

Subcontract Opportunity for Indigenous, Native, and Tribal Organizations Supporting Implementation of the HELP and Homeless Youth Acts

December 18, 2023

You are invited to review and respond to this subcontracting opportunity to support implementation of the Homeless Equity for Left Behind Populations (HELP) Act and Homeless Youth Acts. Successful applicants will be Indigenous, Native and Tribal organizations that have a track record of work on domestic violence, housing and homelessness and a capacity to support the project.

Proposals should respond to the specifications below. Submissions should be sent to the California Partnership to End Domestic Violence Policy Team at policy@cpedv.org by **Friday, February 2**nd at 5 pm.

We are seeking to fill one (1) subcontractor positions – one (1) Indigenous, Native and Tribal specific organization will be selected to participate. The awarded organizations will receive a subcontract of \$175 per hour for staff time, amounting to up to \$63,000 over three years, with an end date of November 3, 2026.

Organizations should expect to participate in regular check in meetings, solicit survivor feedback on materials, participate in focus groups, assist in setting outcome measures aimed at preventing and ending homelessness amongst unaccompanied women and homeless youth.

Additionally, the selected organizations will identify and analyze relevant data collected from stakeholder engagements and assessments of existing data systems, assist in developing learning spaces to provide trainings, and review documentation and resource materials as part of the project, with a time commitment of no more than 5 hours per week.

To find out more information about the HELP Act and Homeless Youth Acts, please reference the bill summaries here:

- SB 914 Summary
- SB 918 Summary

Submission Guidelines

Proposers must provide a brief narrative (maximum of 500 words) that addresses the following areas:

- Summary of past experience in the following areas:
 - a) Working with some combination of victim service providers or other projects at the state, county and/or city level serving domestic violence survivors and among unaccompanied women experiencing homelessness
 - b) Working with providers or projects serving homeless youth.
- Summary of the agency's culturally specific and Indigenous, Native and Tribalfocused work and housing programs if applicable.
- Summary of interest in the project as well as organizational capacity to take on the scope of work involved with this project.