



*The mission of the Children's Services Council of Martin County is to enhance the lives of the children of Martin County and to enable them to attain their full potential.*

## **2019-20 REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP) Youth Development/Academic Support**

Each year on a rotating basis, CSCMC releases a funding priority area for open competition. For Fiscal Year 2019-20, the priority area is ***Youth Development/Academic Support***. Organizations submitting proposals will be required to demonstrate how their proposed program's main focus and program impact are aligned with the Focus Areas listed below.

Funding for programs selected will begin July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020. Program funding is typically on a monthly reimbursement basis. It is important to review the *CSCMC Program and Funding Policies* before completing the Application for CSCMC Funding. A *CSCMC Sample Contract and Budget* can be reviewed at [www.cscmc.org](http://www.cscmc.org).

### **Youth Development/Academic Support Focus Areas**

- **Out-of-School Time (OST) Programs** provide regularly scheduled, structured, and supervised activities where learning opportunities take place outside of the typical school day. These programs may occur before or after school, weekends, or during seasonal breaks.

Programs funded in this category must provide a comprehensive approach to youth development either through a defined program or through mentoring. The program services typically include academic tutoring, creative skills development, and physical fitness improvement. Afterschool programs must comply with Florida Statutes regarding licensure requirements.

- **School-to-Work/Job Connection Programs** ensure that youth gain workforce experience and have a safe, productive way to spend their time. Job readiness training and subsidized wages are provided for youth who work at selected employers.

Programs funded in this category must provide youth with instruction, mentoring, work preparedness, leadership, and employability skills.

## **Question and Answer Session**

*(Meeting will be held at Children's Services Council, 101 S.E. Central Parkway, Stuart, FL)*

**Thursday, January 10, 2019, 10:00 AM**

## **Proposal Due Date**

**Monday, February 11, 2019 at 3:00 PM**

## **How to Apply**

- 1. Go to Children's Services Council of Martin County website at [www.cscmc.org](http://www.cscmc.org) and complete the CSCMC Application for Funding and Budget Forms.**
- 2. All Applications for Funding will be completed and submitted on-line to [CSCMC@CSCMC.ORG](mailto:CSCMC@CSCMC.ORG)**

## **For More Information**

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