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OFFICE OF NATIONAL DRUG CONTROL POLICY
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September 16, 2019

Margarita Cardona
Assistant Provost, Sponsored Research
University of Baltimore
1420 N. Charles Street
Baltimore, MD 21201-5779

Dear Ms. Cardona:

The Office of National Drug Control Policy (ONDCP) hereby awards a cooperative agreement in an amount of \$4,500,000 to the University of Baltimore for the Combating Opioid Overdose through Community-level Intervention Initiative. This grant is pursuant to the authority of the *Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2019* (Pub. L. No. 116-6). By accepting this grant, you assume the administrative and financial responsibilities outlined in the enclosed terms and conditions, including the timely submission of all financial and programmatic reports, the resolution of audit findings, and the maintenance of a minimum level of cash-on-hand. Should your organization not adhere to all terms and conditions, ONDCP may terminate the grant for cause or take other administrative action.


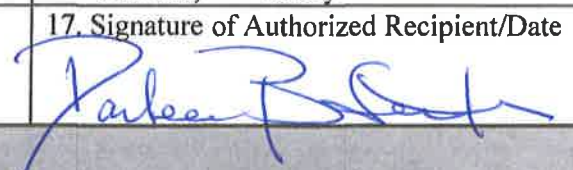
If you accept this award, please sign both the cooperative agreement and the Terms and Conditions, e-mail a scanned copy to jdelano@ondcp.eop.gov, and mail the original to:

Office of National Drug Control Policy
ATTN: Jayme Delano
Executive Office of the President
Washington, DC 20503

Please keep the original copy of the Grant and Conditions for your file. If you have any questions pertaining to this award, please contact Jayme Delano, at (202) 395-6794.

Sincerely,

Kristin S. Skrzycki
Chief of Staff

Executive Office of the President Office of National Drug Control Policy		Cooperative Agreement	
1. Recipient Name and Address Margarita Cardona Assistant Provost, Sponsored Research University of Baltimore 1420 N. Charles Street Baltimore, MD 21201-5779		4. Award Number (FAIN): G1999OND06A	
		5. Period of Performance: From 09/01/2019 to 08/31/2020	
2. Total Amount of the Federal Funds Obligated: \$4,500,000		6. Federal Award Date: September 16, 2019	7. Action: Initial
2A. Budget Approved by the Federal Awarding Agency: \$4,500,000		8. Supplement Number:	
3. CFDA Name and Number: Research and Data Analysis – 95.007		9. Previous Award Amount:	
3A. Project Description: Combating Opioid Overdose through Community-level Intervention Initiative		10. Amount of Federal Funds Obligated by this Action: \$4,500,000	
		11. Total Amount of Federal Award: \$4,500,000	
12. This Cooperative Agreement is R&D and approved subject to such conditions or limitations as are set forth on the attached pages.			
13. Authorizing Authority for Grant: Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2019 (Pub. L. No. 116-6)			
AGENCY APPROVAL		RECIPIENT ACCEPTANCE	
14. Typed Name and Title of Approving Official Kristin S. Skrzycki, Chief of Staff Office of National Drug Control Policy		15. Typed Name and Title of Authorized Official Darlene Brannigan Smith, Executive Vice President and Provost, University of Baltimore	
16. Signature of Approving ONDCP Official 		17. Signature of Authorized Recipient/Date 	
AGENCY USE ONLY			
18. Accounting Classification Code DUNS: 143486319 EIN: 1526002033AY		19. SALARIES AND EXPENSES AWARD OND1457RA1919XX OC410001 ONDI19S030XXX 011201920191457000 OND0103000000	

A. General Terms and Conditions

Award Calculations

Personnel	\$ 250,000
Benefits	\$ 87,500
Travel	\$ 50,000
Supplies and Equipment	\$ 1,500
Consultants and Contracts	\$ 3,701,909
Indirect Costs*	\$ 409,091
Total Cost	\$ 4,500,000

*Grantee has chosen not to use approved IDC and charges 10% TDC for F&A costs.

