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DVPT Webinar 4/5/2023 Q&A

Q: Why are agencies not able to move funds between Year 1 and Year 2?

A: The DVPT program is funded by the Indiana General Assembly through the state's biennial budget. CJI receives Year 1 funding allocation in July 2023 and Year 2 in July 2024. If there are any funds remaining in Year 1, CJI is required to request approval to rollover the remaining funds to Year 2 as the state will not automatically rollover funds. We will need to request approval to move funds from Year 1 to Year 2.

Q: This is a general ICJI question, but are QSEHRA expenses allowable for employees in lieu of health insurance benefits?

A: Yes, QSEHRA expenses are allowable and will need to be indicated in the budget and budget narrative.

Q: How will you determine award amounts if you do not know 2nd year funding?

A: CJI will be provided with a two-year budget that includes Year 1 and Year 2 funding when the Indiana General Assembly budget has been finalized. Only one year of funding is released in July 2023 of Year 1 and July 2024 in Year 2.

Q: Does the DVPT budget get renewed every year by the state?

A: The DVPT program is funded by the Indiana General Assembly through the state's biennial budget.

Q: Do we know what the anticipated funding will be?

A: We do not know the amount of funding as it is currently in the budget bill but has not passed as of this date. We will know the award amounts prior to the review and award of the applications.

Q: Should we anticipate a cut or an increase? Or flat funding? Just want to make sure we apply correctly.

A: We do not know at this time if there will be an increase in funding as the budget bill has not passed but encourage agencies to apply at the same rate of funding in previous years.

Q: If money is left on the table from one year what happens to it?

A: If there are any funds remaining in Year 1, CJI is required to request approval to rollover the remaining funds to Year 2. Agencies will be notified if funding is eligible to be moved from Year 1 to Year 2.