



Notice of Funding Opportunity

FY2027

Strategic Prevention Framework Partnerships for Success – Law Enforcement (PFS-LE) Grant

FFY2027 Application Period: September 16, 2026 – October 9, 2026

FFY2027 Award Period: October 19, 2026 – September 30, 2027

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EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

Application Release Date:	September 16, 2026 – 8:00 AM (local time)
Application Due Date:	October 9, 2026 – 11:59 PM (local time)
Funding Agency	Idaho Office of Drug Policy (ODP)
Funding Opportunity Title:	Strategic Prevention Framework Partnerships for Success – Law Enforcement (PFS-LE) Grant
Funding Description:	The PFS-LE funding aims to support law enforcement agencies and public and nonprofit entities with the development and implementation of effective prevention activities to prevent alcohol misuse, underage drinking, prescription medication misuse, illicit opioid use, and methamphetamine use at the state, county, and community levels to address specific, locally identified drug and alcohol-related challenges.
Anticipated Total Funding Available:	\$350,000.00
Estimated Number of Awards:	Up to 20 subgrant awards
Grant Recipients Notified:	October 19, 2026
Grant Award Period:	October 19, 2026 – September 29, 2027
Application Submission:	Applications must be completed and submitted online through Neighborly, ODP’s online grant management platform. The application link, and additional application guidance, can be found on the PFS-LE informational webpage at prevention.odp.idaho.gov/PFS-LE .
Eligible Applicants:	Eligible applicants include all law enforcement agencies – including tribal, local, state, and federal entities – and public and nonprofit entities. Federal regulations (Section 90.135, HHS) prohibit the awarding of PFS-LE funds to any entity other than a public or non-profit organization.
Submit Questions to:	Idaho Office of Drug Policy – info@odp.idaho.gov 208.854.3040

Applicants assume all costs associated with the preparation and completion of the grant application.

ODP is a government entity, and its grant awards are contingent upon funds appropriated by federal funding agencies and the Idaho Legislature, funds granted by the federal government, or both.

GRANT ANNOUNCEMENT

I. FUNDING OPPORTUNITY DESCRIPTION

The Idaho Office of Drug Policy (ODP) is pleased to announce the federal fiscal year 2027 (FFY2027) funding opportunity for the Partnerships for Success – Law Enforcement (PFS-LE) Grant.

A. Funding Source Background

The PFS-LE grant is funded through ODP's [Strategic Prevention Framework-Partnerships for Success for States](#) grant (or SPF-PFS), which is federally appropriated funding awarded to ODP by the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA).

Per SAMHSA, the SPF-PFS – which is guided by the [Strategic Prevention Framework](#) (SPF) – focuses on preventing substance use initiation and reducing the progression of substance use by supporting the development and implementation of comprehensive, evidence-based prevention strategies while also strengthening prevention capacity and infrastructure at the community and state levels. ODP was awarded the federal SPF-PFS grant by SAMHSA to strengthen state and community-level prevention capacity by funding subrecipient communities that demonstrate a need for programming in alignment with ODP's identified SPF-PFS award prevention priorities:

1. Reduce the rate of alcohol-induced deaths in Idaho
2. Reduce the rate of prescription medication abuse in Idaho
3. Reduce the rate of opioid overdose deaths in Idaho
4. Reduce the use of methamphetamines in Idaho

A. Purpose of the PFS-LE Funding Opportunity

The PFS-LE funding aims to support law enforcement agencies and public and nonprofit entities with the development of strategies and implementation of effective prevention activities at the state, county, and community-levels. PFS-LE grants will be awarded via a competitive application process, and funding will be awarded to support grant proposals that request funds to address locally identified drug and alcohol-related challenges in five key prevention domains:

1. Alcohol misuse & Underage drinking
2. Prescription medication misuse
3. Illicit opioid use
4. Methamphetamine use
5. Youth substance use

This funding opportunity is specifically for *prevention* activities and cannot be used for substance abuse *treatment or recovery* services. More guidance on the specific types of activities that are eligible to be funded via this grant award are detailed in *Section I.B.III. Strategies and Activities Eligible for Funding* on pages 4-6 of this document.