1. This award is subject to applicable Federal law, including but not limited to Title 2 Part 200 of the Code of Federal Regulations and including the following:
 - Incorporated by reference, the provisions of the Office of Management and Budget's (OMB) Uniform Guidance / Omni-circular applicable to grants, cooperative agreements, and other forms of federal financial assistance. Applicable OMB rules and updated guidance are available from the Council on Financial Assistance Reform website at <https://cfo.gov/cofar>.
 - Uniform Administrative Requirements, Cost Principles, and Audit Requirement for Federal Awards (2 CFR Chapters 1 and 2, Parts 200, 215, 220, 225, and 230), available from the electronic Code of Federal Regulations ("e-cfr") at www.ecfr.gov.
 - ONDCP Adoption of the Uniform Guidance or Omni-Circular at 2 CFR Part 3603 et seq.
 - "Government-wide Debarment and Suspension (Nonprocurement)," (adopted and codified by 2 CFR Part 3603)
 - "Government-wide Requirements for Drug-free Workplace (Financial Assistance)" (adopted and codified by 2 CFR Part 3603)
 - See also <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2014-12-19/html/2014-28697.htm>
 - "New Restrictions on Lobbying" (Codified at 28 CFR Part 69)
 - Conflict of Interest and Mandatory Disclosure Requirements
 - Non-profit Certifications (when applicable)
 - 2 CFR 25.110
2. Audits conducted pursuant to OMB Circular 2 CFR Chapter 2, Part 200 Subpart F, "Audit Requirements", must be submitted no later than nine months after the close of the

recipient's audited fiscal year to the Federal Audit Clearinghouse at <https://harvester.census.gov/facweb/>.

3. Awardees are required to submit Federal Financial Reports (FFR) to the Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Payment Management (HHS/DPM). Federal Financial Report is required to be submitted quarterly and within 90 days after the grant is closed out. Program income must be accounted for and reported on the Federal Financial Report.
4. The recipient gives the awarding agency or the Government Accountability Office, through any authorized representative, access to, and the right to examine, all paper or electronic records related to the grant.
5. Recipients of ONDCP funds are not agents of ONDCP. Accordingly, the recipient, its fiscal agent(s), employees, contractors, as well as state, local, and federal participants, either on a collective basis or on a personal level, shall not hold themselves out as being part of, or representing, the Executive Office of the President or ONDCP.
6. These general terms and conditions as well as archives of previous versions of the general terms and conditions are available online at www.whitehouse.gov/ondcp/grants.
7. Conflict of Interest Requirements - As a non-Federal entity, you must follow ONDCP's conflict of interest policies for Federal awards. You must disclose in writing any potential conflict of interest to an ONDCP Program Officer, or to the pass-through entity if you are a subrecipient or contractor. This disclosure must take place immediately whether you are an applicant or have an active ONDCP award.

The ONDCP conflict of interest policies apply to subawards as well as contracts, and are as follows:

- i. As a non-Federal entity, you must maintain written standards of conduct covering conflicts of interest and governing the performance of your employees engaged in the selection, award, and administration of subawards and contracts.
- ii. None of your employees may participate in the selection, award, or administration of a subaward or contract supported by a Federal award if he or she has a real or apparent conflict of interest. Such a conflict of interest would arise when the employee, officer, or agent, any member of his or her immediate family, his or her partner, or an organization which employs or is about to employ any of the parties indicated herein, has a financial or other interest in or a tangible personal benefit from an organization considered for a subaward or contract. The officers, employees, and agents of the non-Federal entity must neither solicit nor accept gratuities, favors, or anything of monetary value from subrecipients or contractors or parties to subawards or contracts.

