

2024 Request for Proposal (RFP) for Telehealth Services for Students and Youth QA

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#	Question	Answer	Date & Origin of Question	Date Answered (posted to web)
1	<p>Question(s): Are organizations that receive funding required to serve youth up to age 24? Are organizations that serve youth until age 22, but work to refer or transition older patients successfully to adult services eligible to apply?</p> <p>What is the maximum budget amount that will be considered for funding?</p>	<p>Answer(s): Proposals can designate services for serving youth between any age range that falls between middle school age through age 24. Organizations that serve youth until age 22 are eligible to apply.</p> <p>The final budget amount for award will be determined after City Council action in November. Budgets should propose the dollar amount for serving the maximum number of students the proposal aims to serve, with a maximum budget of up to \$3.5M. Award amounts will be determined based on review panel recommendations and how many providers are selected. All draft budgets will be considered as part of the contract negotiation process.</p>	<p>From: Jill Linnell <jill.linnell@gmail.com> Sent: Tuesday, September 17, 2024 7:19 AM To: DOE_DEELFunding <DEELFunding@seattle.gov></p>	9/20/2024
2	<p>Question(s):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. While we understand (and agree!) the care should be accessible, adaptable, and culturally specific, does DEEL have additional insights on specific challenges students are facing? 2. Is there a target budget for this project? 3. Additionally, under what circumstances would DEEL consider awarding to multiple vendors? 	<p>Answer(s):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Additional insights on specific challenges students are facing can be found in these City reports: YMH Final Report (seattle.gov) and DEEL Needs Assessment Summary.pdf (seattle.gov). DEEL would also like applicants to articulate their own understanding of the challenges youth face related to mental health in their responses to Prompt 3: Removing Barriers in the application (page 4 2024-DEEL TelehealthRFP-Overview.pdf (seattle.gov)). 2. The final budget amount for award will be determined after City Council action in November. Budgets should propose dollar amount for serving maximum number of students the proposal aims to serve, with a maximum budget of up to \$3.5M. Award amounts will be determined based on review panel recommendations and how many providers are selected. All draft budgets will be considered as part of the contract negotiation process. 3. The decision to award to multiple vendors will be based on the review panel recommendations after they have applied the scoring criteria on pages 6 and 7 of the RFP Overview document 2024-DEEL TelehealthRFP-Overview.pdf (seattle.gov) and 	<p>From: Yash Sathe <ysathe@helloworldline.com> Sent: Thursday, September 19, 2024 2:37 PM To: Swift, Jonathan <Jonathan.Swift@seattle.gov>; Alejano, Chris <Chris.Alejano@seattle.gov></p>	9/23/2024

		determined if the needs of students are best met through one or multiple vendors.		
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