

26STATE OF WYOMING
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
PUBLIC HEALTH DIVISION
122 West 25th Street, Suite 102E
Cheyenne, WY 82002

REQUEST FOR APPLICATION
NO. RFA-2023-001

WYOMING OFFICE OF RURAL HEALTH
RURAL HEALTH IMPROVEMENT GRANTS

OPENING DATE:
January 26, 2023
CLOSING DATE:
February 23, 2023

PROJECT END CYCLE: – JUNE 30, 2023

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
REPRESENTATIVE: SHARON WEBER
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Total Funding Available

\$34,431.00

Maximum Award Amount

Three awards of \$11,477 will be awarded for Community Health Needs Assessments.

Cost Sharing/Matching Requirement

None

Application Available Date:

January 26, 2023

Application Due Date:

February 23, 2023

Estimated Notice of Award Date:

March 2, 2023

Project Period:

January-June 2023. Grants will be issued on a reimbursement basis. Funds need to be spent by June 30, 2023 and invoices sent by July 30, 2023.

Eligible Applicants

Rural Healthcare Clinics

Critical Access Hospitals or Small Rural Hospitals

Rural Healthcare facilities/organizations

Description

The purpose of the 2023 Rural Health Improvement Grant is to provide funding to three (3) Critical Access Hospitals (CAHs). The goal is to increase rural health through the use of a collaborative Community Health Needs Assessment (CHNA) that identifies and prioritizes significant health needs of the community. These assessments shall take into account input from persons who represent the broad interests of the community, take into account input from persons with special knowledge of or expertise in public health and will be a collaboration between the healthcare organizations, social determinant of health agencies within the community. The application can be found on the Office of Rural Health website [Click Here](#)

Award Selection

Grant reviewers will prioritize requests that:

- Answer each question on the application completely.
- Fully articulate how their project will use the CHNA to impact rural health either in their community, or among a particular population.
- Can demonstrate the collaboration between multiple community organizations through community meetings and a collaborative needs assessment that meets the needs of multiple organizations.

- Include an evaluation plan.

To submit an application, email your proposal to Sharon.Weber@wyo.gov, att: Sharon Weber

For questions regarding this RFA, please contact the Office of Rural Health:

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