



U.S. DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION  
OFFICE OF SAFE AND DRUG-FREE SCHOOLS  
2010 DISCRETIONARY GRANT OPPORTUNITIES

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# What's the purpose?

- To outline the 2010 OSDFS Discretionary Grant Funding Opportunities.
- To explain OSDFS transitions as we approach ESEA Reauthorization.
- Remember...Power Point slides will be posted on:  
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- State of the Office – Kevin Jennings, Assistant Deputy Secretary, Office of Safe and Drug Free Schools
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- School Climate – Bryan Williams – Deadline Spring 2010
- Building State Capacity for Preventing Youth Substance Use and Violence – Christine Pinckney— Deadline 4/9/10
- Carol M. White Physical Education Program – Dana Carr – Deadline TBD
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- Grants for the Integration of Schools and Mental Health Systems – Sarah Allen – Deadline 2/22/10
- Emergency Management for Higher Education – Tara Hill—Tentative Deadline 5/7/2010

# Kevin Jennings



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- Readiness and Emergency Management for Schools
- School Emergency Response to Violence (Project SERV)
- Emergency Management for Higher Education

Health, Mental Health, Environmental Health and Physical Education

Dana Carr, Director

- Elementary and Secondary School Counseling Program
- Carol M. White Physical Education Program
- Promotion of School Readiness through Early Childhood Emotional and Social Development (Foundations of Learning)
- Grants for the Integration of Schools and Mental Health Systems

Policy and Cross-Cutting Programs

Deb Rudy, Director

- Safe Schools/Healthy Students

Drug-Violence Prevention National Programs

Norris Dickard, Director

- Grants to Reduce Alcohol Abuse,
- Competition to Prevent High-Risk Drinking and Violent Behavior
- Mentoring Program Grants
- Grants for School-Based Student Drug Testing Programs
- Grants for Coalitions to Prevent and Reduce Alcohol Abuse (STOP Act)

Drug-Violence Prevention State Programs

Paul Kesner, Director

- Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities
- State Grants/State, Local, Governors' Grants

Character and Civic Education

Paul Kesner, Director

- Partnerships in Character Education
- Cooperative Civic Education and Economic Exchange Program
- International Education Exchange/We The People Program
- International Education Exchange/Improve Public Knowledge of and Support for Democracy

# School Climate Initiative

Bryan Williams (bryan.williams@ed.gov)

- **Eligible Applicants:** State Educational Agencies (SEAs)
- **Purpose:** This program awards grants to SEAs to support new approaches designed to change school culture and climate and thereby improve character and discipline, and reduce drug use, crime and violence.
  
- **Application Deadline Date:** Spring 2010
- **Application Submission:** TBD
- **Project Period:** Up to 48 months
- **Estimated Funds Available:** \$29,300,000
- **Estimated Average Size of Awards:** \$4,200,000 to \$5,800,000
- **Estimated Number of Awards:** 5 to 7 awards

# Alcohol and Other Drug Prevention Models on College Campuses

Amalia Cuervo (amalia.cuervo@ed.gov)

- **Eligible Applicants:** Institutions of higher education (IHEs) that offer an associate or baccalaureate degree and do not have an active grant under this program (CFDA 84.184N)
- **Purpose:** The goals of this program are to identify and disseminate information about exemplary and effective alcohol or other drug abuse prevention programs implemented on college campuses. Through this grant program, the U.S. Department of Education (ED) also will recognize colleges and universities whose programs, while not yet exemplary or effective, show evidence that they are promising. All programs to be considered for recognition must have a minimum of two years of data to support the effectiveness of their interventions.
  
- **Application Deadline Date:** March 19, 2010
- **Application Submission:** Applications may be submitted electronically via E-Application or in hard copy.
- **Project Period:** Up to 24 months
- **Estimated Funds Available:** \$825,000
- **Estimated Average Size of Awards:** \$137,500
  - ▣ \$100,000 for Promising Programs (plus IDC)
  - ▣ \$150,000 for Exemplary and Effective Programs, plus IDC
- **Estimated Number of Awards:** 6

# Carol M. White Physical Education Program (PEP)

Carlette Huntley (carlette.huntley@ed.gov)

- **Eligible Applicants:** Local educational agencies (LEAs), including charter schools that are considered LEAs under State law, and Community Based Organizations (CBOs).
- **Purpose:** The purpose of PEP is to improve and expand programs that help students meet their state standards for physical education.
  
- **Application Deadline Date:** TBD
- **Application Submission:** TBD
- **Project Period:** Up to 3 years
- **Estimated Funds Available:** Approximately \$30 million in new awards
- **Estimated Average Size of Awards:** TBD
- **Estimated Number of Awards:** TBD
- **Web Link:** <http://www.ed.gov/programs/whitephysed>.

# Building State Capacity for Preventing Youth Substance Use and Violence

Christine Pinckney (Christine.Pinckney@ed.gov)

- **Eligible Applicants:** State Educational Agencies (SEAs)
- **Purpose:** Building State Capacity Building for Preventing Youth Substance Use and Violence provides competitive grants to State Educational Agencies (SEAs) to build capacity and encourage collaboration between (SEAs) and other State agencies that are involved in efforts to prevent youth substance use and violence. Funds will be used to develop or enhance capacity at State agencies so that they can support local education agencies (LEAs) in their efforts to create and sustain a safe and drug-free school climate.
- **Application Deadline Date:** TBD
- **Application Submission:** TBD
- **Project Period:** Up to 12 months
- **Estimated Funds Available:** \$8,000,000
- **Estimated Average Size of Awards:** \$125,000 - \$250,000 (**NOTE:** A nonbinding budget maximum has been developed for each State)
- **Estimated Number of Awards:** 56

# Elementary and Secondary School Counseling

Loretta McDaniel (loretta.mcdaniel@ed.gov)

- **Eligible Applicants:** Local educational agencies (LEAs), i.e., public school districts, including charter schools that are considered LEAs under State law that do not have an active grant under this program (CFDA 84.215E), and consortia thereof.
- **Purpose:** The purpose of this program is to support efforts by LEAs to establish or expand elementary and secondary school counseling programs.
  
