

## General Notice - Letter of Intent Instructions for Assistance in Community Integration Services (ACIS) Pilots, Round 2

The Maryland Department of Health (MDH) is accepting submissions for non-binding Letters of Intent (LOI) for the **Assistance in Community Integration Services (ACIS) Community Health Pilot opportunity**. As an initiative of Maryland's HealthChoice §1115 Waiver, MDH is offering a second round opportunity for local government entities to request matching federal funds for tenancy support services and housing case management services for at-risk Maryland Medicaid beneficiaries. Local government entities, such as Health Departments or local management boards, are eligible to submit LOIs for the ACIS Pilot funding opportunity. This offering is open to both new applicants and existing ACIS Pilot Lead Entities.

ACIS Pilots are in effect through December 31, 2021, and are scheduled to be funded for the duration of the waiver. Approximately \$500,000 in matching federal financial funds are available for this second-round of ACIS Pilot funding. When combined with the local nonfederal share, ACIS Pilot expenditures may total up to \$1 million annually. Interested entities should carefully review <a href="Attachment E: Assistance in Community Integration Services Protocol">Attachment E: Assistance in Community Integration Services Protocol</a> to ensure that their proposal meets program parameters set by the Centers for Medicaid and Medicare (CMS). Additional information and resources are available on the <a href="ACIS Pilot program website">ACIS Pilot program website</a>.

For a general overview of the ACIS Pilot funding opportunity, including insight into funding requirements and a brief review of the LOI instructions, <u>click here</u> to register for an upcoming webinar on December 18, 2017 from 11:30am-12:30pm. There will be ample time set aside at the end for attendees to ask questions.

Please submit the Letter of Intent to mdh.healthchoicerenewal@maryland.gov no later than 5 p.m. ET on December 22, 2017.

## Attachments:

ACIS Letter of Intent (LOI) Instructions
Special Terms and Conditions Attachment E: Assistance in Community Integration Services
Protocol