

April 5, 2021

Dear Prospective Applicant:

On behalf of First 5 LA, I am pleased to present this Request for Proposals (RFP) for the HMG LA Pathways: Together Strengthening Connections for Kids and Families Investment.

First 5 LA is seeking qualified organizations interested in serving as a Unifying Agency within two select communities that will form and be an equal partner in a collaborative of agencies across sectors that provides early identification and intervention services and supports within a given geographic region to plan, test and refine approaches related to referral pathways. An organization may be selected to serve as the Unifying Agency in more than one HMG LA Pathways community, but a separate application is required for each community. A maximum of two (2) Unifying Agencies will be awarded from this RFP to form a collaborative in Community 2 (San Gabriel/Pomona) and 7 (Harbor) to strengthen referral pathways between service sectors, resulting in a total of 7 HMG LA Pathways communities across Los Angeles County.

To be eligible for consideration, proposers must submit a complete application including attachments online at <https://www.first5la.org/news-resources/funding-center/>. Proposals will be accepted on an ongoing basis through **June 4, 2021 by 5:00 p.m. PT.**

If you have any questions about this RFP, please email your questions to Abigail Proff at aproff@first5la.org.

Thank you for your interest in our mission to strengthen families, communities, and systems of services so all children of L.A. County enter kindergarten ready to succeed in school and life.

Sincerely,



Kim Belshé
Executive Director

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