- **Application Deadline Date:** February 26, 2010
- **Application Submission:** Apply online at <http://e-Grants.ed.gov>.
- **Project Period:** Up to 36 months
- **Estimated New Funds Available:** \$15,437,591 (FY 2010 appropriation -- \$55 million)
- **Estimated Average Size of Awards:** \$350,000 per year
- **Estimated Number of New Awards:** 44 (new elementary and/or secondary projects)
- **Web Link:** <http://www.ed.gov/programs/elseccounseling/applicant.html>

# Grants to Reduce Alcohol Abuse

## Nicole White (nicole.white@ed.gov)

- **Eligible Applicants:** Local educational agencies (LEAs), i.e., public school districts, including charter schools that are considered LEAs under State law that do not have an active grant under this program (CFDA 84.184A), and consortia thereof.
- **Purpose:** The purpose of the Grants to Reduce Alcohol Abuse (GRAA) program is to support efforts by LEAs to develop and implement innovative and effective projects to reduce alcohol abuse in secondary schools.
- **Application Deadline Date:** April 7, 2010
- **Application Submission:** Applications may be submitted electronically via e-Application or in hard copy.
- **Project Period:** 36 months
- **Estimated Funds Available:** \$3,438,134
- **Estimated Average Size of Awards:** \$350,000
- **Estimated Number of Awards:** 9

# Cooperative Civic Education and Economic Education Exchange Program

Rita Foy Moss ([rita.foy.moss@ed.gov](mailto:rita.foy.moss@ed.gov))

- **Eligible Applicants:** Organizations in the United States experienced in the development of curricula and programs in civic and government education, or economic education for students in elementary and secondary schools in countries other than the United States.
- **Purpose:** The Cooperative Civic Education and Economic Education Exchange Program provides grants to improve the quality of civic education and economic education through cooperative education exchange programs with emerging democracies.
  
- **Application Deadline Date:** March 8, 2010
- **Application Submission:** Apply online at <http://e-grants.ed.gov>.
- **Project Period:** Up to 36 months
- **Estimated Funds Available:** \$2,682,787
- **Estimated Average Size of Awards:** \$1,341,393
- **Estimated Number of Awards:** 2
- **Web Link:** <http://www.ed.gov/programs/coopedexchange/applicant.html>

# Readiness and Emergency Management for Schools (REMS)

Sara Strizzi (sara.strizzi@ed.gov)

- **Eligible Applicants:** Local educational agencies (LEAs), i.e., public school districts, that do not have an active grant under this program (CFDA 84.184E), and consortia thereof.
- **Purpose:** The REMS grant program provides funds to LEAs to establish an emergency management process that focuses on reviewing and strengthening emergency management plans through Prevention-Mitigation, Preparedness, Response, and Recovery. The program also provides resources to LEAs to provide training for staff on emergency management procedures and requires that LEAs develop comprehensive all-hazards emergency management plans in collaboration with community partners.
- **Application Deadline Date:** February 26, 2010
- **Application Submission:** Applications may be submitted electronically via E-Application or in hard copy.
- **Project Period:** Up to 24 months
- **Estimated Funds Available:** \$29,000,000
- **Estimated Average Size of Awards:** \$150,000 for a small-size LEA (1-20 education facilities); \$300,000 for a medium-size LEA (21-75 education facilities); \$600,000 for a large-size LEA (76 or more education facilities)
- **Estimated Number of Awards:** 96
- **Web Link:** <http://www2.ed.gov/programs/dvpemergencyresponse/applicant.html>

# Grants for the Integration of Schools and Mental Health Systems

Sarah Allen (sarah.allen@ed.gov)

- **Eligible Applicants:** State educational agencies (SEAs), local educational agencies (LEAs), including charter schools that are considered LEAs under State law, and Indian Tribes.  
LEAs or consortia of LEAs that have received funding or services under the Safe Schools / Healthy Students Initiative (CFDA # 84.184L) are not eligible for funding under this program.
- **Purpose:** To improve student access to high-quality mental health care by developing innovative approaches that link school systems with the local mental health system.
  
- **Application Deadline Date:** February 22, 2010
- **Application Submission:** Applications may be submitted electronically via e-Application or in hard copy.
- **Project Period:** up to 24 months
- **Estimated Funds Available:** \$5,913,000
- **Estimated Average Size of Awards:** \$347,800
- **Estimated Number of Awards:** 16-18
- **Web Link:** <http://www.ed.gov/programs/mentalhealth/applicant.html>

# Emergency Management for Higher Education (EMHE)

Tara Hill (tara.hill@ed.gov)

- **Eligible Applicants:** To be considered for an award under this competition, an applicant must be considered an institution of higher education (IHE), or a consortia thereof.
- **Purpose:** Funds projects at institutions of higher education (IHE) designed to develop, or review and improve, and fully integrate campus-based all-hazards emergency management planning efforts.
  
- **Application Deadline Date:** TBD
- **Application Submission:** TBD
- **Project Period:** Up to 24 months
- **Estimated Funds Available:** Approximately: \$7,000,000 from ED; \$2,000,000 from HHS
- **Estimated Average Size of Awards:** TBD
- **Estimated Number of Awards:** 26
- **Web Link:** : <http://www.ed.gov/programs/emergencyhighed/applicant.html>

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