The FY2027 PFS-LE grant application and award periods are as follows:

- The FY2027 application period is September 16, 2026 – October 9, 2026
- The FY2027 grant award period is October 19, 2026 – September 29, 2027

B. Detailed Funding Scope & Eligible Activities

B.I. The Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF)

The PFS program is guided by the [Strategic Prevention Framework](#) (SPF), a community engagement model grounded in public health principles. The SPF was developed by SAMHSA to provide prevention planners with a comprehensive approach to understanding and addressing the substance misuse problems in their states and communities. Interested applicants can use the resources below to learn more about the SPF and substance misuse prevention:

- [A Guide to SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework](#)
- [Strategic Prevention Framework, SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Technical Assistance Center](#)
- [Focus on Prevention: Strategies and Programs to Prevent Substance Use](#)

B.II. Strategies and Activities Eligible for Funding

ODP and federal grant regulations require that the PFS-LE funds be expended on prevention strategies, funding cannot be utilized for treatment or recovery services. Funding will be awarded to support strategies and activities designed to address locally identified drug and alcohol-related challenges in the five key prevention domains of alcohol abuse & underage drinking, prescription drug misuse, illicit opioid abuse, methamphetamine use, and youth substance use.

To be eligible for funding, proposed activities must be based on, and guided by, sound principles of prevention science – meaning that the activities have been demonstrated through evaluations to effectively achieve the desired outcomes and prevent substance abuse. Within the application sections, agencies will be able to request funding for one or multiple activities within each of the six key prevention domains (more information on the application sections can be found on page 7 under *B.II. Application Structure & Components*). Applicants can use the following list of resources to learn more about evidence-based, evidence-informed, and promising prevention programs and strategies. Additionally, examples of eligible activities within the key prevention domains are outlined in the table on page 5.

Resources on evidence-based, evidence-informed, and promising programs and practices:

<u>ODP Resources</u>	• Idaho's Evidence-Based Practices Dashboard • Idaho's Evidence-Based Practices Selection & Planning Workbook • ODP's Prevention Resource Library
<u>DOJ, OJP, OJJDP, ONDCP, HIDTA, and NHTSA Resources</u>	• OJP CrimeSolutions Law Enforcement Programs and Practices List • OJP General CrimeSolutions Programs and Practices List • OJP CrimeSolutions Topical Index – Drugs and Substance Abuse • OJJDP Model Programs Guide & Literature Reviews • OJJDP Prevention Programs List • ONDCP Prevention Resources for Law Enforcement Professionals • HIDTA ADAPT Prevention Intervention Resource Center • NHTSA Alcohol-Impaired Driving Countermeasures That Work (new) • NHTSA Drug-Impaired Driving Countermeasures That Work (new)
<u>SAMHSA Resources</u>	• Selecting Best-Fit Programs and Practices: Guidance for Substance Misuse Prevention Practitioners • Finding Evidence-based Programs and Practices • Evidence-based Practices Resource Center • Focus on Prevention: Strategies and Programs to Prevent Substance Use
<u>Additional Resources</u>	• Blueprints Programs for Healthy Youth Development • Excellence in Prevention Strategy List, The Athena Forum • National Mentoring Resource Center

	• Registry of Evidence-Based Prevention Programs, New York State Office of Addiction Services and Supports • PEW Results First Clearinghouse Database • Social Programs that Work Program Registry • CEBC Evidence-Based Clearinghouse for Child Welfare ○ Child & Adolescent Substance Abuse Prevention Programs ○ Child & Adolescent Mentoring Programs ○ Parent Training Programs that Address Behavior Problems in Children & Adolescents • What Works Clearinghouse
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Examples of eligible activities within the key prevention domains are outlined in the table below. The table is not an all-inclusive list – applicants have the option to request funding for activities that are not listed on the table by providing the activity name, description, and justification within the application.