- iii. If you have a parent, affiliate, or subsidiary organization that is not a State, local government, or Indian tribe, you must also maintain written standards of conduct covering organizational conflicts of interest. Organizational conflicts of interest means that because of relationships with a parent company, affiliate, or subsidiary organization, you are unable or appear to be unable to be impartial in conducting a subaward or procurement action involving a related organization.
8. Mandatory Disclosure Requirement - As a non-Federal entity, you or your pass-through entity(s), must disclose, in a timely manner, in writing to the Federal awarding agency or pass-through entity all violations of Federal criminal law involving fraud, bribery or gratuity violations potentially affecting the Federal award. Failure to make required disclosures can result in remedies such as: temporary withholding of payments pending correction of the deficiency, disallowance of all or part of the costs associated with noncompliance, suspension, termination of award, debarment, or other legally available remedies. (See also 2 CFR Part 180 and 31 U.S.C. 3321).
 9. Each applicant is required to (i) be registered in the System for Award Management (SAM) before submitting its application; (ii) provide a valid DUNS number in its application; (iii) continue to maintain an active SAM registration with current information at all times during which it has an active Federal award; and (iv) provide all relevant recipient information required for ONDCP to collect for reporting related to FFATA and DATA Act requirements.
 10. Sub-awards are contemplated under this cooperative agreement.
 11. Awardee must comply with the Government-wide Suspension and Debarment provision set forth at 2 CFR Part 180, dealing with all sub-awards and contracts issued under the grant.
 12. Reporting Sub-award and Executive Compensation Information – This part provides guidance concerning requirements for Federal Funding Accountability and Transparency Act of 2006 (FFATA) reporting. ONDCP must report Federal fund awards of more than \$25,000. Subawards also fall under reporting requirements but please note that the definition of “Subaward” does not include your procurement of property and services needed to carry out the project. (See 2 CFR Part 170)
 13. Requirements for Drug-Free Workplace (Financial Assistance) - This part requires that the award and administration of ONDCP grants and cooperative agreements comply with Office of Management and Budget (OMB) guidance implementing the portion of the Drug Free Workplace Act of 1988 (41 U.S.C. 701-707, as amended, hereafter referred to as “the Act”) that applies to grants. (2 CFR Part 421)
 14. Non Discrimination Statement: The Office of National Drug Control Policy (ONDCP) prohibits discrimination against its customers, employees, and applicants for employment on the bases of race, color, national origin, age, disability, sex, gender identity, religion, reprisal, and where applicable, political belief, marital status, familial

or parental status, sexual orientation, or all or part of an individual's income is derived from any public assistance program, or protected genetic information in employment or in any program or activity conducted or funded by the Agency. (Not all prohibited bases will apply to all programs and/or employment activities.)

15. Compensation – Personnel Services: This part requires that charges to Federal awards for salaries and wages must be based on records that accurately reflect the work performed. (See 2 CFR 200.430)
16. Financial Management: This part requires that systems must be sufficient to permit the preparation of reports required by general and program-specific terms and conditions, and the tracing of funds to a level of expenditures adequate to establish that such funds have been used according to the Federal statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of the award. (See 2 CFR 200.302)
17. As specified in the notice of funding opportunity, recipient must:
 - a. Establish and maintain effective internal controls over the Federal award that provides reasonable assurance that the non-Federal entity is managing the Federal award in compliance with Federal statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of the Federal award. These internal controls should be in compliance with the guidance in “Standards for Internal Control in the Federal Government,” issued by the Comptroller General of the United States and the “Internal Control Integrated Framework,” issued by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission (COSO).
 - b. Comply with Federal statutes, regulations, and the terms and conditions of the Federal awards.
 - c. Evaluate and monitor the non-Federal entity's compliance with statute, regulations, and the terms and conditions of the Federal awards.
 - d. Take prompt action when instances of noncompliance are identified, including noncompliance identified in audit findings.
 - e. Take reasonable measures to safeguard protected personally identified information and other information the Federal awarding agency or pass-through entity designates as sensitive or the non-Federal entity considers sensitive consistent with applicable Federal, state, and local laws regarding privacy and obligations of confidentiality.

B. Program Specific Terms and Conditions

1. The recipient organization is legally and financially responsible for all aspects of this cooperative agreement, including funds provided to sub-recipients.
2. Award funds cannot be used to supplant current funding of existing activities.

