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STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICES 29 HAZEN DRIVE, CONCORD, NH 03301 603-271-4501 1-800-852-3345 Ext. 4501 Fax: 603-271-4827 TDD Access: 1-800-735-2964 www.dhhs.nh.gov

August 24, 2021

Lori Shibinette Commissioner

Patricia M. Tilley Director

The Honorable Ken Weyler, Chairman Fiscal Committee of the General Court and

His Excellency, Governor Christopher T. Sununu and the Honorable Council State House Concord, New Hampshire 03301

REQUESTED ACTION

- Pursuant to RSA 14:30-a, VI, authorize the Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Public Health Services, Bureau of Infectious Disease Control, to accept and expend federal funds in the amount of \$22,495,752 from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) to fund the Immunization Program as mandated by the American Rescue Plan effective upon approval by the Fiscal Committee and Governor and Executive Council through June 30, 2023, and further authorize the funds to be allocated as follows. 100% Federal Funds.
- 2. Contingent upon approval of Requested Action #1, pursuant to RSA 124:15, authorize the Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Public Health Services to create twelve (12) new positions for Immunization purposes effective upon approval by the Fiscal Committee and Governor and Executive Council through June 30, 2023. 100% Federal Funds.

05-95-90-902510-2495-HEALTH AND SOCIAL SERVICES, DEPT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES, HHS: DIVISION OF PUBLIC HEALTH, BUREAU OF INFECTIOUS DISEASE CONTROL, IMMUNIZATION-ARP The Honorable Ken Weyler, Chairman His Excellency, Governor Christopher T. Sununu Page 2

SFY2022 Class/Object	Class Title	Current uthorized Budget	This Request		Adjusted Budget	
Revenue		1767				
000-404706	Federal Funds	\$ -	\$	22,495,752	\$	22,495,752
	General Funds	\$ -		_	\$	-
	Total Revenue:		\$	22,495,752	\$	22,495,752
Expense						
018-500106	Overtime	\$ -	\$	280,049	\$	280,049
020-500200	Current Expenses	\$ -	\$	36,000	\$	36,000
037-500173	Technology-Hardware	\$ -	\$	49,100	\$	49,100
038-500175	Technology-Software	\$ -	\$	55,848	\$	55,848
039-500188	Telecommunications	\$ -	\$	1,000	\$	1,000
041-500801	Audit Fund Set Aside	\$ -	\$	26,403	\$	26,403
042-500620	Post Retirements Benefits	\$ -	\$	217,467	\$	217,467
059-500117	Temp Full Time	\$ -	\$	2,177,228	\$	2,177,228
060-500601	Benefits	\$ 	\$	1,197,475	\$	1,197,475
070-500704	In State Travel Reimb	\$ -	\$	10,080	\$	10,080
102-500731	Contracts for Program Services	\$ -	\$	18,445,102	\$	18,445,102
	Total Expense:	\$ -	\$	22,495,752	\$	22,495,752

EXPLANATION

This request is being made to accept additional grant funds available for SFY 2022 and SFY 2023 to administer and support programmatic needs to focus on the work of implementing and expanding New Hampshire's COVID-19 vaccination program under the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021. The funding will be instrumental in the continuation of statewide plans with key partners for the distribution and administration of the SARS-CoV-2 vaccine(s), as well as providing additional resources to support the on-going Immunization Information System (IIS) implementation, instrumental in overall vaccine accountability for the receipt, distribution and administration of the SARS-Co-V2 vaccine(s).

The NH Immunization Section received notification of three (3) additional COVID-19 supplemental awards, totaling \$31,686,231. The amount of \$26,403,187 is coming to the state via the U.S. Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), from the American Rescue Plan Act (ARP), P.L. 117-2. The purpose of the award is to support programmatic needs to focus on the work of implementing and expanding New Hampshire's COVID-19 vaccination program.

The funds are to be budgeted as follows:

- Class 018 The funds will be used to pay overtime expenses for staff engaged in COVID-19 vaccination response efforts including operations and call center.
- Class 020 The funds will be used to pay for current expense item such as vaccine shipping supplies (containers, dry ice, postage), office supplies for staff, printing and copying.

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Class 037	The funds will be used to pay for computer hardware for new staff hired to perform
	COVID-19 vaccination response activities and to replace 10 old computers of existing
	staff.
Class 038	The funds will be used to pay for computer software required to read/edit NHIIS HL7
	messages during onboarding of COVID-19 Vaccine providers and develop/edit e-learning
	training modules.
Class 041	The funds will be used to pay for audit fund set aside.
Class 042	The funds will be used to pay for post-retirement expense.
Class 059	The funds will be used to pay for 12 new full time temporary positions which include:

Program Specialist III: This Health Communication Specialist position is responsible for supporting COVID-19 vaccine communication, education and outreach, as well as health equity efforts. This position will collaborate with internal and external partners to increase vaccine confidence and ensure messaging targets individuals with different levels of health/digital/science literacy.

System Development Specialist III: Five (5) NH IIS Data Quality Specialists positions are responsible for facilitating onboarding of over 400 NH vaccine providers who are establishing an interface with NHIIS for purposes of electronic reporting of vaccine administration and inventory. These positions will be responsible for assisting providers with data entry into the IIS, manually reviewing data reported via electronic interface for quality and responding to Help Desk requests.