Key Prevention Domains – Domain Activities – Activity Examples		
Domain	Activity	Examples
Alcohol Misuse & Underage Drinking	Retail Compliance & Regulation	Compliance checks, shoulder tap operations, alcohol license inspections, ID fraud enforcement
	Impaired Driving Enforcement	DUI/DWI patrols
	Underage Drinking Enforcement	Party patrols, underage alcohol possession and consumption law enforcement, social host ordinance enforcement
	Community Prevention & Education	Community presentations, outreach, information dissemination, public awareness and education
	Youth, Parent, Family, or Adult Programming	Evidence-based or evidence-informed direct-service programs with high-risk youth, adults, and/or parents.
	Multistakeholder Group Collaboration	Partnering with state and local-level stakeholders via coalitions, workgroups, task forces, committees, etc. to address alcohol misuse or underage drinking
	Training	In-person and virtual alcohol misuse and underage drinking prevention-related training opportunities
Prescription Drug Misuse	Diversion & Distribution Enforcement	Enforcement of laws and regulations around medication distribution, support efforts to curb diversion
	Drug Disposal & Take Back Programs	Supporting prescription drug disposal programs, permanent prescription drug disposal locations, National Prescription Drug Take Back Day
	Community Prevention & Education	Community presentations, outreach, information dissemination, public awareness and education
	Youth, Parent, Family, or Adult Programming	Evidence-based or evidence-informed direct service programs with high-risk youth, adults, and/or parents.
	Multistakeholder Group Collaboration	Partnering with state and local-level stakeholders via coalitions, workgroups, task forces, committees, etc. to address prescription drug abuse and related issues
	Training	In-person and virtual prescription drug misuse prevention-related training opportunities
Illicit Opioid Use	Distribution & Interdiction Enforcement	Disrupting illicit opioid production and distribution, seizing illicit opioids

	Illicit Opioid Monitoring & Surveillance	Analyzing data and conducting environmental scans to assess community vulnerabilities and identify high risk areas, collaborating with state and local partners to track trends in fentanyl and illicit opioid use
	Community Prevention & Education	Community presentations, outreach, information dissemination, public awareness and education
	Youth, Parent, Family, or Adult Programming	Evidence-based or evidence-informed direct service programs with high-risk youth, adults, and/or parents.
	Multistakeholder Group Collaboration	Partnering with state and local-level stakeholders via coalitions, workgroups, task forces, committees, etc. to address fentanyl and illicit opioid use-related challenges
	Training	In-person and virtual training opportunities related to fentanyl or illicit opioid use
Methamphetamine Use	Methamphetamine Monitoring & Surveillance	Analyzing data and conducting environmental scans to assess community vulnerabilities and identify high risk areas, collaborating with state and local partners to track trends in meth use and related incidents
	Distribution & Interdiction Enforcement	Disrupting meth production and distribution, seizing meth
	Community Prevention & Education	Community presentations, outreach, information dissemination, public awareness and education
	Youth, Parent, Family, or Adult Programming	Evidence-based or evidence-informed direct service programs with high-risk youth, adults, and/or parents.
	Multistakeholder Group Collaboration	Partnering with state and local-level stakeholders via coalitions, workgroups, task forces, committees, etc. to address methamphetamine use-related challenges
	Training	In-person or virtual methamphetamine use prevention-related training opportunities
Youth Substance Use <i>(related to local-level youth substance use prevention concerns on alcohol, marijuana, tobacco, electronic cigarettes, prescription medication, illicit opioids, or methamphetamine)</i>	Access Restriction & Compliance Surveillance	Conducting compliance checks or sting operations, enforcing age-restricted purchase laws, implementing shoulder tap operations
	Youth Possession & Use Interventions	Youth alcohol and drug impaired driving prevention, issuing citations or warnings, patrolling events or hotspots, collaborating with schools or referrals for at-risk students
	Youth-focused Programming	Evidence-based or evidence-informed direct service programs with youth
	Collaborative Prevention Partnerships	Partnering with schools, coalitions, or state and local-level stakeholders to address youth substance use and support prevention strategies
	Community Prevention & Education	Community presentations, outreach, information dissemination, public awareness and education
	Data Monitoring	Analyzing data to identify youth substance use trends, mapping high-risk areas for targeted interventions, reporting data to support community assessments
	Training	In-person or virtual youth substance use prevention-related training opportunities



IMPORTANT NOTE: In the application, agencies may request funding for one or multiple activities in one or multiple of the five key prevention domains. The number of activities and/or domains that an applicant requests funding for will not have an impact on the likelihood of being awarded funding. Rather, award decisions will be based on the quality of the proposal and availability of funds.

II. GRANT APPLICATION & SUBMISSION INFORMATION

A. Accessing and Submitting the Application

Applications must be completed and submitted online. The Grant Application Portal is hosted by Neighborly Software and is accessible via any internet-connected device. While Neighborly software will work with any modern web browser, recommended browsers include Google Chrome, Microsoft Edge, and Firefox.

The Neighborly Application Portal Link is: <https://portal.neighborlysoftware.com/ODPIDAHO/participant>. The online application will become available at 8am Local Time on September 16, 2026, and close at 11:59pm Local Time on October 9, 2026.

