

Program Element #11: Climate Change and Public Health Program:

1. **Description.** Funds provided under the Financial Assistance Agreement for this Program Element may only be used, in accordance with and subject to the requirements and limitations set forth below, to implement interventions that build local capacity to address the public health impacts of climate change. LPHA will comply with the performance standards of this program, LPHA must engage in the activities as described in Subsections 2.a. through 2.d. below. The purpose of these activities is to build local capacity and implement interventions to address the public health impacts of climate change.

NOTE: LPHA must demonstrate substantial progress toward completing the activities described below before **August 30, 2017** to retain eligibility to receive funding under this Program Element in future years.

2. Local Activities

- a. **Participate in the Oregon Climate and Health Collaborative (OCHC).** Attend and participate in regular conference calls convened by OHA. The calls will serve as a coordinating structure for the OCHC and participants will be expected to contribute to statewide activities, including the prioritization, implementation, and evaluation of statewide climate health interventions.
- b. **Engage and collaborate with partners and stakeholders.** Convene and facilitate a group of internal and external partners/stakeholders to assist with the prioritization and selection of interventions from pre-existing local climate and health plan and the Oregon Public Health Division's Resilience Plan.
- c. **Develop and begin implementation of an intervention work plan** Based on stakeholder input and OCHC guidance, develop a work plan to implement at least one prioritized intervention and begin implementation. Work closely with Oregon's Climate and Health Program to evaluate intervention during implementation.
- d. **Prepare written report for OHA.** Document and share major accomplishments and outcomes that are the result of this funding. Reports should include a description of methods or strategies employed, partners/stakeholders engaged, any evidence of effectiveness and lessons learned during the implementation of the selected intervention. LPHA should also discuss approaches that worked well, challenges, and limitations.

3. **Procedural and Operational Requirements.** By accepting and using the financial assistance funding provided by OHA under the Financial Assistance Agreement and this Program Element, LPHA agrees to conduct these climate and health activities in accordance with the following requirements:

- a. Conduct all climate and health activities as described in this Program Element.
- b. Assure that its local program is staffed at the appropriate level to address subsections 2.a. through 2.d. of this Program Element. Funds for this program element must be directed to personnel and other expenses in support of subsections 2.a. through 2.d.
- c. Participate in regular conference calls with OHA and the other mini-grantees to discuss ongoing progress.

4. **Performance Measures.** LPHAs that complete fewer than 75% of the planned activities for two consecutive calendar quarters in one state fiscal year will not be eligible to receive funding under this Program Element in the next state fiscal year.