

Due to overwhelming interest in partnering with MCPS under the Maryland Community Health Resources Commission Community Partnerships Grant, the **deadline for submissions is extended to 5:00pm on October 2, 2023.**

Request for Letter of Support
Montgomery County Public Schools
Maryland Consortium on Coordinated Community Supports
Partnership Grants

Thank you for your interest in the Maryland Consortium on Coordinated Community Supports Partnerships grant. We are asking applicants to submit a Request for Letter of Support that addresses the questions below. Requests should be submitted to our office by 5:00 pm on October 2, 2023. Earlier submissions are encouraged.

Please also attach the following additional items as required by the RFP:

- Transmittal Letter
- Grant Application Cover Sheet
- Executive Summary

The Request for Letter of Support and any additional documents should be sent by email to Marsha Knight at Marsha_A_Knight@mcpsmd.org. Once your submission is reviewed, we will contact you with next steps.

We look forward to learning more about how your organization and partnership will support the wellbeing and success of Montgomery County Public Schools (MCPS) students and families.

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1. MCPS Experience

1. Do you currently have an MOU with MCPS?
 2. Are you an approved vendor providing services directly to MCPS or operating in schools under the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS)
 3. If you have a community advisory group or board, are members of the MCPS community already represented?
 4. If you have prior experience with MCPS, please identify the MCPS staff member most familiar with your work:
2. How does your proposal align with [Maryland Consortium on Coordinated Community Supports](#) goals?
3. How does your proposed work align with the MCPS' district [strategic plan](#) priorities and commitment to [inclusion and equity](#)?
4. Evidence of prior work:
- What previous work has your organization done with schools? (Include numbers of students and schools).
 - Please describe any experience that demonstrates the ability to scale work within the largest school district in Maryland.
 - What data can you provide demonstrating outcomes for students, staff, and school climate?
5. MCPS emphasizes the importance of an accountability and evaluation framework to monitor and identify program impact.
- What accountability structures will monitor and inform program work and impact? Please provide specific objectives, data targets, and accountability strategies.
 - Please provide a data plan specifying specific metrics (e.g., student attendance, incident report rates, program engagement) and how these will be collected and shared.