For additional support, applicants can find detailed application guidance and instructions on the [PFS-LE Information webpage](#).

If you have difficulty creating a Neighborly account, accessing the application, or need other technical support you can contact the Neighborly support team via email at support@neighborlysoftware.com

B. Application Structure, Components, and Expectations

Structure: This application follows the Strategic Prevention Framework (SPF), which was developed by SAMHSA to provide prevention planners with a comprehensive approach to understanding and addressing the substance misuse problems in their states and communities. You can learn more about the SPF via these resources:

- [A Guide to SAMHSA's Strategic Prevention Framework](#)
- [Focus on Prevention: Strategies and Programs to Prevent Substance Use](#)

Components – the FY27 PFS-LE application sections, and total points available per section, are listed below:

- Section A. Organization Information (*5 Points Total*)
- Section B. Community Needs Assessment (*20 Points Total*)
- Section C. Capacity Building (*15 Points Total*)
- Sections D-H. Planning, Implementation, and Budget (*Planning & Implementation: 35 Points Total for All Activities; Budget: 35 Points Total for All Activities*)
 - Section D. Alcohol Misuse & Underage Drinking Prevention
 - Section E. Prescription Drug Misuse Prevention
 - Section F. Illicit Opioid Misuse Prevention
 - Section G. Methamphetamine Misuse Prevention
 - Section H. Youth Substance Use Prevention
- Evaluation (*10 Points Total*)
- Assurances & Conditions Agreement

Application Expectations* – within the application, applicants will be expected to:

- Identify the substance misuse problems, and the related harmful behaviors, that are being experienced locally; determine the perceived root causes, risk factors, and protective factors associated with the identified substance misuse problems; and provide supporting data that substantiates the existence of the identified problems, causes, and associated factors.
- Propose evidence-based, evidence-informed, and promising programs and practices – All proposed activities must be based on and guided by sound principles of prevention science – principles that have been demonstrated through evaluations to effectively reduce risk factors, enhance protective factors, and achieve the desired outcomes of decreased substance misuse.
- Justify activity selection – Once applicants have identified the substance misuse problems experienced locally and selected the prevention activity/activities they are requesting funding to implement, they

will need to provide justification as to why the activity/activities they selected will address the identified substance misuse problems in their community.

- Provide detailed staff, mileage, and other budgets for each of the key prevention domains – PFS-LE grant awards provide funding in three budget categories: (1) Staff – which includes all staff costs related to program implementation; (2) Mileage – which includes mileage reimbursement costs related to program implementation; and (3) Other – which includes costs for all curriculum, supplies, and materials that are necessary for program implementation.

**Additional detailed expectations and guidance for each of the application sections can be found in the PFS-LE Application Guide on the [PFS-LE Information webpage](#).*

C. Pre-Application Webinar

A FY2027 PFS-LE Pre-Application Webinar is scheduled for Thursday, September 24, 2026 from 1:00-2:00pm MT (12:00-1:00pm PT). Interested applicants can register for the webinar via [this link](#).

For those unable to attend live, the webinar will be recorded and available to view within 2 business days under “Application Information” on the [PFS-LE Information webpage](#).

For guidance or instructions prior to the webinar, a PFS-LE Application Guide and the slides and recording for the FY2026 PFS-LE Pre-Application Webinar can be found on the [PFS-LE Information webpage](#).

III. ELIGIBILITY INFORMATION

A. Eligible Applicants

Eligible applicants include all law enforcement agencies – including tribal, local, state, and federal entities – and public and nonprofit entities. Federal regulations (Section 90.135, HHS) prohibit the awarding of PFS-LE funds to any entity other than a public or non-profit organization.

B. Cost Sharing and Match Requirements

Cost sharing/match is not required in this program.

IV. APPLICATION REVIEW & AWARD TIMELINE

A. Application & Award Timeline

FY2027 PFS-LE Application & Award Timeline:

<u>Activity</u>	<u>Date</u>
1. Application Released.....	September 16, 2026
2. Pre-Application Webinar*.....	September 24, 2026
3. Application Deadline.....	October 9, 2026
4. Application Review Period.....	October 10-October 16, 2026
5. Grant Recipients Notified.....	October 19, 2026
6. Grant Award Period.....	October 19, 2026 – September 29, 2027

**More information on the Pre-Application Webinar can be found directly above on page 8 in Section II.C.*

B. Review and Selection Process

Funding will be allocated to eligible applicants via a competitive review and award process based on available funding and the quality of the proposal to address the identified state, regional, and/or local-level needs.