3. All program authority and responsibility inherent in the Federal stewardship role shall remain with the Office of National Drug Control Policy (ONDCP). ONDCP will work in conjunction with the recipient to routinely review and refine the work plan so that the program's goals and objectives can be effectively accomplished. ONDCP will monitor the project on a continual basis by maintaining ongoing contact with the recipient and will provide input to the program's direction, in consultation with the recipient, as needed.

C. Federal Award Performance Goals

The assistance provided under this award will support the NFE's performance of the award and fulfillment of the following performance areas:

- Research and analyze 1) a range of existing community-based efforts to address the opioid epidemic and 2) current evidence-based and proven strategies to reduce opioid-related overdose deaths;
- Using the evidence-based approaches previously identified, implement or enhance community-based new or ongoing programs that aim to reduce opioid overdose, particularly in the regions of the United States with the highest rates of fatal and non-fatal opioid overdoses (making funding available to at least eight communities via subawards is a priority);
- Once implemented, evaluate these community-based efforts to assess their efficacy in reducing opioid overdose and other harms of opioid (mis)use, particularly in the regions of the United States with the highest rates of fatal and non-fatal opioid overdoses;
- Support and promote collaboration between public safety and public health agencies to ensure that overdose reduction efforts are aligned and that communities benefit from a comprehensive and coordinated response; and
- Provide technical assistance to support implementation, evaluation, and reporting by prospective subaward recipients.

See also Section A. 3

D. Payment Basis

1. A request for Advance or Reimbursement shall be made using the HHS/DPM system (<https://pms.psc.gov/>).
2. The grantee, must utilize the object classes specified within the initial grant application each time they submit a disbursement request to ONDCP. Requests for payment in the DPM system will not be approved unless the required disbursements have been entered using the corresponding object class designations. Payments will be made via Electronic Fund Transfer to the award recipient's bank account. The bank must be FDIC insured. The account must be interest bearing.

3. Except for interest earned on advances of funds exempt under the Intergovernmental Cooperation Act (31 U.S.C. 6501 et seq.) and the Indian Self-Determination and Education Assistance Act (25 U.S.C. 450), awardees and sub-awardees shall promptly, but at least annually, remit interest earned on advances to HHS/DPM using the remittance instructions provided below.

Remittance Instructions - Remittances must include pertinent information of the payee and nature of payment in the memo area (often referred to as “addenda records” by Financial Institutions) as that will assist in the timely posting of interest earned on federal funds. Pertinent details include the Payee Account Number (PAN), reason for check (remittance of interest earned on advance payments), check number (if applicable), awardee name, award number, interest period covered, and contact name and number. The remittance must be submitted as follows:

Through an electronic medium using either Automated Clearing House (ACH) network or a Fedwire Funds Service payment.

(i) For ACH Returns:

Routing Number: 051036706

Account number: 303000

Bank Name and Location: Credit Gateway—ACH Receiver St. Paul, MN

(ii) For Fedwire Returns*:

Routing Number: 021030004

Account number: 75010501

Bank Name and Location: Federal Reserve Bank Treas NYC/Funds Transfer

Division New York, NY

(* Please note organization initiating payment is likely to incur a charge from your Financial Institution for this type of payment)

For recipients that do not have electronic remittance capability, please make check** payable to: “The Department of Health and Human Services.”

Mail Check to Treasury approved lockbox:


HHS Program Support Center, P.O. Box 530231, Atlanta, GA 30353-0231

(** Please allow 4-6 weeks for processing of a payment by check to be applied to the appropriate PMS account)

Any additional information/instructions may be found on the PMS Web site at <https://pms.psc.gov/>.

4. The awardee or sub-awardee may keep interest amounts up to \$500 per year for administrative purposes.

**RECIPIENT ACCEPTANCE OF COOPERATIVE AGREEMENT
CONDITIONS**



Darlene Brannigan Smith
Executive Vice President and Provost
University of Baltimore

Date: 9/23/19