration](#) Date:
2/8/2023

Mandatory SAM Registration Deadline:
2/24/2023

[Federal Application Registration Process](#)

Mandatory Egrants Application Deadline:
2/24/23

This funding guideline contains information not appearing in the Egrants application. Applicants are advised to review this document and refer to it while completing your Egrants application.

PCCD staff may only respond to questions to clarify the funding announcement. Questions must be sent via email to: RA-PCCD-OJJDP@pa.gov with "2022 Substance Abuse Education and Demand Reduction (SAEDR) Category 1" in the subject line. All questions regarding this funding announcement must be received by close of business on **February 15, 2023. PCCD staff will post responses to questions, as they are received, on [PCCD's website](#). Select the appropriate funding announcement to view questions and answers.**

For any technical or system questions, contact and ask for the Egrants Help Desk at (717) 787-5887 or (800) 692-7292, or by emailing RA-eGrantsSupport@pa.gov.

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**Funding Stream: 2022 Substance Abuse Education and Demand Reduction (SAEDR)
Category 1**

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Funding Announcement Title: 2022 Substance Abuse Education and Demand Reduction (SAEDR) Category 1

Funding Stream: 2022 SAEDR Category 1

Submission Requirements for Applications:

- **Scoring** – All applications received will be [competitively reviewed and scored](#) based on the applicant's adherence to the funding announcement guidelines and timely submission in the PCCD Egrants system.
- **Due Date** – Applications must be submitted electronically through PCCD's Egrants system no later than 11:59 PM on **Friday, February 24, 2023**.
- **Technical Assistance** – Grant application and administrative guides can be accessed on [PCCD's website](#) under the Funding section. Applicants are strongly encouraged to review the application and administrative guides before calling the Egrants Help Desk for assistance. The Egrants Help Desk is available to assist with technical or system questions Monday through Friday until 4:00 PM and may be reached by calling (717) 787-5887 or (800) 692-7292, or by emailing RA-eGrantsSupport@pa.gov.
- **Egrants Submission** – An application submitted in Egrants by the deadline is not considered complete until PCCD has received the executed signature page, as well as any other required documents. Successful applications will be presented for consideration at the June 14, 2023 Commission meeting.
- **Administrative Rejection** – An application that does not meet all the listed requirements in this funding announcement may be administratively rejected.
 - Requesting more funds than the maximum amount permitted per application (budgets exceeding \$250,000). See Section 2: Funding Availability, for additional information.
 - Requesting items prohibited under Section 6: Ineligible Program Activities and Expenses.
 - Applying for more than one program in an application and/or submitting more than one application from a single applicant or for a single recipient agency. An agency may not serve as the applicant on one application and serve as the recipient agency on another application.
 - Applying to fund a continuation of an existing project. See Section 4: Eligible Applicants.
- **Corrections** – If PCCD returns an application for corrections, the final application (including all corrections and required documents) must be returned to and approved by PCCD for the requested funding to be awarded.
- **Non-supplantation** – Funding must not be used to supplant/replace state, federal, or local funds that would otherwise be available to provide for program-related services. PCCD funding is to be used in addition to other funds that are made available for services.
- **Keywords** – Applicants are required to select "Keywords" from the dropdown menu located on the Main Summary screen in Egrants. The required keywords are below. Applicants may also select other keywords that apply specifically to their application.

Keywords: SAEDR Category One; Evidence-Based; Research-Based; Substance Abuse Education and Prevention

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Office of Office of Justice Programs

1. Overview:

The Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency (PCCD) is now accepting applications for funding under the 2022 Substance Abuse Education and Demand Reduction (SAEDR), Categories 1, 2 and 3. The primary purpose of 2022 Substance Abuse Education and Demand Reduction (SAEDR), Categories 1, 2, and 3 is to fulfill the legislative requirements identified in Act 198 of 2002, as amended by Act 24 of 2003, and Act 36 of 2006, that establishes PCCD's responsibility for administration of the SAEDR Fund. These funds exist to support projects designed to educate the public about the dangers of substance abuse and/or reduce demand for these substances. The Act mandates the use of SAEDR funds to award grants in specifically defined categories to eligible organizations.

The goal of the SAEDR Category 1 funding is to provide research-based or evidence-based approaches to prevention, intervention, treatment, training, and education services to reduce substance use or to provide resources to assist families in accessing the services needed to reduce substance use behavior, as well as strategies aimed at combating opioid/heroin overdoses.

