

# Funding opportunity to provide Opioid Education, Prevention and Connection

## BELLEVUE, Washington –

To provide critical support to **Opioid Use Disorder Crisis Response**, the City of Bellevue is offering \$50,000 for one year, with the possibility of extension for up to four years, for proposals focused on culturally and linguistically specific opioid education, prevention, and resource connection. The Application and a list of other required documents are located on Bellevue's Human Services Funding webpage. Applications are due by October 3, 2024 at 4pm.

Contracted agency(ies) will be connected with the City's Opioid Use Disorder Crisis Response and Outreach Social Worker to access resources, build relationships, increase coordination, and facilitate the connection between diverse community members and city staff.

Proposals should address how the agency will:

- 1) Reach culturally and linguistically specific populations
- 2) Provide free opioid use prevention, education and resource connection to youth, adults and families.
- 3) Enhance connection between crisis response workers and community stakeholders

### Background:

The City of Bellevue is accepting settlement funds from various opioid distributors and sellers. The use of these funds is dictated by the settlement agreement and oversight comes from the newly established Opioid Abatement Council.

For more information, please contact Ruth Blaw at [rblaw@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:rblaw@bellevuewa.gov) or 425-452-4185.

## APPLICATION ASSISTANCE

The City of Bellevue is excited to welcome new and returning applicants to the process. City staff are available to provide technical assistance to any applicants. If this is your first time applying or would like additional support, we strongly recommend reaching out to City of Bellevue staff to discuss your proposal in advance of application submittal.

Bellevue provides and accepts applications in any languages, not limited to English.



For alternate formats, interpreters, or reasonable modification requests please phone at least 48 hours in advance 425-452-2886 (voice) or email [rblaw@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:rblaw@bellevuewa.gov). For complaints regarding modifications, contact the City of Bellevue ADA, Title VI, and Equal Opportunity Officer at [ADATitleVI@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:ADATitleVI@bellevuewa.gov).

If you have any questions regarding the ADA statement above or need help, please reach out to ADA, Title VI, and Equal Opportunity Officer using the contact information above.

Please direct requests for technical assistance or questions about application submissions to Bellevue’s Human Services Team at [humanservices@bellevuewa.gov](mailto:humanservices@bellevuewa.gov) or 425-452-6884.