

**Department of Health and Human Services  
Center for Medicare & Medicaid Services  
Center for Medicaid and CHIP Services  
Funding Opportunity: Connecting Kids to Coverage (CKC)  
HEALTHY KIDS American Indian/Alaska Native 2023  
OUTREACH AND ENROLLMENT COOPERATIVE AGREEMENTS**

**Frequently Asked Questions Set #2**

**Q50: Can virtual appointments be carried out over the phone or do they have to be web-based? (Lack of internet access is a major issue within our eligible population.)**

A: Yes, virtual appointments may be conducted over the phone.

**Q51: Is the grant limited to persons identified AI/AN alone? Will it consider services for persons identified AI/AN in combination with another race?**

A: While the focus of the cooperative agreement is on the outreach and enrollment to eligible AI/AN children, parents, and pregnant individuals, the awardee may provide to enrollment assistance any person, regardless of race, ethnicity, or national origin that is eligible for Medicaid or CHIP.

**Q52: Certain outreach activities may draw the general population and include AI/AN persons. It may not be possible to be exclusive to one population. What recommendations are considered to address the need of all present?**

A: While the focus this funding opportunity is on AI/AN children, parents, and pregnant individuals, the grantee outreach and enrollment activities may include the general population.

**Q53: The budget and budget narrative format in the NOFO seems confusing. Is this just a sample and can each section of the budget be included in a single document?**

A: The budget and budget narrative information provided in the NOFO is a sample. Please see pages 27 and 28 of the NOFO for page limits and formatting requirements, and Appendix I. Guidance for Preparing and Budget Request and Narrative on pages 60 through 72 for details on what should be included in the budget and budget narrative.

**Q54: For non-AI/AN children who are part of an Indian household, will they be able to apply for this program?**

A: Yes, all children, regardless of race, ethnicity, or national origin are eligible to apply for Medicaid or CHIP.

**Q55: How can we find current or recent CMS recipients in our area that are serving our target population?**

A: You may find a list of current and past recipients at:

<https://www.insurekidsnow.gov/campaign-information/outreach-enrollment-grants/index.html>.

**Q56: We have rural locations where individuals do not have phone or internet. We are looking at a mobile unit to send an individual home-to-home. Does that fit within this NOFO?**

A: Yes, awardees may use mobile units to provide application and enrollment assistance to individuals and families eligible for Medicaid and CHIP.