

Impact of RAD on Children in HUD Assisted Households (FR-6400-N-66)

Question:

Can an existing RAD completed property be used to address the research questions of this grant? Please advise.

Answer:

The research can be of any RAD property(ies) that includes children and is relevant and adequate to meet the research goals.

Question:

Please explain the deliverable expected for this topic?

Answer:

Please see section _____ the a-k the deliverables. As well, there are the links to the full program NOFA and instructions on grants.gov. It is imperative that you read through the entire NOFA.

New Research NOFA: Impact of RAD on Children in HUD Assisted Households

The Rental Assistance Demonstration (RAD) is a program that aims at preserving the affordability of federally assisted properties and improving their physical and financial condition. The objective of this cooperative agreement is to support research project(s) that will produce policy-relevant evidence on the implementation of the RAD program and its effect on children's well-being. A wide range of research questions and research design approaches will be considered within the parameters outlined in the Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA). Applicants are encouraged to draw on their knowledge and expertise to propose specific research projects that further HUD's goal of producing policy-relevant knowledge about the effect of RAD on children. The NOFA includes the list of Public Housing Agencies (PHAs) that have RAD properties with households that include children, to ensure that applicants focus their research in relevant sites. PD&R is looking to make 1 or possibly 2 awards for a maximum total funding of \$750,000. For more information and to submit an application, please see the following:

- HUD's Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) For this announcement please see the download from the instructions page: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=FR-6400-N-66>
- Grants.gov (for registering and submitting an application) www.grants.gov

We encourage you to apply or spread the word of this opportunity throughout your networks, such as your organization's email lists or news letters

Deliverables

At a minimum, HUD expects the award recipient to produce the following deliverables:

a. Management and Work Plan. The Management and Work Plan will depict the overall strategy for completing this research effort within the budget and time frame allotted, including a description of the research activities to be undertaken, the sequence of tasks, key milestone dates, and key staff engaging in each project activity. A draft Management and Work Plan must be submitted with the application. After award HUD will provide feedback to the awardee, and the final Management and Work Plan must be submitted to HUD within two weeks of the receipt of HUD comments; b. Research, Design, Data Collection and Analysis Plan (RD/DCAP). The RD/DCAP will provide a detailed plan for technical aspects of the research, including research questions, hypotheses, data sources, data collection methods, data collection instruments (if applicable), and analysis methods. The RD/DCAP must demonstrate how the proposed methodology, including the data collection and analysis strategy, will address the research questions and hypotheses proposed. A draft RD/DCAP must be submitted with the application. After award, HUD will provide feedback to the awardee, and a final RD/DCAP must be submitted to HUD within four weeks of the receipt of HUD comments; c. Quality Control Plan (QCP). A draft QCP shall be delivered within two weeks after cooperative agreement award and the final QCP shall be submitted for HUD's approval within six weeks of cooperative agreement award. A revised QCP shall be submitted to HUD and within five working days when changes are made thereafter. After HUD's acceptance of the QCP, the awardee shall receive HUD's acceptance in writing of any proposed change to its quality control system; d. Quarterly Progress Reports: Quarterly progress reports which provide detailed updates on the work conducted for the project during each quarter of the period of performance of the cooperative agreement; e. Interim Report: The Interim Report will be submitted near the midpoint of this project and provide a summary of the project up to that point. The Interim Report should be considered an opportunity to evaluate the state of the project. The exact deadline and content of the Interim Report will be decided between the HUD and the awardee; f. Final Report: The Final Report must summarize the entire work, achievements, and findings conducted under the award. The Final Report will present the study objectives, data sources, analysis methods, and results. The Final Report must address the specific outcomes described in the applicant's proposal, the cooperative agreement award, and research design, data collection and analysis plan (RD/DCAP). The Final Report must follow the format and style requirements provided at <https://www.huduser.gov/portal/About/style-guide-for-reports.pdf>. A Draft Final Report shall be submitted in accordance with the milestone of the Management and Work Plan. HUD will have four weeks to review the Draft Final Report and return comments to the awardee. A Final Report, incorporating HUD's comments, shall be submitted within four weeks of receipt of HUD's comments; g. One to two-page plain language summary appropriate for non-technical audience; h. All other reports described above in the Eligible Activities section; i. Merged data files, to the extent possible based on third-party licensing or use agreements, and Federal data sharing and privacy laws; j. All programming code used to run analyses; and k. A comprehensive data security plan.

Deadline to submit an application to HUD is July 30, 2020.

Question:

. I am emailing you regarding the Impact of RAD on Children in HUD-Assisted Households Department of Housing and Urban Development application. I have researched the grant on Grants.gov and could not identify the complete application. Do you know where I can find this information?

Answer:

After opening the website, select the first link (HUD's NOFA: Impact of RAD on Children in HUD Assisted Households).

<https://www.hudexchange.info/news/new-research-nofa-impact-of-rad-on-children-in-hud-assisted-households/>

Also, **ATTACHED ARE SOME RESOURCE LINKS AND GRANTS.GOV'S SUPPORT CONTACT INFORMATION.**

IF APPLICANTS ARE HAVE PROBLEMS UPLOADING, DOWNLOADING, AND SUBMITTING THEIR APPLICATION THEY SHOULD CONTACT THE SUPPORT/HELP DESK IMMEDIATELY IN ORDER NOT TO MISS THEIR DEADLINES.

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Question:

In the eligible applicants section, it lists 'Small Businesses'. I own and operate a single member LLC. Would this be considered as a small business by HUD definition? Also, if so, are there certain liabilities that the small business must have in order to apply i.e., General Liability, Aggregate, workman's compensation?

Answer:

To answer your question, we checked with our Legal Office. HUD uses the Small Business Administration's (SBA) definition of a small business. In order for you to know if your LLC would qualify as a small business you would have to go to SBA's website to see how you qualify. You may want to use the following link or contact SBA directly

<https://www.sba.gov/federal-contracting/contracting-guide/basic-requirements> .

Question:

I'm unable to view the notice announcement electronically. When I attempt to open the link it's block.

Answer:

Please try these two links if you are still unable to view the notice announcement electronically, then you should click the link below for support.

Hud.gov: https://www.hud.gov/program_offices/spm/gmomgmt/grantsinfo/fundingopps/fy20_rad_children_households

Grants.gov: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/search-grants.html?keywords=RAD>

Support: <https://www.grants.gov/web/grants/support/grants-gov-notices.html>

QUESTION:

Seeking to obtain the full announcement for the Funding Opportunity Number: FR-6400-N-66, it appears the link, as noted on Grants.Gov, is broken. Would you be kind enough to provide us with the details?

ANSWER:

I am sorry to hear that the full announcement for the Funding Opportunity Number: FR-6400-N-66 the link is broken.

In the following website it might be easier to access the application. After opening the website, select the first link (HUD's NOFA: Impact of RAD on Children in HUD Assisted Households).

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