Program Specialist IV: This Grant Coordinator positon is responsible for supporting the coordination of NH Immunization Section public health response grants and cooperative agreements as the section has grown from managing 1 core award at approximately \$2.5 million to now having oversight of multiple COVID Supplemental awards totaling over \$50 million. This position will assist in the development of budgets and preparation of periodic statistical and narrative reports on programs for Federal reporting.

System Development Specialist IV: Five (5) NH IIS Onboarding Specialists positions are responsible for facilitating onboarding of over 400 NH vaccine providers who are establishing an interface with NHIIS for purposes of electronic reporting of vaccine administration and inventory. Currently vaccine providers have to double document vaccine information in order to share it with NH and other providers. Once these interfaces are created, that burden will no longer be required. These positions will support provider implementation of this interface (HL7 two-way messaging) and provide technical assistance during iterative cycles of testing the interoperability of connections between provider and the NH IIS.

- Class 060 The funds will be used to pay for benefits associated with the 12 positions above.
- Class 070 The funds will be used to pay for in-state travel to perform sub-recipient monitoring, required site visits of vaccine providers and in-person technical assistance.
- Class 102 The funds will be used to pay for contracts with multiple vendors for the purpose of implementing data system enhancements required to support COVID-19 vaccination response effort, utilizing technology to onboard and support COVID-19 Vaccine Providers, increasing vaccine access and uptake, developing/disseminating vaccine education/communications campaigns and providing temporary staffing.

In response to the anticipated two-part question, "Can these funds be used to offset General Funds?" and "What is the compelling reason for not offsetting General Funds?" the Division offers the following information: These funds may not be used to offset General Funds as they are specifically granted to the State for the purpose of providing the services described above.

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The following information is provided in accordance with the comptroller's instructional memorandum dated September 21, 1981:

- 1. List of personnel involved: 12 new positions will be created utilizing this funding including; Grant Coordinator, Health Communications Specialist, 5 NH IIS Data Quality Analyst and 5 NH IIS Onboarding Specialist
- 2. Nature, Need, and Duration: Creation of these positions will support the COVID-19 response by increasing the state's capacity to implement effective immunization programs to prevent the occurrence of deadly infectious diseases, including COVID-19. These positons support critical immunization program functions related to ensuring: program oversight, quality assurance, communication with stakeholders, sub-recipient monitoring, compliance with Federal requirements and reporting, onboarding and technical assistance of information and data systems for COVID health care providers, increasing vaccination rates especially among populations disproportionately affected by COVID-19 and promoting campaigns to address vaccine hesitancy and promote vaccine confidence. The need for these positions to be filled is urgent, especially in light of COVID response team demobilization. The duration for these positions will be 36 months, with the exception of three NH IIS Data Quality Analysts and three NH IIS Onboarding Specialists who will have a duration of 30 months.
- 3. Relationship to existing agency programs: This new funding will support the evolving needs of the pandemic response.
- 4. Has a similar program been requested of the legislature and denied? No
- 5. Why wasn't funding included in the agency's budget request? At the time of budget submission it was not known that this ARPA COVID-19 funding would be available.
- 6. Can portions of the grant funds be utilized? All grant dollars are being used for this request.
- 7. Estimate the funds required to continue this position(s): The positions necessary for this work will not be permanent.

These funds will not change the program eligibility levels. No new program will be established with the acceptance of these funds.

Area served: Statewide

Source of Funds: 100% Federal Funds from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). The notice of three supplemental funds awarded were received March 29, 2021, March 31, 2021 and May 5, 2021. They were not added to the operating budget because these are new funds recently granted to the State to assist in the public health Coronavirus response and were not anticipated at the time the budget was developed.

If Federal Funds become no longer available, General Funds will not be requested to support the program expenditures.

Respectfully submitted,

Lori A. Shibinette Commissioner

Notice Of Award #	23IP922595-02-04	23IP9225	595-02-05	23IP922595-02-06
Amount:	\$12,748,714.00	\$17,939	\$998,250.00	
Funding Source	ARP	CRRSSA	ARP	ARP
Totals	12,748,714.00	5,283,044.00	12,656,223.00	998,250.00
Cost Allocation	(1,886,307.00)	(782,500.00)	(1,923,278.00)	(97,850.00)
Totals	10,862,407.00	4,500,544.00	10,732,945.00	900,400.00
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	New ARP AU 2495	AU 1956	New AF	RP AU 2495
	10,862,407.00			
	10,732,945.00			
	900,400.00			
	22,495,752.00	4,500,544.00		



Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Notice of Award

 Award#
 6 NH23IP922595-02-04

 FAIN#
 NH23IP922595

 Federal Award Date:
 03/29/2021

Recipient Information	Federal Award Information		
1. Recipient Name	11. Award Number		
New Hampshire DHHS	6 NH23IP922595-02-04 12. Unique Federal Award Identification Number (FAIN)		
129 PLEASANT ST	NH23IP922595		
CONCORD, NH 03301-3852	13. Statutory Authority		
[NO DATA]	Sections 317, 317(k)(2) of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. Sections 247b, amended.	247b(k)(2) and 247c), a	
2. Congressional District of Recipient	14. Federal Award Project Title CDC-RFA-IP19-1901 Immunization and Vaccines for Children		
02			
3. Payment System Identifier (ID) 1026000618B5	15. Assistance Listing Number		
4. Employer Identification Number (EIN)	93.268		
026000618	16. Assistance Listing Program Title		
5. Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS)	Immunization Cooperative Agreements		
011040545 6. Recipient's Unique Entity Identifier	17. Award Action Type		
o. Recipient's omque entity identifier	Supplement		
7. Project Director or Principal Investigator	18. Is the Award R&D?		
Ms. Colleen M. Haggerty	No		
N/A	Summary Federal Award Financial Informa	tion	
colleen.m.haggerty@dhhs.nh.gov	19. Budget Period Start Date 07/01/2020 - End Date 06/30/2021		
603-271-4482	20. Total Amount of Federal Funds Obligated by this Action	ALA 210 21 / AA	
8. Authorized Official	20. Total Amount of rederal Funds Obligated by this Action 20a. Direct Cost Amount	\$12,748,714.00	
Ms. Lisa M. Morris	20b. Indirect Cost Amount	\$12,748,714.00	
Director		\$0.00	
lisa.morris@dhhs.nh.gov	21. Authorized Carryover	\$950,000.00	
603-271-4110	22. Offset	\$0.00	
	23. Total Amount of Federal Funds Obligated this budget period	\$16,061,234.00	
Federal Agency Information CDC Office of Financial Resources	24. Total Approved Cost Sharing or Matching, where applicable	\$0.00	
CDC Onles of Financial Resources	25. Total Federal and Non-Federal Approved this Budget Period	\$28,809,948.00	
9. Awarding Agency Contact Information		0.000 10 10100	
Freda Johnson	26. Project Period Start Date 07/01/2019 - End Date 06/30/2024		
wve2@cdc.gov	27. Total Amount of the Federal Award including Approved		
770.488.3107	Cost Sharing or Matching this Project Period	\$33,178,264.00	
	28. Authorized Treatment of Program Income		
10.Program Official Contact Information	ADDITIONAL COSTS		
Gayle Daniels	29. Grants Management Officer - Signature		
gzs4@cdc.gov	Brownie Anderson-Rana		
404-639-6357	Grants Management Officer		

30. Remarks



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Notice of Award

Award# 6 NH23IP922595-02-04 FAIN# NH23IP922595 Federal Award Date: 03/29/2021

Recipient Information	33. Approved Budget (Excludes Direct Assistance)				
Recipient Name New Hampshire DHHS	 I. Financial Assistance from the Federal Awarding Agency Only II. Total project costs including grant funds and all other financial participation 				
129 PLEASANT ST CONCORD, NH 03301-3852 [NO DATA]	 a. Salaries and Wages b. Fringe Benefits c. Total Personnel Costs 	\$1,116,450.00 \$509,324.00 \$1,625,774.00			
Congressional District of Recipient 02 Payment Account Number and Type 1026000618B5 Employer Identification Number (EIN) Data 026000618 Universal Numbering System (DUNS) 011040545 Recipient's Unique Entity Identifier Not Available	 d. Equipment e. Supplies f. Travel g. Construction h. Other i. Contractual 	\$167,536.00 \$239,632.00 \$26,267.00 \$0.00 \$25,106,097.00 \$2,243,480.00			
	j. TOTAL DIRECT COSTS k. INDIRECT COSTS	\$29,408,786.00 \$351,162.00			
31. Assistance Type Cooperative Agreement 32. Type of Award Demonstration	1. TOTAL APPROVED BUDGET m. Federal Share n. Non-Federal Share	\$29,759,948.00 \$29,759,948.00 \$0.00			

34. Accounting Classification Codes

FY-ACCOUNT NO.	DOCUMENT NO.	ADMINISTRATIVE CODE	OBJECT CLASS	AMT ACTION FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE	APPROPRIATION
1-9390GWA	20NH23IP922595C6	IP	41.51	\$12,748,714.00	75-X-0943

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 Award#
 6 NH23IP922595-02-04

 FAIN#
 NH23IP922595

 Federal Award Date:
 03/29/2021

Direct Assistance

BUDGET CATEGORIES	PREVIOUS AMOUNT (A)	AMOUNT THIS ACTION (B)	IOIAL (A+B)
Personnel	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Fringe Benefits	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Travel	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Equipment	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Supplies	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Contractual	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Construction	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Other	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

AWARD ATTACHMENTS

New Hampshire DHHS

1. Terms and Conditions NH

6 NH23IP922595-02-04

ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF AWARD

Incorporation: In addition to the federal laws, regulations, policies, and CDC General Terms and Conditions for Non-research awards at

<u>https://www.cdc.gov/grants/federalregulationspolicies/index.html</u>, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) hereby incorporates Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) number IP19- 1901, entitled, *Immunization and Vaccines for Children*, which are hereby made a part of this Non-research award, hereinafter referred to as the Notice of Award (NoA).

Supplemental Component Funding: Additional funding in the amount \$12,748,714 is approved for the Year 02 budget period, which is July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021.

Recipients have until June 30. 2024 to expend all COVID-19 funds herein and previously funded.

Overtime: Because overtime costs are a very likely and reasonable expense during the response to COVID-19, CDC will allow recipients to include projected overtime in their budgets. Recipients should be careful to estimate costs based on current real-time needs and will still be required to follow federal rules and regulations in accounting for the employees' time and effort.

