



Request to Approve DCHD Acceptance of funding allocations received after the March 2026 Board Meeting

Staff recommends that your board approve our acceptance of funding for programs beginning on April 1, May 1 and July 1, 2026. The total funding for this request is \$1,152,009.58. Please see attachment for details.



MEETING DATE: June 11th, 2026

STAFF PERSON RESPONSIBLE: Michael Hill, Director, Public Health

DESCRIPTION: Child Fatality Prevention System

Contract Number: CTGG1 FHLA 2027*0030

Contract Period: 7/1/26-6/30/27

Funding amount: \$16,500

SUMMARY: Project Description This project serves to support the Child Fatality Prevention Act (Article 20I 5 of Title 25, Colorado Revised Statutes), which is a statewide, multi-agency effort to prevent child deaths. Pursuant to CI RI S I § 25 -20I 5 -404-405, local public health agencies, or agencies designated by local public health agencies, are required to establish, and coordinate multidisciplinary, local child fatality prevention review teams (local teams). The purpose of the local team is to conduct systematic, comprehensive, multidisciplinary reviews of child deaths to better understand how and why children die. The child fatality review process uses a public health approach to identify trends and patterns, to take action, to improve systems, and to implement strategies that may prevent future deaths from occurring. This project benefits the State of Colorado by helping the people of Colorado understand the incidence and causes of child fatalities and therefore encourage public action to prevent further child fatalities. Additionally, the project benefits the State of Colorado by identifying services provided by public, private, and nonprofit agencies to children and their families that are designed to prevent, and that are effective in preventing, child fatalities identifying gaps or deficiencies that may exist in the delivery of services provided by public, private, and nonprofit agencies to children and their families that are designed to prevent child fatalities and making recommendations for, act as a catalyst for, and implement any changes to laws, rules, and policies that will support the safe and healthy development of the children in this state and prevent future child fatalities.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Request that the Board approve acceptance of the SFY 2027 Child Fatality Prevention Funding Award.



MEETING DATE: June 11th, 2026

STAFF PERSON RESPONSIBLE: Michael Hill, Director, Public Health

DESCRIPTION: Long-Term Chronic Disease

Contract Number: CTGG1 2027*0050 Option

Contract Period: 07/1/26-6/30/27

Funding amount: \$257,427

SUMMARY: This project supports the *Douglas County Health Department* in implementing the Colorado LPHA Chronic Disease Framework to prevent and manage chronic diseases in local communities. It occurs in two phases.

Phase 1 focuses on capacity building through a chronic disease community assessment, infrastructure development, and staff training. A Summary Report and Implementation Plan are created based on assessment findings.

Phase 2 implements selected evidence-based strategies addressing social determinants of health, priority health behaviors (tobacco, physical activity, nutrition, alcohol), and chronic conditions (cardiovascular disease, diabetes, cancer, pulmonary disease). Cross-cutting supports include community-clinical linkages and aging-related chronic disease initiatives.

The project requires regular reporting to CDPHE, adherence to approved Implementation Plans, and participation in state-led technical assistance and evaluation. Deliverables include assessment summaries, implementation plans, and quarterly/annual progress reports.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Request that the Board approve acceptance of the SFY27 Long Term Chronic Disease Program Grant.

Review:



MEETING DATE: June 11th, 2026

STAFF PERSON RESPONSIBLE: Michael Hill, Director, Public Health

DESCRIPTION: Maternal and Child Health (MCH) Grant

Contract Number: 2023*2856 Option Letter #5

Contract Period:

4/01/2026 - 9/30/2026

5/11/2026 - 9/30/2026

Funding amount:

4/01/2026 - 9/30/2026: \$16,033.58

5/11/2026 - 9/30/2026: \$40,084.00

SUMMARY: The Maternal and Child Health (MCH) grant is a federally funded program under Title V of the Social Security Act that supports state and local efforts to improve the health and well-being of mothers, infants, children, and adolescents, including those with special healthcare needs. Administered by the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA), the grant funds initiatives that address key public health priorities such as prenatal care, infant mortality reduction, child development, and access to healthcare services. MCH programs focus on prevention, early intervention, and community-based strategies to promote equitable health outcomes for families.

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Request that the Board approve acceptance of the SFY26 MCH Grant

Review:



MEETING DATE: June 11th, 2026

STAFF PERSON RESPONSIBLE: Michael Hill, Director, Public Health

DESCRIPTION: OPHP Local Workforce Award

Contract Number: 2023 *0367 Amendment #1

Contract Period: 7/1/26 - 6/30/27

Funding amount: \$821,965

SUMMARY: The district public health agency shall participate in assessment and planning effort at the state, regional, and local level facilitated by the Office of Public Health Practice, Planning, and Local Partnerships. These efforts shall include maintaining and improving local capacity to provide services as established by the State Board of Health. This project serves to strengthen Colorado's public health system by ensuring core public health services are available statewide. This project will impact assessment and planning efforts at the state, regional, and local levels facilitated by the Office of Public Health Practice, Planning, and Local Partnerships. These efforts shall include maintaining and improving local capacity to provide services as established by the State Board of Health. Local public health agencies are essential to the provision of quality and comprehensive public health services throughout the state and are critical partners with the Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment (CDPHE) in maintaining a strong public health system. Each local public health agency (LPHA) shall provide Core Public Health Services, which include Maternal and Child Health (MCH). The scope of the provision of each Core Public Health Service is determined at the local level and may differ across agencies based on community needs, priorities, funding, and capacity. The Office of Public Health Practice, Planning, and Local Partnerships (OPHP) and the local public health agency are responsible for assuring state funds are effectively used to provide Core Public Health Services

RECOMMENDED ACTION: Request that the Board approve acceptance of the FY 2027 OPHP Local Workforce award

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