



# COVID-19 Public Health Workforce Expansion Funding Declaration of Intent to Apply

Please complete by Friday, June 11, 2021

DSHS is soliciting applications for funding from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) in support of COVID-19 Workforce Expansion. The funds must be used to recruit, hire and train public health personnel to address projected jurisdictional COVID-19 response needs and build capacity to address public health priorities deriving from the COVID-19 response. Recipients must prioritize hard-to-reach communities, focusing efforts on diversity, equity, and inclusion in hiring and recruiting workers from the local communities they serve. The funds may be expended over a two-year period.

If selected, recipients will be required to submit by to the Texas Department of State Health Services:

- A detailed eight (8) categorical budget;
- Work plan; and
- Proposed metrics related to staff hired and equity and inclusion activities.

Quarterly progress and financial reports will also be required.

Questions? Please email [WorkforceCoAg@dshs.Texas.gov](mailto:WorkforceCoAg@dshs.Texas.gov).

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\* Required

## 1. Entity/Organization \*

Enter your answer

2. The entity listed above \_\_\_\_\_ apply for CDC COVID-19 Workforce Expansion Funding from the Texas Department of State Health Services. \*

- Intends to
- Will not

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