NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD
REQUEST FOR APPLICATION (RFA)
May 19, 2015

The Iowa Department of Public Health (Department), Division of Tobacco Use Prevention and Control, Lucas State Office Building, Des Moines, Iowa  50319, announces its intent to award: Community Partnerships for Tobacco Use Prevention and Control

to the following applicant(s):

Alcohol & Drug Dependency Services
Substance Abuse Services for Clayton County
   Hillcrest Family Services
   Area Substance Abuse Council
   Pathways Behavioral Services
   Cedar County Public Health
Siouxland District Health Department
Scott County Health Department
Helping Services for Northeast Iowa
Community Health Partners of Sioux County
   Youth and Shelter Services, Inc.
   Waverly Health Center
   Health Promotion Strategies, Inc.
   Hancock County Health System
   Worth County Board of Health
Southern Iowa Economic Development Association
   Johnson County Public Health
   Henry County Agricultural Extension District
Cerro Gordo County Department of Public Health
   Kossuth Regional Health Center
   Winnebago County Public Health
Decatur County Public Health and Home Care
   New Opportunities
   Compass Pointe
   Cherokee Regional Medical Center
Webster County Health Department
   Page County Board of Health
   Van Buren County Hospital
   Prelude Behavioral Services
American Lung Association of the Upper Midwest
As provided for in the RFP, this Notice of Award is subject to execution of a written contract and, as a result, this Notice does NOT constitute the formation of a contract between the Department and the apparent successful applicant. The applicant shall not acquire any legal or equitable rights relative to the contract services until a contract is executed. If the apparent successful applicant fails to negotiate and execute a contract with the Department, in its sole discretion, the Department may revoke the notice and enter into contract negotiations with the next highest ranked applicant or withdraw the RFP. The Department further reserves the right to cancel the notice at any time prior to the execution of a written contract.

The evaluation records are open for public inspection.

Applicants not listed above will not be awarded a contract pursuant to RFA Community Partnerships for Tobacco Use Prevention and Control. The posting of this notice of intent to award constitutes receipt of the adverse decision. Pursuant to Section 1.16 of the RFA, applicants may appeal the adverse decision by filing a written appeal to IDPH within 10 working days of posting of the Notice of Intent to Award in accordance with 641 Iowa Administrative Code Chapter 152.3. Appeals shall be submitted in writing, return receipt requested, to Stacey Hewitt, Contract Administrator, Division of Administration and Professional Licensure, Iowa Department of Public Health, Lucas State Office Building, Des Moines, Iowa 50319-0075. Appeals must clearly and fully identify all issues being contested and demonstrate what procedures in the proposal were not followed. In the event of an appeal, the Department will continue working with the successful applicant(s) pending the outcome of the appeal.

Thank you for participating in the competitive selection process. For information about this notice, please contact the undersigned.

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