

DIVISION OF DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES

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AHCCCS OPENS A NEW AWARD PROGRAM TO STRENGTHEN HCBS SERVICES IN ARIZONA ON APRIL 17

Target Audience - Qualified Vendors and Providers

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AHCCCS is introducing a new \$40 million award program to enhance the experience of people receiving Home and Community Based Services (HCBS) in Arizona. The AHCCCS ARP Program Award will provide eligible HCBS providers in the state with between \$10,000 and \$500,000 for programmatic or infrastructure projects to improve the experience, health, or safety of HCBS recipients in Arizona.

The application will open on April 17 and all applications must be submitted by 5:00 p.m. on May 16, 2023.

The following providers of HCBS in Arizona are eligible to apply:

- Behavioral Health Outpatient Clinics (Provider Type 77)
- Attendant Care (Provider Type 40)
- Integrated Clinics (Provider Type IC)
- Assisted Living Centers (Provider Type 49)
- Assisted Living Homes (Provider Type 36)
- Habilitation Providers (Provider Type 39)
- Community Service Agencies (Provider Type A3)
- Board-Certified Behavior Analysts (Provider Type BC)
- Adult Foster Care (Provider Type 50)
- Home Delivered Meals (Provider Type 70)
- Adult Day Health (Provider Type 27)
- Elderly and Physical Disability (EPD) HCBS (Provider Type 81)
- Area Agencies on Aging.

AHCCCS will host two online webinars for eligible provider types related to this program award opportunity.

On April 10 from 10 to 11 a.m., we will introduce the award program and provide more details on eligibility, covered activities, and priorities for the funding. Register with this **Zoom link**.

The second webinar on April 19 from 12 to 1 p.m. will cover the GrantsConnect platform, what's included in the application, and instructions for applying. Register with this **Zoom link**.

Find more information, including a full list of eligible activities, on the <u>ARP Program Awards web page</u>. Please submit any questions to <u>AHCCCSARPAwardsHelp@pcgus.com</u>.

We hope you'll participate in this exciting new opportunity to help AHCCCS members!