The objectives and anticipated impacts of programs vary by focus and include, but are not limited to:

- Increase the number of projects implemented by a county opioid task force or coalition;
- Increase the number of available services related to reducing substance use;
- Increase family engagement to reduce and eliminate negative behaviors;
- Improve adult and family decision-making regarding substance use; and
- Decrease substance misuse in the service area.

2. Funding Availability:

2022 Substance Abuse Education and Demand Reduction (SAEDR) Category 1 funds are being announced to support this initiative. Based on the availability of funding, PCCD expects to award SAEDR Category 1 grants with budgets not to exceed \$250,000 over the 2-year project period.

Award notices will be available in Egrants as soon as possible after the applications are approved.

PCCD is not liable for costs incurred prior to the official start date of the award.

3. Project Dates:

Contingent upon availability of funds, applications approved at the June 14, 2023 Commission meeting will be for 24-month projects and have a start date of July 1, 2023 and an end date of June 30, 2025.

4. Eligible Applicants:

Definitions:

- New Project: A program that has not previously been implemented by the applicant or recipient agency.

- Expansion: A program that the agency has implemented in the past and is proposing to serve new and/or additional target population(s)/community or geographical area(s).
- Continuation: Funding or sustaining an existing program or one that was previously implemented. Note: continuations are not eligible under this funding.

Eligibility for these funds is open to nonprofit organizations to support a new project or expansion of an existing project focusing on youth and/or adult communities. Nonprofit organizations may partner with governmental entities, including school districts, provided the nonprofit organization is the applicant. Governmental entities are not eligible to receive direct awards of SAEDR funds. Local school districts and other school entities (as defined in the PA School Code) are considered governmental entities and are therefore not eligible applicants for these funds. Nonprofit organizations may partner with governmental entities, including school districts, provided the nonprofit organization is the applicant agency.

Applications require current and active collaboration in prevention programming by both the applicant and recipient agency (if the applicant and recipient agency are not the same) and local community stakeholders. The application must include a description of the current collaboration efforts of the local nonprofit agency.

Applicants are strongly encouraged to work in concert with other substance abuse reduction efforts existing in the community to be served through this funding; however, they are not required to do so.

Applicant and recipient organizations must agree to collaborate with and accept technical assistance from the provider organization(s) PCCD designates. A statement agreeing to participate and collaborate with the assigned technical assistance provider(s) should be included in the Project Design and Implementation section of the application.

Applicants must be in good standing with PCCD to be eligible for these funds.¹ The applicant and recipient agencies' historical success in implementing PCCD-funded programs/initiatives that met their intended goals will be considered in the review process. Applicants are not required to have a prior funding history with PCCD to be eligible.

5. Eligible Program Activities and Expenses:

Funds for the proposed program must use a proven, researched, evidenced based approach and be identified in the clearinghouse database or other resource showing the program's status as a currently effective and accepted research or evidence-based program. *Appendix A* of this document includes a description of research and evidence-based programs and links to various program databases.

All expenses must be described in the Justification box located in the Egrants Budget Detail section. PCCD has approval of all final budgets.

6. Ineligible Program Activities and Expenses:

The following items, activities, program, practices, and/or objectives are not eligible for funding under any category and shall be administratively rejected:

- a. The continuation of an existing project;

¹ This may include, but is not limited to, compliance with PCCD program and fiscal reporting requirements, State and Federal funding guidelines, and acceptable risk rating as determined by PCCD.

- b. Routine supply purchases not integral to the implementation of the project;
- c. Funding personnel not shown to be directly integral to the program implementation;
- d. Food/refreshments at planning meetings;
- e. The provision of snacks/meals, refreshments for program participants unless it is an evidence or research-based program requirement;
- f. Land acquisition or construction;
- g. Requesting more funds than the maximum amount permitted per application, in a single year or in total;
- h. Applying for more than one program in an application and/or submitting more than one application from a single applicant or for a single recipient agency;
- i. Applying to fund project activities or component outside of the scope of the identified target audiences;
- j. Not meeting the eligibility applicants' criteria identified in Section 4.

