

**SFY2025 American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA)  
Grant for Substance Misuse and ACEs Primary  
Prevention Programs**

# **Pre-Application Webinar**

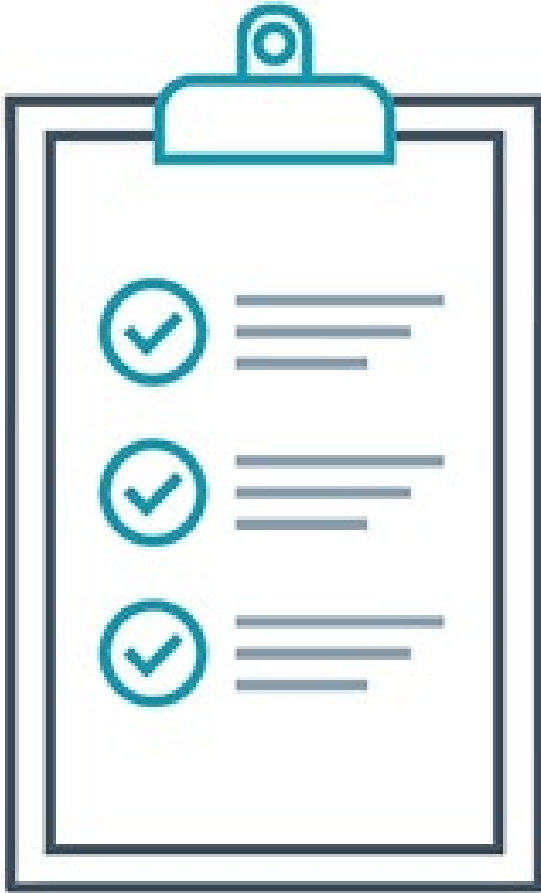
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# Agenda

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# SFY2025 ARPA Grant Opportunity

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**Link:** [www.prevention.odp.idaho.gov/arpa-grant-application](http://www.prevention.odp.idaho.gov/arpa-grant-application)

Idaho Office of Drug Policy

**Grant Announcement:  
American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Grant  
for Substance Misuse and ACEs Primary  
Prevention Programs**



State Fiscal Year 2025  
(July 1, 2024 – June 30, 2025)

Proposals due: April 15, 2024

# Funding Description

- Primary prevention programs and strategies are:
  - directed at individuals not identified as in need of treatment, and
  - involve activities that shift focus 'upstream' to educate and support individuals and communities to delay the initiation of youth substance use and prevent the development of drug & alcohol misuse behaviors and substance use disorders.
- ARPA prevention funding included four focus areas:
  1. Comprehensive Statewide Scan of Primary Prevention Services - COMPLETED
  2. Bolstering the resource capacity of the Regional Alcohol Drug Awareness Center - ONGOING
  - 3. Implementation of ACES's related evidence-based programs/practices - specifically reaching underserved populations (including young adults and older adults)**
  4. Workforce Development - Training and Technical Assistance - ONGOING

# Eligible Funding Requests

Three types of projects will be funded:

**1. Individual-level**

» evidence-based substance misuse prevention and ACEs/PACEs-related education programs

**2. Family-level**

» evidence-based substance misuse and ACEs/PACEs-related education programs and strategies

**3. Community-based**

» policy and environmental prevention strategies targeting community-level change (e.g.: Public Awareness campaigns)

*ARPA grant priority populations include young adults (ages 18-25), adults (ages 26-44), middle-age adults (ages 45-64), and older adults (ages 65+) and their families.*

Applicants may request funding for up to 3 different programs or activities in their application. The number of programs an applicant requests funding for will not impact the likelihood of being awarded funds.

# Expected Outcomes



- Expand a comprehensive system of substance misuse and ACEs/PACEs-related primary prevention services
- Prevent/mitigate the negative outcomes associated with ACEs
- Prevent substance misuse behaviors/improve substance misuse outcomes

# Eligible Applicants

## Eligible Applicants:

- Public and governmental entities (including tribal entities), such as counties, cities, schools and school districts, and local law enforcement agencies
- Non-profit entities such as youth or community-serving organizations, community coalitions, and faith-based organizations.

Federal regulations (Section 90.135, HHS) prohibit the awarding of Block Grant funds to any entity other than a public or non-profit entity.

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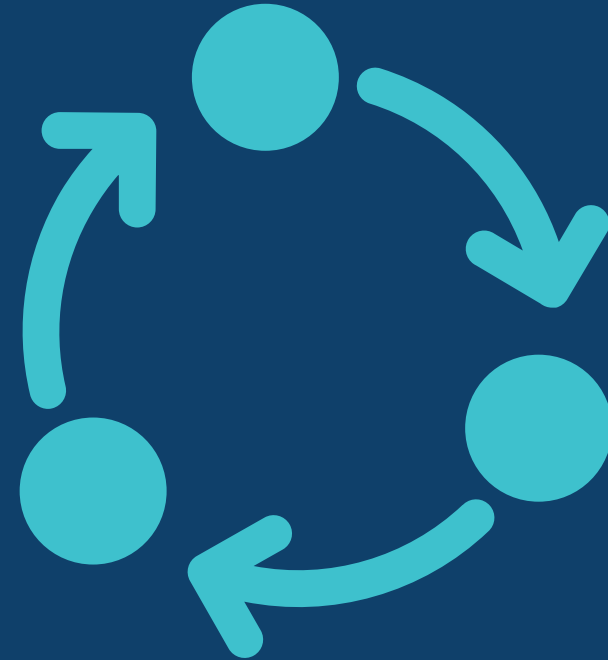
- Certified Prevention Specialist Credential (CPS)
    - Returning Grantees
  - Provisional Prevention Specialist Credential (PPS)
    - New Grantees
- » You can learn more about the CPS and PPS credentials at <https://prevention.odp.idaho.gov/certified-prevention-specialist/>
- » You can learn more about ODP's free online courses at <https://prevention.odp.idaho.gov/training/>



# SFY2025 ARPA Application Process

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# | Application Sections

1. Organization Overview
2. Community Needs Assessment - *20 points total*
3. Capacity Building - *15 points total*
4. Program Planning, Implementation, and Budget - *80 points*
5. Evaluation - *15 points*
6. Sustainability & Cultural Competence - *10 points*

*Section details provided in the Application Guide.*

# Application Tips

- Entire Application:
  - Fully answer/address questions and prompts
  - Have someone proofread your application
- Community Needs Assessment:
  - Fully answer/address questions and prompts
  - Use relevant, timely data
- Program Planning, Implementation, & Budget:
  - Select the correct Prevention Strategy & IOM Category
  - Clearly explain why the chosen program/activity is the best fit for your community needs and population
  - Clearly outline the action plan to implement the proposed projects
  - Provide detailed budget justifications
- Evaluation: Clearly outline your evaluation plan, include outcome data from past programs if available
- Sustainability & Cultural Competence: Think bigger than the bare minimum

# SFY2025 ARPA Timeline

**Application Opens**

March 18, 2024

**Application Closes**

April 15, 2024

**Application Review Period**

April 16-May 15, 2024

**Grant Recipients are Notified of Awards**

June 1, 2024

**Grant Award Period**

July 1, 2024-June 10, 2025



**Neighborly:**

<https://portal.neighborlysoftware.com/ODPIDAHO/Participant>

**Application Webpage:** <https://prevention.odp.idaho.gov/arpa-grant-application>

# Questions?



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