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**Illinois Family Violence Coordinating Council Implementation  
NOFO # 2096-0125**

**RESPONSE TO APPLICANT QUESTIONS**

**Friday, February 14, 2025 – Thursday, February 20, 2025**

Question

Does the Uniform Budget Template tab "Applicant Certification" need to be signed yet, or does that happen after/if the Budget is approved?

Answer

After the budget has been approved.

Question

Are there guidelines for a judge to appoint a fiscal agency?

Answer

No.

Question

Are these instructions at the end of the Implementation PROGRAM NARRATIVE correct?

**Budget Detail and Budget Narrative – 5 Points This section can be completed on a separate Excel document.**

Completed NOFO Application materials should be zipped in a single folder. Each individual document should be named following naming conventions listed on page 7 and emailed to Illinois Family Violence Coordinating Council Implementation. Please review the submission checklist on page 1 in NOFO Instructions. All materials must be received by: 5:00 p.m., February 24, 2025.

Answer

Those steps are for people who have received paper copies because of extenuating circumstances. Please follow the instructions in Amplifund.

Question

#1: We are *considering* budgeting for an **intern** to assist with some council activities. The questions are:

- Are we allowed to have a paid intern (compensate the intern) using budget funds through stipends? Or, if we do this, should we budget/pay the individual as a contractor- much as the local coordinator is contracted staff?
- If allowed, are there parameters for how much, or how little, this intern could be paid?
  - Must it be on an hourly compensation rate stated in an agreement?
  - Can it be a lump sum (honorarium) with an agreement for performance on a set of deliverables?

Answer

Either option could work. The payment is based on the council's budgeting.

Question

I am trying to apply for the Illinois Family Violence Coordinating Council implementation grant. However, when I click the link to apply via AmpliFund it says the link is not valid. Can you provide me with a link to access the application? I appreciate your help.

Answer

<https://il.amplifund.com/Public/Opportunities/Details/59308db5-d6ba-440f-ac81-1c1b65994d8e>