



# JACKSON COUNTY COMMUNITY CHILDREN'S SERVICES FUND

SCHOOL BASED SERVICES FUND INFORMATION SESSION  
FOR 2019-2020 & 2020-2021 FUNDING



# HISTORY

- November 2016: Voters in Jackson County approve 1/8 of a cent sales tax
- January 2017: Jackson County Ordinance 495I establishes the Jackson County Community Children's Fund
- April 2017: Collection of tax begins
- May 2017: 9-member Board appointed by the Jackson County Executive begins meeting
- November 2017: First JCCCSF funding opportunity announced

# FUND MISSION

- Maximize community resources to build and maintain a comprehensive integrated system of quality services for children and families in need.

# JCCCSF FUND VALUES

- **Accountability**—The Fund is operated transparently, investments are made wisely, and mechanisms will be in place to guide continuous improvement.
- **Adaptability**—The Fund will be agile to respond to the changing needs of Jackson County.
- **Collaboration**—The Fund will encourage coordination and integration of services that are client- and family-centered, responsive to community needs, and focused on building the resilience of at-risk children and their families.
- **Integrity**—Fund board members will act respectfully, abide by statutes, and responsibly manage funds.

# FUNDING PRIORITIES

1. Up to 30 days of temporary shelter for abused, neglected, runaway, homeless or emotionally disturbed youth
2. Home- and community-based family intervention programs
3. Prevention programs which promote healthy lifestyles among children and youth and strengthen families
4. Individual, group, or family professional counseling and therapy services

(Suicide Prevention has become an additional priority)

# 2019 FUNDING GOAL

- Assist agencies to **increase, expand, improve, and/or initiate** services that protect the well-being and safety of children and youth aged nineteen years or younger and strengthen their families.

# ELIGIBILITY

## Agency/Organization must:

- Be incorporated or authorized to do business in the State of Missouri as a not-for-profit corporation or a government entity;
- Receive at least twenty-five percent (25%) of its funds (dollars, not in-kind) from sources other than the Children's Services Fund;
- Be certified or licensed by the State of Missouri to provide the services that utilize these funds, provided that such certification or licensure exists;
- Conduct an annual independent financial audit
- Require all employees and volunteers of the agency to maintain the confidentiality of any information that would identify individuals served by that agency;
- Require that within the limits of the contracted services, services be provided regardless of an individual's race, religion, national origin, gender, or age; and
- Require that employees and volunteers of the agency who provide direct services be screened as required by state statute.

# FUNDING GUIDELINES

- Pursuant to RSMo §210.861, the JCCCSF is able to fund:
  1. Up to 30 days of temporary shelter for abused, neglected, runaway, homeless or emotionally disturbed youth; respite care services; and services to unwed mothers;
  2. Outpatient chemical dependency and psychiatric treatment programs; counseling and related services as a part of transitional living programs; home-based and community-based family intervention programs; unmarried parent services; crisis intervention services, inclusive of telephone hotlines; and prevention programs, which promote healthy lifestyle among children and youth and strengthen families;
  3. Individual, group, or family professional counseling and therapy services; psychological evaluations; and mental health screenings.



## FUNDING GUIDELINES

The following are **INELIGIBLE** for funding from JCCCSF:

- Inpatient medical, psychiatric, and chemical dependency services
- Transportation services
- Capital campaigns, construction and building expenses

# 2018 SCHOOL-BASED SERVICES & PROGRAMS

- 21 Projects
  - Two from school districts.
  - Nineteen from non-profit partners.
- Types of Programs
  - Afterschool Programming
  - Trauma Informed Programming in Schools
  - Behavioral Health Screenings and/or Services in Schools
  - Life Skills Training
  - Substance Abuse Services
  - Violence/Sexual Violence Prevention Services
  - Social/Emotional Health Support

# NEW FOR 2019

- Two Funding Cycles
  - January 1, 2019 – December 31, 2019 (\$7M)
  - July 1, 2019 – June 30, 2020 (\$3M)
    - Extension Mechanism for Current School-Based Projects
- Option for Two-Year Funding
  - Contingent On Year One Outcomes & Expenditures
- Two Options for Reimbursement
  - Unit Cost (agreed to through contracting)
  - Expense-Based Reimbursement

# APPLICATION COMPONENTS

- Agency Overview
- Program and/or Service Delivery
  - Problem Statement
  - Approach
- Program and/or Service Management
- Program and/or Service Outcomes
- Budget and Narrative

# ATTACHMENTS

- Service Recipients by Postal Code (Downloadable)
- Project Timeline
- Most Recent Audited Financial Statements
- IRS Tax Determination Letter
- Licensing (if applicable)
- Tax Clearance or Waiver (Jackson County Assessment Office)
- Memorandum of Understanding – outlines relationship & services

# IMPORTANT DATES

- December 17, 2018: Application Available
- January 25, 2019: Last day to submit questions
  - [rob@jacokids.org](mailto:rob@jacokids.org)
- February 4, 2019 @ 5:00 p.m. CST: Applications Due
- Early March 2019 – Applicant Presentations to Board (if needed)
- April 4, 2019: Board Approval of Funding Slate
- Week of April 8, 2019: Award Notification

# IMPORTANT REMINDERS

- Organizations can make up to two requests for funding in 2019.
- An organization can request up to \$250,000 per application per year.
  - TLP were allowed to request up to \$300,000.

# HOW TO APPLY

- The JCCCS funding opportunity guidelines and application can be found on the Greater Kansas City Community Foundation website: <https://www.growyourgiving.org/jackson-county-community-childrens-services-fund>
- Link to the GKCCF site is also available through [jacksoncountykids.org](http://jacksoncountykids.org)
- Applications must be submitted through the Internet Grant Application Manager (IGAM)





# QUESTIONS?

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