



Alameda County Behavioral Health Care Services Mental Health Advisory Board

Behavioral Health Continuum Program (BHCIP) &
Community Care Expansion (CCE) Program Grant

Overview & Departmental Update

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Funding Overview

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BHCIP

BHCIP Launch Ready grants will provide funding to **construct, acquire, and rehabilitate** real estate assets to **expand the behavioral health continuum of treatment and service resources** in settings serving **Medicaid beneficiaries**.

~ \$80M for Bay Area Region

CCE

The CCE program will fund the **acquisition, construction, rehabilitation, and preservation** of **adult and senior care facilities** that serve applicants and **recipients of Social Security Income (SSI)**, including individuals who are at risk of or experiencing homelessness and those who have behavioral health conditions.

~ \$85M for Bay Area Region

Proposed behavioral health infrastructure projects must demonstrate they have been through a planning process and are ready for implementation.

Allowable Facilities

- ▶ BHCIP Launch Ready projects must expand the community continuum of behavioral health treatment resources to build new capacity or expand existing capacity for **short-term crisis stabilization, acute and sub-acute care, crisis residential, community-based mental health residential, SUD residential, peer respite, mobile crisis, community and outpatient behavioral health services**, and other clinically enriched longer-term treatment and rehabilitation options for persons with behavioral health disorders in an appropriate and least restrictive and least costly setting.
- ▶ Eligible settings for CCE include residential settings that expand the long-term care continuum and serve the target population, including but not limited to **licensed adult and senior care facilities, recuperative or respite care settings, and independent residential settings**.



Exemptions

5960.30. (a) Notwithstanding any other law, a facility project funded by a grant pursuant to this chapter shall be deemed consistent and in conformity with any applicable local plan, standard, or requirement, and allowed as a permitted use, within the zone in which the structure is located, and **shall not** be subject to a conditional use permit, discretionary permit, or to any other discretionary reviews or approvals.

(b) Notwithstanding any other law, the California Environmental Quality Act (Division 13 (commencing with Section 21000) of the Public Resources Code) **shall not apply** to any facility project, including a phased project, funded by a grant pursuant to this chapter if all of the following requirements, if applicable, are satisfied



Requirements in Law

Part 1, Chapter 7, Section 5960.15. An entity shall meet all of the following conditions in order to receive grant funds pursuant to Section 5960.5(a), to the extent applicable and as required by the department:

- (a) Provide matching funds or real property
- (b) Expend funds to supplement and not supplant existing funds to construct, acquire, and rehabilitate real estate assets.
- (c) Report data to the department within 90 days of the end of each quarter for the first five years.
- (d) Operate Medi-Cal services in the financed facility for the intended purpose for a minimum of 30 years.

Proposed Additional Requirements

- DHCS will also require that Medi-Cal beneficiaries are served in grant funded facilities
- The 30 years begins after construction is completed

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Funding Timeline

BHCIP Timeline

BHCIP	Status
Round 1 Mobile Crisis	ACBH received award
Round 2 Planning Grant	ACBH did not apply
Round 3 Launch Ready	Currently open
Round 4 Children and Youth	Expected: August 2022
Round 5 Addressing Gaps #1	Expected: October 2022
Round 6 Addressing Gaps #2	Expected: December 2022

BHCIP Launch Ready/CCE Timeline

- ▶ Joint RFA Released January 31, 2022
- ▶ Joint RFA Open February 15, 2022
- ▶ BHCIP Phase I due: March 31, 2022
- ▶ BHCIP Phase II due: May 31, 2022

*ACBH has applied for
pre-application
consultation (required)*

Applications for CCE Capital Expansion project funding will be accepted on a project-by-project basis through this joint RFA and funded on a rolling basis until funds are exhausted.

