

# Office of Health Homes and Lead Hazard Control

**FY 2006**

**Healthy Homes Demonstration  
NOFA (CFDA: 14.901)**



# Healthy Homes Demonstration Program

- **We hope you are thinking, "Let's apply for a healthy homes grant this year!"**
- **Before deciding, please read the purpose and eligibility requirements for all of the OHHLHC'S NOFAs and determine which one best fits your proposed project**

# Changes from FY 2005

- **Application limit: \$1,000,000**
- **Request for more than \$1,000,000 WILL NOT BE reviewed**
- **Meaningful community involvement required**
  - **“Community Based Participatory Research”**



# Changes from FY 2005

- **Model approach for remediation is provided**
- **Lead hazard control activities may not exceed HUD's "*de minimis*" amounts per home**
- **MUST expend at least 65% of funds on direct remediations in the home**

# Changes from FY 2005

- **New form for Factor 2**
- **Factor 3 revised**
- **No form required for Factor 3**
- **Project director  $\geq 20\%$  time**
- **Project manager  $\geq 50\%$  time**
- **Medical costs are NOT permitted**



# Application Submittal Information

- **Grants.gov must *receive and validate* all applications by 11:59:59 PM on deadline date, June 7, 2006**
- **Waiver request must be submitted to OHHLHC no later than 15 days before the application deadline**
  - **If granted, HUD must receive paper applications by due date: no 15-day grace period**

# Application Submittal Information

- **Form HUD-96011, fax cover page, required for faxed documents**
  - **Do not place another fax cover on top**
  - **Failure to use form HUD-96011 will result in faxed information not being reviewed**
- **For all general information, see the General Section posted at:**  
**[www.hud.gov/offices/adm/grants/fundsavail.cfm](http://www.hud.gov/offices/adm/grants/fundsavail.cfm)**



# Purpose

- To develop, demonstrate and promote cost-effective, preventive measures to correct multiple safety and health hazards in the home environment





# Approximate Funding

- **\$4.37 M**
  - Less \$1 M to prior-year grants
- **4-6 awards**
- **Cooperative agreements**
- **No match requirement**



# Eligible Applicants

- **State and local governments**
- **Federally recognized Indian tribes**
- **Colleges and universities**
- **Non-profits**
- **For-profit firms**





# Program Approach

**Demonstration Activities : As part of targeted home remediations**

- **Demonstrate cost-effective intervention strategies to identify and abate multiple home safety and health hazards**
- **Evaluate program effectiveness**

# Program Approach (Cont'd.)

## Education Activities: As part of targeted home remediation

- Build local capacity to operate sustainable Healthy Homes programs
- Target specific high-risk communities and audiences, such as pregnant women and children



# Program Approach (Cont'd.)

## Education Activities: As part of targeted home remediation

- Implement media strategies to increase public awareness of housing-related hazards
- Disseminate tools to inform parents and caregivers so prompt, corrective action can be taken

# Rating Factors

	Points
• Applicant Capacity	15
• Need/extent/problem	15
• Soundness/approach	50
• Leveraging Resources	5
• Program Evaluation	15
• RC/EC/EZ Bonus Points	<u>2</u>
• <i>Total</i>	<i>102</i>

75 minimum for funding consideration



# Rating Factors

## Rating Factor #1: Capacity of Organization and Relevant Organizational Experience

- A. Organizational capacity
- B. Organizational experience
- C. Individual qualifications
- D. Past performance

# Rating Factors

## Rating Factor 2: Need and Extent of Problem

- Document critical need in Target Area
  - Economic and demographic data
  - Rates of childhood illness
  - Age and condition of housing
  - Percent of Low- and Very Low-Income Families



# Rating Factors

## Rating Factor 3: Soundness of Approach

- Use “Model for Implementation”
- Technical approach: methods, schedules, milestones-IRB, HIPAA
- Project activities: select targeted housing, children under 72 months old, integrate safe work practices

# Rating Factors

## Rating Factor 3: Soundness of Approach (cont.)

- **Meaningful community involvement**
- **Potential impediments to recruitment and retention; strategies to overcome them**
- **Assessment tools, specialized testing, cost-effective interventions**



# Rating Factors

## Rating Factor 3: Soundness of Approach (cont.)

- Identify potential health outcomes
- Referral and case management
- NO medical costs permitted
- Financing strategies, affirmation of fair housing laws

# Rating Factors

## Rating Factor 3: Soundness of Approach (cont.)

- Training and education of staff, parents, grassroots community-based non-profit organizations, including faith based organizations
- Include HUD's departmental priorities

# Rating Factors

## Rating Factor 3: Soundness of Approach (cont.)

- Define project goals and objectives
- Provide economic opportunity
- Adequate budget justification





# Rating Factors

## Rating Factor 3: Soundness of Approach (cont.)

- Create project flow chart and complete Logic Model early in process-allow time for implementation
- Have realistic goals and outcome measures (e.g., # of recruits)
- Plan on cost-effective intervention measures

# Rating Factors

## Rating Factor 4: Leveraging Resources

- Develop partnerships or consortia to secure additional resources
- Coordinate with other housing-related activities/organizations
- Demonstrate potential to become self-sufficient



# Rating Factors

## Rating Factor 4: Leveraging Resources (cont.)

- Match Not Required
- Commitment Letters must include:
  - type (cash or in-kind)
  - amount
  - source of match or leverage funds
  - use in program
  - Must be signed by individual with fiscal authority



# Rating Factors

## Rating Factor 5: Achieving Results and Program Evaluation

- Performance goals and outcome measures—including health outcomes
- Critical milestones and method for assuring accountability

# HUD's Logic Model

**Logic Model contains drop down listings of need statements, activities / outputs and outcomes:**

- **Select need statement you plan to address**
- **Complete just need, activity / output, and projected outcome tables with application**



## HUD's Logic Model (cont.)

- Reporting requirements apply only to grantees
- Return on Investment statement and calculation not required for application
  - HUD will issue Federal Register Notice regarding Return on Investment



## HUD's Logic Model (cont.)

### Instruction download on Grants.gov:

- Instructions under Tab 1
- Form fillable version available

### Logic model training:

- [www.hud.gov/offices/adm/grants/training/training.cfm](http://www.hud.gov/offices/adm/grants/training/training.cfm) - overall
- [www.hud.gov/offices/adm/grants/nofa06/lmtraining.pdf](http://www.hud.gov/offices/adm/grants/nofa06/lmtraining.pdf) – details

# Healthy Homes Demonstration NOFA

## Points of Contact

- **Primary contact:**
  - **Emily Williams**
  - **336-547-4002 x2067**
- **Alternate contact:**
  - **Suzanne Gaynor**
  - **202-708-0614 x7689**