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Funds: A recipient of a grant or cooperative agreement awarded by the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) with funds made available under the Coronavirus Preparedness and Response Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2020 (P.L. 116-123); the Coronavirus Aid, Relief, and Economic Security Act, 2020 (the "CARES Act") (P.L. 116-136); the Paycheck Protection Program and Health Care Enhancement Act (P.L. 116-139); and/or the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2021, Division M - Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act, 2021 (P.L. 116-260), the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021 (P.L. 117-2) agrees, as applicable to the award, to: 1) comply with existing and/or future directives and guidance from the Secretary regarding control of the spread of COVID-19; 2) in consultation and coordination with HHS, provide, commensurate with the condition of the individual, COVID-19 patient care regardless of the individual's home jurisdiction and/or appropriate public health measures (e.g., social distancing, home isolation); and 3) assist the United States Government in the implementation and enforcement of federal orders related to quarantine and isolation.

In addition, to the extent applicable, Recipient will comply with Section 18115 of the CARES Act, with respect to the reporting to the HHS Secretary of results of tests intended to detect SARS-CoV-2 or to diagnose a possible case of COVID-19. Such reporting shall be in accordance with guidance and direction from HHS and/or CDC. HHS laboratory reporting <u>guidance</u> is posted at: <u>https://www.hhs.gov/sites/default/files/covid-19-laboratory-data-reporting-guidance.pdf</u>.

Further, consistent with the full scope of applicable grant regulations (45 C.F.R. 75.322), the purpose of this award, and the underlying funding, the recipient is expected to provide to CDC copies of and/or access to COVID-19 data collected with these funds, including but not limited to data related to COVID-19 testing. CDC will specify in further guidance and directives what is encompassed by this requirement.

Unallowable Costs:

- Research
- Clinical care
- Publicity and propaganda (lobbying):
 - o Other than for normal and recognized executive-legislative relationships, no funds may be used for:

- publicity or propaganda purposes, for the preparation, distribution, or use of any material designed to support or defeat the enactment of legislation before any legislative body
- the salary or expenses of any grant or contract recipient, or agent acting for such recipient, related to any activity designed to influence the enactment of legislation, appropriations, regulation, administrative action, or Executive order proposed or pending before any legislative body
- See Additional Requirement (AR) 12 for detailed guidance on this prohibition and additional guidance on lobbying for CDC recipients: https://www.cdc.gov/grants/documents/Anti-Lobbying_Restrictions_for_CDC_Grantees_July_2012.pdf
- All unallowable costs cited in CDC-RFA-IP19-1901 remain in effect, unless specifically amended in this guidance, in accordance with 45 CFR Part 75 Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, And Audit Requirements for HHS Awards.

<u>COVID-19 Funding Budget Revision Requirement</u>: The recipient must submit a revised budget with a narrative justification within 60 days of receipt of the Notice of Award. If the date falls on a weekend or holiday, the submission will be due the following business day. Failure to submit the required information in a timely manner may adversely affect the future funding of this project. If the information cannot be provided by the due date, you are required to contact the GMS/GMO identified in the Awarding Agency Contact Information section on the first page before the due date.

REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

Required Disclosures for Federal Awardee Performance and Integrity Information System (FAPIIS): Consistent with 45 CFR 75.113, applicants and recipients must disclose in a timely manner, in writing to the CDC, with a copy to the HHS Office of Inspector General (OIG), all information related to violations of federal criminal law involving fraud, bribery, or gratuity violations potentially affecting the federal award. Subrecipients must disclose, in a timely manner in writing to the prime recipient (pass through entity) and the HHS OIG, all information related to violations of federal criminal law involving fraud, bribery, or gratuity violations potentially affecting the federal award. Disclosures must be sent in writing to the CDC and to the HHS OIG at the following addresses:

CDC, Office of Grants Services

Wayne Woods, Grants Management Specialist Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Branch 1

2939 Flowers Road, MS-TV-2 Atlanta, GA 30341

Email: <u>kuv1@cdc.gov</u> (Include "Mandatory Grant Disclosures" in subject line) AND

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Office of the Inspector General ATTN: Mandatory Grant Disclosures, Intake Coordinator 3301Independence Avenue, SW Cohen Building, Room 5527 Washington, DC 20201 Fax: (202)-205-0604 (Include "Mandatory Grant Disclosures" in subject line) or Email: MandatoryGranteeDisclosures@oig.hhs.gov

Recipients must include this mandatory disclosure requirement in all subawards and contracts under this award.

Failure to make required disclosures can result in any of the remedies described in 45 CFR 75.371. Remedies for noncompliance, including suspension or debarment (See 2 CFR parts 180 and 376, and 31 U.S.C. 3321).

CDC is required to report any termination of a federal award prior to the end of the period of performance due to material failure to comply with the terms and conditions of this award in the OMB-designated integrity and performance system accessible through SAM (currently FAPIIS). (45 CFR 75.372(b)) CDC must also notify the recipient if the federal award is terminated for failure to comply with the federal statutes, regulations, or terms and conditions of the federal award. (45 CFR 75.373(b))

PAYMENT INFORMATION

The HHS Office of the Inspector General (OIG) maintains a toll-free number (1-800-HHS-TIPS [1-800-447-8477]) for receiving information concerning fraud, waste, or abuse under grants and cooperative agreements. Information also may be submitted by e-mail to <u>hhstips@oig.hhs.gov</u> or by mail to Office of the Inspector General, Department of Health and Human Services, Attn: HOTLINE, 330 Independence Ave., SW, Washington DC 20201. Such reports are treated as sensitive material and submitters may decline to give their names if they choose to remain anonymous.

