



DEPARTMENT OF STATE
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Community Services - CSBG Update

FFY 2019 CSBG Application Information

There will be a **small reduction in your FFY 2019 CSBG Refunding Application amount** because the three-year contract allocation, filed with the NYS Office of the State Comptroller's Office in FFY 2016 was based on a baseline projection level. This filing allows us to obligate three years of funding in advance of federal appropriations. Upon receiving the final Notice of Grant Award from the US Department of Health and Human Services next year, we can determine the final allocation at that time.

In addition, the **2018-2019 NY State Budget repealed the 25% local match effective October 1, 2018** which coincides with the Federal Fiscal Year. The match requirement will not be part of your FFY 2019 CSBG Refunding Application.

Community Action of Greene County, Inc Provides Access to Fresh Produce

Community Action of Greene County, Inc. has partnered with Field Goods to allow SNAP benefit recipients access to fresh, local produce. Every Friday, the agency announces which produce will be in the bag for the following week. When the produce is announced, the participants receive information about the produce and recipes on how to prepare it. Participants order their bag on Monday and pick-up on Thursdays.

Funding Opportunity

The New York State Department of Health (DOH) is issuing this Request for Applications (RFA), entitled "Consumer Assistance for NY State of Health: Navigator Program," to solicit applications to participate in the NY State of Health's Navigator Program. Questions are due by July 16, 2018. [Click here](#) for more information.

NYSCAA Regional Meetings

Date	Agency	Meeting Location	Time
Thursday, July 26, 2018	Joint Council of Economic Opportunity of Clinton and Franklin Counties	54 Margaret St. Plattsburgh, NY 12901 (518) 561-6310	10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Thursday, August 2, 2018	CEO-Troy	CEO Admin. Conference Rm 2331 5th Ave Troy, NY 12180 (518) 272-6012	10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Thursday, August 9, 2018	Community Action of Orleans & Genesee, Inc.	Dibble Family Center 4120 Main Street Batavia, New York (585) 589-5605	10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Thursday, August 23, 2018	Department of Youth and Community Development	In Process: stay tuned for updates	10:00 am – 1:00 pm
Thursday, September 6, 2018	PEACE, Inc.	5005 Campuswood Dr. East Syracuse, New York 13057 (315) 634-3719	10:00 am – 1:00 pm

Save the Date:

- ⇒ The 2018 National Community Action Partnership Annual Convention will take place August 28th-31st at the Sheraton Denver Downtown Hotel in Denver, Colorado
- ⇒ The 2018 National Association for State Community Services Programs Annual Training Conference will take place September 17th -21st in Bellevue, Washington

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