7. Required Egrants Sections/Documents:

- a. Required Egrants Sections – All sections identified in Egrants are required. Applicants will not be able to submit their grant application in Egrants until all sections are marked as complete.
- b. Required Signed Documents for Applicants – A successful application must be accompanied by the following:
 - The executed Signature Page (page 2 of the application)
 - Letter(s) of support from relevant organizations or individuals
 - Letter(s) of commitment from partnering agency/agencies participating in the implementation of the project

8. Scoring:

Applicants must submit the requested information for each section specified below within the defined response fields provided in Egrants. Responses should not be duplicated in multiple sections.

The following application sections in Egrants have a point value associated with them and will be scored as described below:

a. Executive Summary

All applicants should fill out the following script and paste into the executive summary section:

The ___*name of applicant*___ is requesting \$_____ to [*provide a single sentence or two of what you are seeking to implement with your grant funding*].

These funds will be used for the following: [*provide bullet points of what the funds will be used for*].

Applicants must identify the eligible evidence/research-based program you are applying to fund. See appendix A for additional information about evidence/research-based programs

b. Budget Detail - Maximum of 15 points

In this section, the applicant must provide a reasonable and accurate budget that is directly related to the implementation of the proposed project. This includes providing justification explaining why funding the budgeted items, activities, and personnel are integral to the success of the project. This justification should show the relationship

between the budgeted expenditures and the proposed operation of the project. Budgets submitted with nonessential or excessive costs contained within will receive a deduction in scoring.

- Provide a comprehensive budget consisting of one complete budget for each year funding is being requested;
- Provide a clear and thorough description AND calculation for all requested costs, including salary and benefits;
- List each benefit as a separate line item (e.g., FICA taxes and health insurance should be listed separately);
- Adjust personnel hours and time dedicated if the project is offered on a part-time basis or is not offered the entire year;
- Budgets can include up to \$1,000 per year to defray the cost of up to two staff to attend the Commonwealth Prevention Alliance (CPA) Conference;
- Any costs deemed by PCCD to be nonessential to the success of the project may be removed;
- All costs must be shown as separate line items that include the computations used to arrive at those amounts.

After the competitive process is completed, successful applicants should expect PCCD staff to engage with them in finalizing budgets which could include a requirement for the elimination or addition of budgeted items or a change in the overall amount requested. Please refer to the PCCD Applicant's Manual for more information about eligible costs.

c. **Statement of Problem - Maximum of 20 points**

This section establishes the locally identified problem the applicant is seeking to address, and how the problem was identified.

- State the problem and how it was identified. Provide supporting data/facts/figures specific to the project and relevant to the problem and request. Include the most recent data available which is specific to the geographic area the project will serve and compare this data to other available state, local, and/or national data elements;
- Cite references and include supporting documentation where appropriate. Applicants may elect to consult and utilize data and information available via the resources below in addition to any other relevant and reliable data sources.
 - The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Administration [2019 National Survey of Drug Use and Health \(NSDUH\) Releases](#) page provides background regarding drug use nationally and includes a break-down of data by demographic characteristics (age, race, gender);
 - The [Philadelphia Division](#) page of the [United States Drug Enforcement Agency](#) site provides links to drug information, data and statistics, and publications;
 - [OpenDataPA](#) provides *estimations* of individuals with substance use disorder (not including alcohol use disorder) and overdose deaths by county. For the most recent data, refer to OverdoseFreePA, which is discussed below;
 - [The PA Department of Health Interactive Data Report](#) provides an interactive view of controlled substance prescribing and drug overdose trends at the state and county level;
 - The PA Opioid Overdose Reduction Technical Assistance Center's – [OverdoseFreePA](#) provides data and connections to training and local resources;

- [The Pennsylvania Youth Survey](#) (PAYS) provides information on school students in the 6th, 8th, 10th, and 12th grades to learn about their behavior, attitudes, and knowledge concerning alcohol, tobacco, other drugs, and violence.

d. **Project Design and Implementation - Maximum of 35 points**

This section shows the applicant has reviewed the program goals, objectives, and anticipated outcomes of the project and has established a plan to achieve anticipated outcomes. Address the following items in this section:

- Provide the name of the research-based or evidence-based program and briefly discuss the evidence behind it that shows it is considered evidence- or research-based. Include the sources for the evidence based or research-based determination. See appendix A for additional information related to evidence based or research-based programs;
- Describe the overall program and the specific components of the program that will be supported with grant funding;
- Specify how the chosen program will address the identified problem and demonstrate an understanding, assessment, and a consistency of the scope of effort and resources proposed;
- Describe the targeted geographic area, target population(s) the program will reach, and the number of individuals you anticipate reaching;
- If the project is an expansion, describe the program that the agency has implemented in the past and explain how the expansion will serve new and/or additional target population(s)/communities or geographical area(s). If this a new implementation, you should enter "New Program Implementation" in this section;
- Explain the implementation plan and methods to be used to accomplish the stated objectives. This description should include who will perform the work, what actions are proposed to accomplish these activities, and any other details necessary to clearly establish how this project will be implemented;
- Discuss how the proposed project supports an overall strategic plan or plans;
- Provide and discuss a timeline which includes descriptions of the activities to be completed and when;
- Describe internal quality assurance processes that will be used to monitor the implementation of this project;
- Describe the referral process to recruit participants;
- List the partner organizations necessary for the successful implementation of the program and discuss the specific roles of each organization. Identify plans for subcontracting any part of the project, including the roles each subcontractor will perform;
 - Applicants are required to attach, to the Required Attachments section, letters of commitment to the program from partner organizations integral to the implementation of the program, to the referral of individuals to the program, and/or the delivery of services by the program. Letters should be individualized, detailing specifically what the individual or organization is committed to do and the function they will perform to support the implementation of the program.

e. **Impacts and Outcomes - Maximum of 20 points**

This section establishes that the applicant has a clear understanding of the intent of the project and has a reasonable method to measure its success and impact, i.e. how will you know if you have been successful? Address the following in this section:

- Discuss the expected impact of the project;
- Discuss how the effects of the project will be assessed and how the overall impact will be gauged;
- Provide the performance measures specific to the program goals you intend to track and report on as part of subgrantee quarterly reporting (see Section 9 Performance Measures of the funding announcement);
- Describe the data collection procedures;
 - What data will be collected?
 - How and when will the data be collected?
 - Who will be responsible for the collection of the data?
 - How and by whom will the data be analyzed?
- How, when, and at what frequency will the program impact and outcomes be shared with collaborative boards, stakeholders, community members, and referral sources?
- How will fidelity to any program model(s) be monitored and evaluated?
 - What internal quality assurance processes will be used to monitor the implementation of this project?
 - What are the fidelity monitor's qualifications, specific to the program being implemented?

Applicants are required, within the Egrants application, to confirm they accept the requirement to work with the technical assistance provider(s) designated by PCCD during the grant period.

f. Sustainability - Maximum of 10 points

An integral part of the project implementation process is the understanding that planning for the sustainability of the program, beyond grant funding, is essential.

Applicants must address the following:

- Describe how the project will continue after grant funds expire;
- Identify sources of financial support you plan to work with to continue the program once grant funding expires, particularly if you have received a firm commitment from a funding source to provide sustainability funding;
- Provide commitments from key stakeholders necessary to successfully sustain the project. If these are not currently available, describe how these will be obtained. Letters of commitment showing support of sustainability through funding or other means, attached in the Required Attachments section of the application, will receive consideration as part of the Sustainability section.
- Identify the key individuals within your organization who are responsible for sustainability planning. Describe the specific steps these individuals will take to secure the necessary funding and community support needed to sustain the program.
- Describe any existing connections you have with stakeholders and how these organizations will assist in sustaining the program after grant funding ends. If you do not currently have these connections, discuss the efforts you will make to establish such connections.

9. Performance Measures:

Under this funding announcement, successful applicants are required to comply with all reporting, data collection, and evaluation requirements as prescribed by PCCD and federal or state guidelines. This includes the requirement of submitting quarterly program reports, including performance measures specific to the report period, and fiscal reports to PCCD via the Egrants system.

PCCD will provide successful applicants with basic performance measures appropriate to the funding initiative. These may include, but are not limited to:

- Number of programs for targeted population offered during the report period;
- Number of programs for targeted population completed during the report period;
- Number of prevention programs offered during the report period;
- Number of intervention programs offered during the report period;
- Number of new treatment programs offered during the report period; and
- Number of new education and training programs offered during the report period.

All applicants will be required to develop additional performance measures specifically relating to the activities outlined in their application and the goals of the project. Awarded applicants will work with their PCCD analyst to develop these measures and will be required to report them as part of the quarterly program report.

All successful applicants will be required to work with PCCD and/or the designated technical assistance provider in reviewing proposed measures and revise or augment them, when appropriate.

10. Competitive Bidding/Sole Source Procurement:

All procurement transactions shall be conducted in a manner that provides open and free competition. Grant recipients must follow the Procurement Standards section in PCCD's [Applicant's Manual](#).

