

Question and Answer
2021 Supportive Reentry RFP
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	Program Area	Question	Answer
1.	Application	Hi, I wanted to see if you would send over bid documents for the bid for HSD Announces Supportive Reentry RFP Funding Opportunity?	Here's the link to the Supportive Reentry RFP. http://www.seattle.gov/humanservices/funding-and-reports/funding-opportunities/2021-reentry-rfp Links to the application materials can be found on the right margin. Simply click on needed topic.
2.	Information Session	Will this session be recorded and distributed?	Yes, you can find the information session recording and PowerPoint on the HSD Funding Opportunity webpage .
3.	Participants	How many people (minimum) must be served per year in this contract?	We do not have a minimum nor maximum of number of people served. The number served should match the scope of services and be aligned with the budget submitted. The rating panel will be looking at scale, scope, alignment, and the activities being proposed.
4.	Application	Any flexibility on the narrative page limit of 5 pages? The questions alone are almost 2 pages.	There is no flexibility on the number of pages in the narrative response. Questions and criteria do not need to be included in your response. Indicate the letter and number with each response; raters will have the criteria and questions.
5.	Eligibility	Is there an age limit for eligible participants?	No age limits.
6.	Participants	Is there a percentage of youth who can reside, attend school or work outside of Seattle that would be allowed to be served through this RFP?	Per the Law Department's guidance for City of Seattle general fund investments, formerly incarcerated participants are required to live in Seattle, or work or attend school in Seattle.
7.	Participants	When considering formerly justice involved participants, is there a time limit for being in the community/when they were released?	No time limit.
8.	Budget	Will we be able to assist with tickets that are preventing a participant from getting their drivers' license?	Yes, this is considered a supportive service and is an eligible expense. If you anticipate providing this service, include it in your budget proposal as a miscellaneous expense.

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9.	Eligibility	Is the time a person was incarcerated make a difference in their eligibility to receive services through this RFP?	No.
10.	Budget	If we provide support to participants like funding for tools, clothing, or licenses or financial support for education or training do we list those expenses under “other miscellaneous” on the budget page?	Yes.
11.	Eligibility	Can we provide employment training at the Maleng Regional Justice Center in Kent for incarcerated people who plan or seek to live in Seattle after release?	Yes.
12.	Eligibility	As a recipient of a Community Safety Capacity Building grant, are we eligible to apply for funds from the 2021 Supportive Reentry RFP? If so, is there anything we should keep in mind when preparing our application?	Yes, any previous award recipient is eligible to apply as long as the organization meets the minimum eligibility requirements for this RFP. When preparing the application, please note all rating criteria provided in the RFP .