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# CDC-RFA-OE22-2203

Conference of Local Health Officials

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# Funding Information

- Total: \$30,685,251.66 available at award start date
- A1 Workforce: \$28,835,190.47 Total
  - \$14,500,000 for LPHAs (~50% of total)
    - CDC strongly suggests using method such as SVI for allocations (PHM FF would fit for this)
  - \$4,000,000 for Tribes/NARA
  - \$10,335,190.47 for OHA (includes cost allocation and required positions and work)
  - One time funding for use ~Nov 2022 through ~Oct 2021
- A2 Foundational Capabilities: \$1,341,091 Total
  - First year amount
- A3 Data Modernization: \$508,970.19 Total
  - First year amount

# LPHA Funding Priorities

- Determined by each local jurisdiction's identified needs
- Increase workforce capacity in following areas:
  - Epidemiology
  - Communicable disease
  - Community partnerships and engagement
  - Policy and planning
  - Communications
  - Core backbone infrastructure staff (fiscal, contracts, HR, etc.)
- Systems to support the workforce in their work
- Workforce training and development opportunities
- Transition COVID-19 positions to broader PH infrastructure (all-hazards, CD, etc.)

# Shared Workforce Priorities

- Partnerships with higher education
  - Training MPH students in practical practice experiences (accreditation, communication, modernization, Incident command, etc.)
- PH Training for New PH Staff hired during COVID-19
- Broad PH Training Event across partners
  - Possible large event with different tracks
  - Open to LPHAs, Tribes, CBOs and other PH partners

# OHA Funding – NOT FINALIZED

- Capacity Building CBOs
  - Currently awarding \$25,000 in FY 2023 to CBOs in communities underserved by initial PH Equity Funding investment
    - Collaborative process with rural LPHA workgroup
  - Will propose to use part of OHA's portion of new CDC RFA funding to continue to support growth of these CBOs starting in 7/1/2023
  - Would address intersectional needs in these rural communities
- LPHA, Tribes, CBO workforce development (outside of direct funding to these partners) – shared workforce priorities
- Workforce Director and Evaluation Contract (required)
- Foundational capabilities and interoperability training
- Fiscal and grants management support
- Data modernization/informatics position

# Multnomah County Application

- OHA and Multnomah County meeting to align proposal and workplans where possible, including evaluation
- **Question for CLHO:** State application LPHA allocation to Multnomah County

# Timeline

- Submission deadline: August 16
- Anticipated funding date: November 1
- Early Fall 2022
  - Program element agreement
  - Contracts in place
  - Planning for Year 1 activities