Payment Management System Subaccount: Funds awarded in support of approved activities have been obligated in a subaccount in the PMS, herein identified as the "P Account". Funds must be used in support of approved activities in the NOFO and the approved application.

The grant document number identified on the bottom of **Page 2** of the Notice of Award must be known to draw down funds.

Stewardship: The recipient must exercise proper stewardship over Federal funds by ensuring that all costs charged to your cooperative agreement are allowable, allocable, and reasonable and that they address the highest priority needs as they relate to this program.

All the other terms and conditions issued with the original award remain in effect throughout the budget period unless otherwise changed, in writing, by the Grants Management Officer.



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Notice of Award

Award# 6 NH23IP922595-02-05 FAIN# NH23IP922595 Federal Award Date: 03/31/2021

Recipient Information	Federal Award Information		
1. Recipient Name New Hampshire DHHS 129 PLEASANT ST CONCORD, NH 03301-3852 [NO DATA]	 11. Award Number 6 NH23IP922595-02-05 12. Unique Federal Award Identification Number (FAIN) NH23IP922595 13. Statutory Authority Sections 317, 317(k)(2) of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. Sections 247b, amended. 	247b(k)(2) and 247c),	
2. Congressional District of Recipient	14. Federal Award Project Title CDC-RFA-IP19-1901 Immunization and Vaccines for Children		
 Payment System Identifier (ID) 1026000618B5 Employer Identification Number (EIN) 026000618 Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) 011040545 Recipient's Unique Entity Identifier Project Director or Principal Investigator 	 15. Assistance Listing Number 93.268 16. Assistance Listing Program Title Immunization Cooperative Agreements 17. Award Action Type Supplement 18. Is the Award R&D? No 		
Ms. Colleen M. Haggerty N/A	Summary Federal Award Financial Informa	tion	
colleen m.haggerty@dhhs.nh.gov 603-271-4482	19. Budget Period Start Date 07/01/2020 - End Date 06/30/2021		
8. Authorized Official Ms. Lisa M. Morris	20. Total Amount of Federal Funds Obligated by this Action 20a. Direct Cost Amount 20b. Indirect Cost Amount	\$17,939,267.00 \$17,939,267.00 \$0.00	
Director hisa.morris@dhhs.nh.gov 603-271-4110	21. Authorized Carryover 22. Offset	\$950,000.00 \$0.00	
Federal Agency Information	23. Total Amount of Federal Funds Obligated this budget period24. Total Approved Cost Sharing or Matching, where applicable	\$16,061,234.00 \$0.00	
CDC Office of Financial Resources 9. Awarding Agency Contact Information Freda Johnson	25. Total Federal and Non-Federal Approved this Budget Period 26. Project Period Start Date 07/01/2019 - End Date 06/30/2024	\$34,000,501.00	
wve2@cdc.gov 770.488.3107	27. Total Amount of the Federal Award including Approved Cost Sharing or Matching this Project Period	\$51,117,531.00	
10.Program Official Contact Information Gayle Daniels gzs4@cdc.gov 404-639-6357	 28. Authorized Treatment of Program Income ADDITIONAL COSTS 29. Grants Management Officer - Signature Brownie Anderson-Rana 		

Grants Management Officer

30. Remarks

This funding is related to the activities under COVID-19 Vaccination Supplement 4 (April 2021)



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 Award#
 6 NH23IP922595-02-05

 FAIN#
 NH23IP922595

 Federal Award Date:
 03/31/2021

Recipient Information	33. Approved Budget (Excludes Direct Assistance)				
Recipient Name	I. Financial Assistance from the Federal Awarding Ag	gency Only			
New Hampshire DHHS	II. Total project costs including grant funds and all o	other financial participation			
129 PLEASANT ST	a. Salaries and Wages	\$1,116,450.00			
CONCORD, NH 03301-3852	b. Fringe Benefits	\$509,324.00			
[NO DATA]	c. TotalPersonnelCosts	\$1,625,774.00			
Congressional District of Recipient	d. Equipment	\$167,536.00			
02	e. Supplies	\$239,632.00			
Payment Account Number and Type	f. Travel	\$26,267.00			
1026000618B5 Employer Identification Number (EIN) Data	g. Construction	\$0.00			
026000618	h. Other	\$43,050,761.00			
Universal Numbering System (DUNS) 011040545	i. Contractual	\$3,188,083.00			
Recipient's Unique Entity Identifier	j. TOTAL DIRECT COSTS	\$48,298,053.00			
Not Available	k. INDIRECT COSTS	\$351,162.00			
31. Assistance Type	1. TOTAL APPROVED BUDGET	\$48,649,215.00			
Cooperative Agreement 32. Type of Award	m. Federal Share	\$34,950,501.00			
Demonstration	n. Non-Federal Share	\$0.00			

34. Accounting Classification Codes

FY-ACCOUNT NO.	DOCUMENT NO.	ADMINISTRATIVE CODE	OBJECT CLASS	AMT ACTION FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE	APPROPRIATION
1-9390GKL	20NH23IP922595C5	IP	41.51	\$5,283,044.00	75-2124-0943
1-9390GWA	20NH23IP922595C6	1P	41.51	\$12,656,223.00	75-X-0943

