## Pathways to Career Opportunities Grant Program Competitive Grant FY 2019-2020 Questions and Answers

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**Question #1**: What is the maximum dollar amount that can be requested per application or per applicant?

**Answer #1**: There is no maximum amount per application or per applicant.

**Question #2**: What is the length of the grant period?

Answer #2: The Budget and Program Performance Period is July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020.

**Question #3:** Where can we find a list of School District Career Centers and Charter Technical Career Centers? We are a School District who offers adult and career technical programs. Are we eligible to apply for the grant? Do our school sites need to be coded a certain way to be identified as post-secondary CTE sites?

**Answer #3**: Department of Education has not published a list of all eligible applicants. Career Centers are defined in section 1001.44, Florida Statues. Potential applicants should review this definition to determine eligibility.

**Question #4**: On pages 5 and 6 of the RFP it says that teacher/instructor salaries or recurring costs associated with instruction are not allowable costs. However on page 28 under the Contractual Service Agreements line item on the Budget Narrative Form it gives as an example "Contractual service with XYZ Company to provide on-the-job and/or related instructional training".

**Answer #4**: As stated in the RFP and General Appropriations Act, recurring instructional costs are not allowed. Any cost that can be categorized as a recurring instructional cost cannot be submitted in the grant budget.

To clarify the contractual service agreement example used in the Budget Narrative, a revised example has been updated in the RFP.

**Revised RFP Example:** <u>Contractual Service Agreements:</u> Contractual service with XYZ Company to develop outreach and recruitment materials. All executed contract(s) related to this must be submitted to the Department.