Applications will be evaluated based on the point allocation detailed in *Section II.B* on page 7 of this document. Each component/section of the application will be scored. Maximum points are given for high quality, thorough, and clear responses that fully address the prompt. Points are deducted for responses that are missing information, fail to fully address the prompts, unclear, or incomplete.

VI. AWARD INFORMATION

A. Notice of Awards and Grant Agreements

Successful applicants will receive a Notice of Award (NOA) letter and Grant Agreement, executed by the ODP Grant Director, via email on or before October 19, 2026. Once accepted, signed, and returned to ODP, the Grant Agreement becomes the binding obligating document authorizing funds for the implementation of the approved activities.

All applicants, whether awarded or not awarded funds, will be notified of their application score and final funding decision. A summary of evaluation notes and feedback can be made available upon request.

B. Grantee Expectations

Once awarded funding, grant award recipients are expected to:

- **Follow the Terms & Conditions of the Grant Agreement** – all grant recipients will be provided a detailed Grant Agreement with their Notice of Award that includes the terms & conditions of funding. Grantees are expected to thoroughly read the terms & conditions prior to signing and accepting the grant, and to follow the terms & conditions throughout the grant award period.
- **Implement Activities as Awarded** – all grant-funded activities need to be implemented in alignment with the award budget, detailed funding breakdown, and activity implementation schedule that will be provided in the Grant Agreement.
- **Participate in Reporting, Data Collection, and Performance Measurement** –
 - Quarterly Grant Activity Reports – all grantees are required to collect data and report on activity implementation progress and participant demographic information (age, race, ethnicity, and gender of individuals reached and served per activity) via four quarterly reports. Grantee reporting is mandated so that ODP can meet its federal reporting requirements to continue receiving PFS funds. The reporting periods are as follows:
 - Quarter 1: October 2026 – December 2026
 - Quarter 2: January 2027 – March 2027
 - Quarter 3: April 2027 – June 2027
 - Quarter 4: July 2027 – September 2027
- **Request Grant Funds on a Reimbursement Basis** – the PFS-LE grant awards will operate on a reimbursement basis. All grant recipients are expected to complete reimbursement requests throughout the award period as needed via the proper processes.
- **Ensure Proper Record Keeping** – all records and documents related to the grant award, including but not limited to fiscal records, shall be available for review, audit, and copying by ODP, and by state and federal inspectors or auditors for the period of 3 years, beginning October 19, 2026. As a state entity, ODP is subject to the Idaho Public Records Act, Idaho Code title 74, Chapter 1.

- **Engage in Workforce Development Efforts & Obtain Necessary Credentials:** To increase qualified providers of substance misuse prevention services, at least one staff member in each agency or organization awarded PFS funds must obtain a Provisional Prevention Specialist (PPS) certification within 120 days of award date. Additional information about the PPS certification can be found [here](#). *Note – this is a requirement for organizations once they are awarded funds, an entity is not required to actively hold a PPS credential to be eligible to apply for, and be awarded, PFS funds.*
- **Attend Grantee Meetings and Trainings:** Grantees must be available for a minimum of one site visit by ODP per year. In addition, grantees are responsible for all updates and information provided via emailed and posted on: <https://prevention.odp.idaho.gov/pfs-le/>

C. Award Information

- If awarded funding, the full grant award details – including the funding allocation, a detailed budget breakdown, and activity action plan & delivery schedule – will be provided in the Grant Agreement.
- The FFY2027 PFS-LE award period is October 19, 2026 – September 29, 2027.
- The PFS-LE grant award management – including reimbursement requests and quarterly activity reports – will be completed via Neighborly, ODP’s online grant management software. PFS grantees will be provided with detailed guidance and instruction on these processes via virtual trainings and a Grantee Process Guide.
- The PFS-LE award funds are provided to grantees on a reimbursement basis. Activities completed before October 19, 2026, and/or prior to the signing of a Grant Agreement, will not be eligible for reimbursement.*
- Additional award information and training will be provided to grant recipients throughout the FY2027 award period.

**It is important to note that the PFS consists of federally appropriated funding from SAMHSA. ODP is a government entity, and the grant awards are contingent upon funds appropriated by federal funding agencies and the Idaho Legislature, funds granted by the federal government, or both.*



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