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 Award#
 6 NH23IP922595-02-05

 FAIN#
 NH23IP922595

 Federal Award Date:
 03/31/2021

Direct Assistance

BUDGET CATEGORIES	PREVIOUS AMOUNT (A)	AMOUNT THIS ACTION (B)	IOIAL (A+B)
Personnel	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Fringe Benefits	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Travel	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Equipment	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Supplies	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Contractual	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Construction	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Other	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00
Total	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00

AWARD ATTACHMENTS

New Hampshire DHHS

1. Terms and Conditions-New Hampshire

ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF AWARD

Incorporation: In addition to the federal laws, regulations, policies, and CDC General Terms and Conditions for Non-research awards at

<u>https://www.cdc.gov/grants/federalregulationspolicies/index.html</u>, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) hereby incorporates Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) number IP19- 1901, entitled, *Immunization and Vaccines for Children,* which are hereby made a part of this Non-research award, hereinafter referred to as the Notice of Award (NoA).

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Further, consistent with the full scope of applicable grant regulations (45 C.F.R. 75.322), the purpose of this award, and the underlying funding, the recipient is expected to provide to CDC copies of and/or access to COVID-19 data collected with these funds, including but not limited to data related to COVID-19 testing. CDC will specify in further guidance and directives what is encompassed by this requirement.

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- the salary or expenses of any grant or contract recipient, or agent acting for such recipient, related to any activity designed to influence the enactment of legislation, appropriations, regulation, administrative action, or Executive order proposed or pending before any legislative body
- See Additional Requirement (AR) 12 for detailed guidance on this prohibition and additional guidance on lobbying for CDC recipients: https://www.cdc.gov/grants/documents/Anti-Lobbying_Restrictions_for_CDC_Grantees_July_2012.pdf
- All unallowable costs cited in CDC-RFA-IP19-1901 remain in effect, unless specifically amended in this guidance, in accordance with 45 CFR Part 75 - Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, And Audit Requirements for HHS Awards.

COVID-19 Funding Budget Revision Requirement: The recipient must submit a revised budget with a narrative justification within 60 days of receipt of the Notice of Award. If the date falls on a weekend or holiday, the submission will be due the following business day. Failure to submit the required information in a timely manner may adversely affect the future funding of this project. If the information cannot be provided by the due date, you are required to contact the GMS/GMO identified in the Awarding Agency Contact Information section on the first page before the due date.

REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

Required Disclosures for Federal Awardee Performance and Integrity Information System (FAPIIS): Consistent with 45 CFR 75.113, applicants and recipients must disclose in a timely manner, in writing to the CDC, with a copy to the HHS Office of Inspector General (OIG), all information related to violations of federal criminal law involving fraud, bribery, or gratuity violations potentially affecting the federal award. Subrecipients must disclose, in a timely manner in writing to the prime recipient (pass through entity) and the HHS OIG, all information related to violations of federal criminal law involving fraud, bribery, or gratuity violations potentially affecting the federal award. Disclosures must be sent in writing to the CDC and to the HHS OIG at the following addresses:

CDC, Office of Grants Services

Wayne Woods, Grants Management Specialist Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Branch 1

2939 Flowers Road, MS-TV-2 Atlanta, GA 30341

Email: <u>kuv1@cdc.gov</u> (Include "Mandatory Grant Disclosures" in subject line) **AND**

U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Office of the Inspector General ATTN: Mandatory Grant Disclosures, Intake Coordinator 3301Independence Avenue, SW Cohen Building, Room 5527 Washington, DC 20201 Fax: (202)-205-0604 (Include "Mandatory Grant Disclosures" in subject line) or Email: MandatoryGranteeDisclosures@oig.hhs.gov

Recipients must include this mandatory disclosure requirement in all subawards and contracts under this award.

Failure to make required disclosures can result in any of the remedies described in 45 CFR 75.371. Remedies for noncompliance, including suspension or debarment (See 2 CFR parts 180 and 376, and 31 U.S.C. 3321).

CDC is required to report any termination of a federal award prior to the end of the period of performance due to material failure to comply with the terms and conditions of this award in the OMB-designated integrity and performance system accessible through SAM (currently FAPIIS). (45 CFR 75.372(b)) CDC must also notify the recipient if the federal award is terminated for failure to comply with the federal statutes, regulations, or terms and conditions of the federal award. (45 CFR 75.373(b))

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Payment Management System Subaccount: Funds awarded in support of approved activities have been obligated in a subaccount in the PMS, herein identified as the "P Account". Funds must be used in support of approved activities in the NOFO and the approved application.

The grant document number identified on the bottom of **Page 2** of the Notice of Award must be known to draw down funds.

Stewardship: The recipient must exercise proper stewardship over Federal funds by ensuring that all costs charged to your cooperative agreement are allowable, allocable, and reasonable and that they address the highest priority needs as they relate to this program.

All the other terms and conditions issued with the original award remain in effect throughout the budget period unless otherwise changed, in writing, by the Grants Management Officer.



Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Notice of Award

Award# 6 NH23IP922595-02-06 FAIN# NH23IP922595 Federal Award Date: 05/03/2021

Recipient Information	Federal Award Information		
1. Recipient Name	11. Award Number		
New Hampshire DHHS	6 NH23IP922595-02-06 12. Unique Federal Award Identification Number (FAIN)		
129 PLEASANT ST	NH231P922595		
CONCORD, NH 03301-3852	13. Statutory Authority		
[NO DATA]	Sections 317, 317(k)(2) of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. Sections 2-	47b, 247b(k)(2) and 247c), a	
	amended.		
2. Congressional District of Recipient	14. Federal Award Project Title CDC-RFA-IP19-1901 Immunization and Vaccines for Children		
3. Payment System Identifier (ID)			
1026000618B5	15. Assistance Listing Number		
4. Employer Identification Number (EIN)	93.268 16. Assistance Listing Program Title		
026000618 5. Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS)	Immunization Cooperative Agreements		
011040545	17 Aurord Antion Trans		
6. Recipient's Unique Entity Identifier	17. Award Action Type Supplement		
7. Project Director or Principal Investigator	18. Is the Award R&D?		
Ms. Anne Marie Mercuri	No		
N/A	Summary Federal Award Financial Inform	nation	
annemarie.mercuri@dhhs.nh.gov 603.271.4261	19. Budget Period Start Date 07/01/2020 - End Date 06/30/2021		
8. Authorized Official	20. Total Amount of Federal Funds Obligated by this Action	\$998,250.00	
	20a. Direct Cost Amount	\$998,250.00	
Ms. Lisa M. Morris	20b. Indirect Cost Amount	\$0.00	
Director lisa.morris@dhhs.nh.gov	21. Authorized Carryover	\$950,000.00	
603-271-4110	22. Offset	\$0.00	
	23. Total Amount of Federal Funds Obligated this budget period	\$46,749,215.00	
Federal Agency Information	24. Total Approved Cost Sharing or Matching, where applicable	\$0.00	
CDC Office of Financial Resources	25. Total Federal and Non-Federal Approved this Budget Period	\$47,747,465.00	
9. Awarding Agency Contact Information	26. Project Period Start Date 07/01/2019 - End Date 06/30/2024	<i><i>wiijiiijiooiooooooooooooo</i></i>	
Ms. Kathy Raible-GMS			
kcr8@cdc.gov	27. Total Amount of the Federal Award including Approved Cost Sharing or Matching this Project Period	Nuclear States	
770-488-2045	Cost sharing of Matching this respect renou	Not Available	
	28. Authorized Treatment of Program Income		
10.Program Official Contact Information			
Gayle Daniels	ADDITIONAL COSTS		
gzs4@cdc.gov	29. Grants Management Officer – Signature		
404-639-6357	Brownie Anderson-Rana		
	Grants Management Officer		

30. Remarks



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Recipient Information	 33. Approved Budget (Excludes Direct Assistance) I. Financial Assistance from the Federal Awarding Agency Only II. Total project costs including grant funds and all other financial participation 		
Recipient Name			
New Hampshire DHHS 129 PLEASANT ST	a. Salaries and Wages	\$1,116,450.00	
CONCORD, NH 03301-3852 [NO DATA]	b. Fringe Benefits c. Total Personnel Costs	\$509,324.00	
Congressional District of Recipient 02 Payment Account Number and Type 1026000618B5 Employer Identification Number (EIN) Data 026000618 Universal Numbering System (DUNS) 011040545 Recipient's Unique Entity Identifier Not Available	d. Equipment	\$1,625,774.00 \$167,536.00	
	e. Supplies f. Travel	\$239,632.00 \$26,267.00	
	g. Construction	\$0.00	
	h. Other i. Contractual	\$44,043,614.00 \$2,243,480.00	
	j. TOTAL DIRECT COSTS	\$48,346,303.00	
	k. INDIRECT COSTS	\$351,162.00	
31. Assistance Type Cooperative Agreement	I. TOTAL APPROVED BUDGET	\$48,697,465.00	
32. Type of Award	m. Federal Share	\$48,697,465.00	
Demonstration	n. Non-Federal Share	\$0.00	

34. Accounting Classification Codes

FY-ACCOUNT NO.	DOCUMENT NO.	ADMINISTRATIVE CODE	OBJECT CLASS	AMT ACTION FINANCIAL ASSISTANCE	APPROPRIATION
1-9390GZB	20NH23IP922595VWCC6	IP	41.51	\$998,250.00	75-X-0943
1-9390GWA	20NH231P922595C6	1P	41.51	\$0.00	75-X-0943

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES Notice of Award Award# 6 NH23IP92 FAIN# NH23IP9224



Award# 6 NH23IP922595-02-06 FAIN# NH23IP922595 Federal Award Date: 05/03/2021

Direct Assistance

BUDGET CATEGORIES	PREVIOUS AMOUNT (A)	AMOUNT THIS ACTION (B)	TOTAL (A + B)	
Personnel	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Fringe Benefits	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Travel	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Equipment	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Supplies	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Contractual	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Construction	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Other	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	
Total	\$0.00	\$0.00	\$0.00	

AWARD ATTACHMENTS

New Hampshire DHHS

1. Revised Terms and Conditions

6 NH23IP922595-02-06

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State Of New Hampshire DIVISION OF PERSONNEL Department of Administrative Services 54 Regional Drive, Suite 5 Concord, New Hampshire 03301

CHARLES M. ARLINGHAUS Commissioner (603) 271-3201 LORRIE A. RUDIS Director of Personnel (603) 271-3261

August 13, 2021

Ms. Marilyn G. Doe, Interim Director Department of Health & Human Services 129 Pleasant Street Concord, NH 03301

Regarding: Request to establish five (5) full-time temporary Systems Development Specialist III, LG 23 positions pay schedule A000 – positions #9T3121, #9T3122, #9T3123, #9T3124, and #9T3125.