Procurements by noncompetitive proposal are strongly discouraged and must demonstrate an economic benefit or lack of alternate resources to be justified. If a request is made, the prospective applicant must identify the request as a procurement by noncompetitive proposal and provide a substantial justification for the request within their funding request (See PCCD's [Applicant's Manual](#) for Procurement by Noncompetitive Proposal Approval Procedure).

11. Administrative Requirements:

a. Egrants Agency and User Registration:

Prior to submitting a grant application, both the applicant agency and at least two users from the applicant agency must be registered in Egrants. Applicants are strongly advised to allow adequate time to work on application documents in Egrants prior to the submission deadline. Please go to the [Registering in Egrants](#) page on PCCD's website for further information.

b. Fiscal Accountability:

See the [Fiscal Accountability](#) page on PCCD's website for further information.

c. Time and Effort Reporting:

See the [Time and Effort Reports](#) page on PCCD's website for further information.

d. Grant Payments:

- Payments will not be released until all applicable special conditions on the grant award have been satisfied.
- All grantees are required, at a minimum, to submit quarterly fiscal reports. PCCD will only make payments to reimburse actual expenditures reported on the fiscal reports. An agency experiencing cash flow problems may submit fiscal reports

monthly and PCCD will reimburse reported expenditures. Non-submission or late submission of the required reports will result in payment delays.

- ACH Payments:
 - All payments to grant recipients will be made through ACH.
 - Either before or at the time an application is submitted to PCCD, the applicant agency must [register as a Non-Procurement Vendor](#) with the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

- e. Federal Transparency Act Certification:

This section is required for both state and federal funding streams. See the [Federal Application Requirements](#) page on PCCD's website for further information.

- f. Reporting Requirements:
 - Programmatic reports are due quarterly.
 - Fiscal reports are due quarterly.
 - Late submission of programmatic and fiscal reports may delay payments.
 - All reports must be submitted through the Egrants system.

12. PCCD Contact Information and Resources:

- a. Staff Contacts:

Staff are only able to clarify the funding announcement and are not be able to answer any questions about how a potential applicant should respond to any particular section. Questions regarding this funding announcement should be directed as follows:

 - E-mail your funding announcement questions to RA-PCCD-OJJDP@pa.gov with "2022 Substance Abuse Education and Demand Reduction (SAEDR), Category 1" in the subject line.
 - Questions must be received by close of business on February 15, 2023.
 - All questions and answers will be posted under this funding announcement title on the [Funding Announcement Q&A](#) page of the PCCD website.

- b. Egrants Funding Announcement:

Log into the Egrants system and search under the "Funding Announcement" tab for 2022 Substance Abuse Education and Demand Reduction (SAEDR), Category 1.

- c. PCCD Guidelines and Documents:

Applicants should be familiar with the [Applicant's Manual](#), Standard Subgrant Conditions, and other documents common to PCCD's grant application process, all of which are available on the [Grant Information](#) page of the PCCD website. Additionally, grant application and administrative guides can be accessed on [PCCD's website](#) under the Funding link.

- d. Egrants Technical Questions:

For any technical or system questions, contact and ask for the Egrants Help Desk at (717) 787-5887 or (800) 692-7292, or by emailing RA-eGrantsSupport@pa.gov.

- e. PCCD Webmaster:

Please address any technical problems you may have with the website or online forms to the [PCCD Web Master](#).

- f. Reporting Potential Fraud, Waste and Abuse:

Information about waste, fraud, abuse, conflict of interest, bribery, gratuity, or other similar misconduct, or whistleblower reprisal relating to a PCCD employee, program, contract or grant, may be reported to the PCCD Fraud Hotline at (717) 525-5031. For more information, visit the [Reporting Fraud, Waste and Abuse](#) page on PCCD's website.