BHCIP/CCE Development

County-Wide Planning

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Potential Strategies & Programs

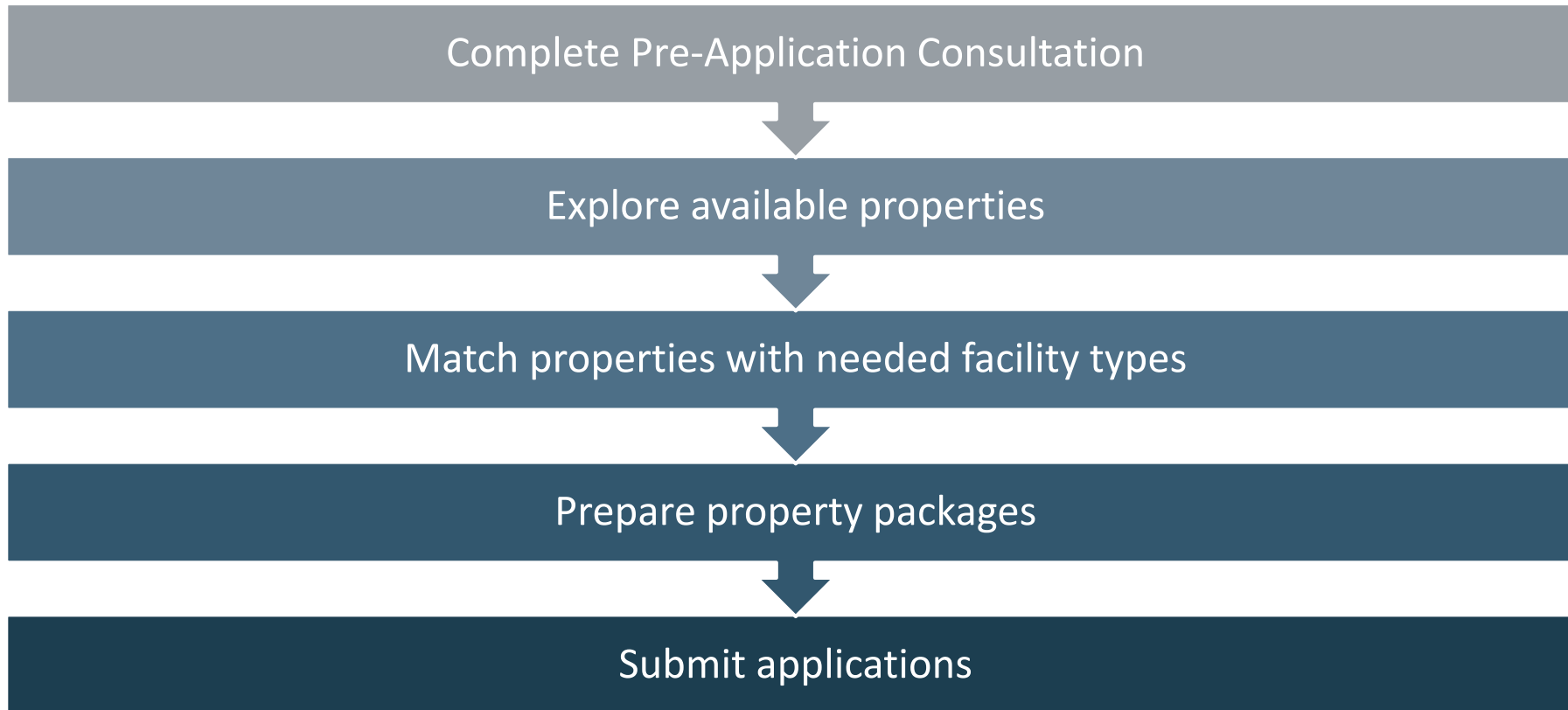
Strategies

- ▶ Geographic coverage that expands the capacity across the County and builds capacity in underserved regions. (i.e. programs in each supervisorial district)
- ▶ Expand capacity of facility types that have shown to be successful
- ▶ Build capacity for programs that divert from the criminal justice system into treatment

Potential Facility Types

- ▶ Psychiatric Health Facility (PHF)
- ▶ Mental Health Rehabilitation Center (MHRC)
- ▶ Crisis Stabilization Unit (CSU)
- ▶ Crisis Residential Treatment (CRT)
- ▶ Adult Residential Treatment (ART)
- ▶ Peer Respite
- ▶ Augmented Board and Care

Current Activities and Next Steps



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MENTAL HEALTH & SUBSTANCE USE SERVICES

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