Dear Ms. Doe,

The Division of Personnel approves your request received on June 24, 2021 for the Department of Health & Human Services to establish positions #9T3121, #9T3122, #9T3123, #9T3124, and #9T3125 as a full-time temporary Systems Development Specialist III, LG 23; pending approval of funding.

These positions are being established to support the COVID-19 response by increasing the state's capacity to implement effective immunization programs to prevent the reoccurrence of deadly infectious diseases, including COVID-19. Due to demobilization of the National Guard service members, it is of high importance to establish these positions to support immunization program functions related to COVID-19 vaccine operations, communications, data systems and quality assurance.

The five (5) Systems Development Specialist III, Data Quality Specialist positions facilitate the onboarding of over 400 NH vaccine providers who are establishing an interface with NHIIS for purposes of electronic reporting of vaccine administration and inventory. These positions will be responsible for assisting providers with data entry into the information system, manually reviewing data reported via electronic interface for quality and responding to Help Desk requests.

These position numbers will be inactive until you receive funding approval from the Fiscal Committee per RSA 124:15.

It will be your responsibility to bring the request for funding before the Fiscal Committee. You may use this letter as confirmation of our decision. Once you have obtained Fiscal Committee approval, please notify the Division of Personnel, Operations Section at <u>CentralHRProcessing@nh.gov</u> so that we may process the Work Unit and approved SJD.

Sincerely,

Marianne Rechy Classification & Compensation Administrator

Cc: Lorrie Rudis, Director of Personnel Laurie Spring, Assistant Director Rita Mann, Senior Human Resources Technician



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August 13, 2021

Ms. Marilyn G. Doe, Interim Director Department of Health & Human Services 129 Pleasant Street Concord, NH 03301

Regarding: Request to establish five (5) full-time temporary Systems Development Specialist IV, LG 26 positions pay schedule A000 – positions #9T3126, #9T3127, #9T3128, #9T3129, and #9T3130.

Dear Ms. Doe,

The Division of Personnel approves your request received on June 24, 2021 for the Department of Health & Human Services to establish positions #9T3126, #9T3127, #9T3128, #9T3129, and #9T3130 as a full-time temporary Systems Development Specialist IV, LG 26; pending approval of funding.

These positions are being established to support the COVID-19 response by increasing the state's capacity to implement effective immunization programs to prevent the reoccurrence of deadly infectious diseases, including COVID-19. Due to demobilization of the National Guard service members, it is of high importance to establish these positions to support immunization program functions related to COVID-19 vaccine operations, communications, data systems and quality assurance.

The five (5) System Development Specialist IV, Onboarding Specialist positions facilitate the onboarding of over 400 NH vaccine providers who are establishing an interface with the information system for purposes of electronic reporting of vaccine administration and inventory. Currently vaccine providers have to double document vaccine information in order to share it with other providers. Once these interfaces are created, that burden will be alleviated. These positions support provider implementation and provide technical assistance during iterative testing cycles of the interface.

These position numbers will be inactive until you receive funding approval from the Fiscal Committee per RSA 124:15.

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August 13, 2021

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Regarding: Request to establish the following three positions: Public Health Program Manager, LG 26, A000, #9T3138; Program Specialist III, LG 23, A000, #9T3136; and Program Specialist IV, LG 25, A000, #9T3137.

Dear Ms. Doe,

The Division of Personnel approves your request received on June 24, 2021 for the Department of Health & Human Services to establish positions #9T3138, #9T3136 and #9T3137 as a full-time temporary Public Health Program Manager, LG 26, Program Specialist III, LG 23 and Program Specialist IV, LG 25 pending approval of funding.

These positions are being established to support the COVID-19 response by increasing the state's capacity to implement effective immunization programs to prevent the reoccurrence of deadly infectious diseases, including COVID-19. Due to demobilization of the National Guard service members, it is of high importance to establish these positions to support immunization program functions related to COVID-19 vaccine operations and communications.

The Public Health Program Manager, Strategic Response Manager oversees the Immunization Section communications, outreach and public health response efforts. This position oversees planning and implementation of strategies to increase vaccine confidence. The position will supervise the Program Specialist III and Program Specialist IV.

The Program Specialist III, Health Communication Specialist position is responsible for supporting COVID-19 vaccine communication, education and outreach as well as health equity efforts. This position swill collaborate with internal and external partners to increase vaccine confidence and ensure targeted messaging for a wide audience.

The Program Specialist IV, Grant Coordinator position is responsible for supporting the coordination on the public health response grants and cooperative agreements as the section has grown to manage several awards totaling over \$50 million. This position will assist in the development of budgets and preparation of periodic statistical and narrative reports on programs for Federal reporting requirements.

These position numbers will be inactive until you receive funding approval from the Fiscal Committee per RSA 124:15.

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