13. Submission Information:

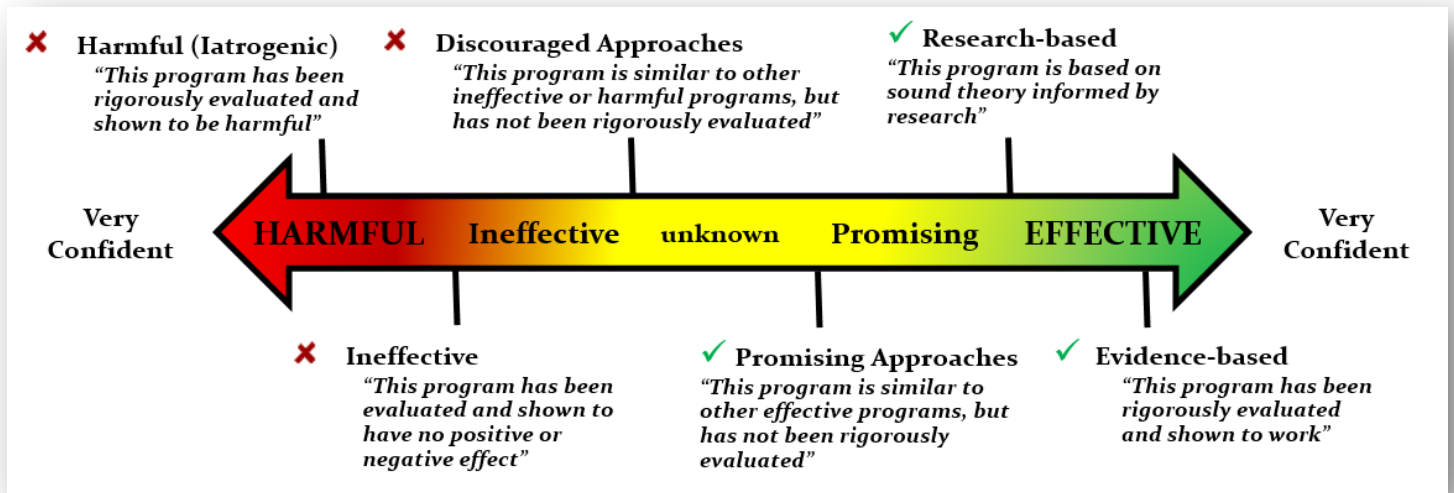
The application must be entered into Egrants **no later than Friday, February 24, 2023 by 11:59 PM.**

The executed signature page (Page 2 of your application) must be uploaded to the Main Summary section of your application in Egrants. The [Signature Page and Award Letter Upload Guide](#) provides step by step directions to upload the executed signature page.

The Pennsylvania Commission on Crime and Delinquency is an equal opportunity employer.

What Do We Mean When We Say a Program is “Evidence-based”?

Prevention scientists rate programs along a continuum of confidence:



**Bumbarger & Rhoades, 2012*

Researchers examine research studies to determine whether a program:

- ✓ Demonstrated effectiveness in rigorous scientific evaluations including randomized control trials.
- ✓ Was assessed in large studies with diverse populations or through multiple replications by independent researchers (not the developer of the model)
- ✓ Resulted in significant and sustained effects for a minimum of 6 months, post program.

Programs that meet all three of these criteria tend to fall in the green, evidence-based end of the continuum.



How to Identify Highly Rated Evidence-based Programs

Several websites have already done the work of reviewing research studies and rating programs' effectiveness. Consult these resources to ensure that the programs you want to implement will be effective.

Rating Source	Area of Focus	Website
Blueprints for Healthy Youth Development	Child welfare, juvenile justice	http://blueprintsprograms.org/
Results First Clearinghouse Database	Combines 9 national clearinghouses*	https://evidence2impact.psu.edu/what-we-do/research-translation-platform/results-first-resources/clearing-house-database/
California Evidence-Based Clearinghouse for Child Welfare	Child welfare	www.cebc4cw.org/
CrimeSolutions.gov	Criminal justice	www.crimesolutions.gov/
What Works Clearinghouse	Education	ies.ed.gov/ncee/wwc/
What Works in Reentry Clearinghouse	Criminal justice	whatworks.csgjusticecenter.org
Title IV-E Prevention Services Clearinghouse (Family First)	Child welfare	https://preventionservices.abtsites.com/

*One particularly useful clearinghouse is the **PEW Charitable Trusts Results First Clearinghouse Database**. This is a one stop shop for accessing the many lists of evidence-based programs.

1. Go To: <https://evidence2impact.psu.edu/what-we-do/research-translation-platform/results-first-resources/clearing-house-database/>
2. Type in the key words for the program or type of program you are looking for
3. Compare ratings across various clearinghouses to determine which programs are rated most highly, most frequently.
4. Dig deeper for more information by hovering over the colored rating dots and clicking on learn more!

Please contact EPIS for additional technical assistance: EPIS@psu.edu (814) 863-2568