



NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR STATE COMMUNITY SERVICES PROGRAMS

CSBG Managers Regional Meeting

February 23, 2021

Roll Call

- Region 1: Connecticut, Delaware, District of Columbia, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, and Vermont
- Region 2: Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Mississippi, North Carolina, Puerto Rico, South Carolina, Tennessee, Virginia, and West Virginia
- Region 3: Arkansas, Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Oklahoma, Texas, and Virgin Islands
- Region 4: Colorado, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Montana, North Dakota, Ohio, South Dakota, Wisconsin, and Wyoming
- Region 5: Alaska, American Samoa, Arizona, California, Guam, Hawaii, Idaho, Nevada, Northern Mariana Islands, Oregon, Utah, and Washington



AGENDA



**CHANGES IN STATE
OFFICE STAFF**



**NEW OCS DIRECTOR-
DR. LANIKQUE
HOWARD**



FY 2021 AWARDS



LEGISLATIVE UPDATE



**ANNUAL REPORT
UPDATE**



**RACIAL EQUITY WORK
GROUP UPDATE**



NASCSP CONFERENCE



STATE DISCUSSION



**2021 REGIONAL CALL
SCHEDULE**

Changes at the State Office



- Arizona
 - Edward Chien left Arizona and has joined the Massachusetts State Office in a non-CSBG Role
 - Welcome to Kelli Shepard, Emergency Programs Manager
- Florida
 - Amy Harrison left the state office
 - Welcome to Frankie Hernandez, Community Program Manager
- Kentucky
 - Brian Isaacs left his role at the State Office
- Louisiana
 - Rhonda Lemons left her position at the State Office
 - Congratulations to Cleopa Greene, Acting Supervisor!
- Missouri
 - Heather Howell left her position at the State Office
- South Carolina
 - Welcome Back to Kelly Buckson, Senior Manager for CSBG & LIHEAP!
- Texas
 - Laura Saintey has accepted a new role at the Texas State Office
- Wyoming
 - Welcome to Erin Doak, Community Services Program Manager



Dr. Lanikque Howard Appointed to OCS Director

FY 2021 Awards



Planned single release of remaining 2021 funds

Will have 1% holdback



Small States

Corrected Award Letters sent

Legislative Update

Biden Actions & Appointments

- Rollback earlier rules
 - Repeal or delay executive rules such as requiring decennial HHS rule review
- HHS Secretary
 - Nominee Xavier Becerra, California's attorney general, awaits Senate confirmation
- Acting HHS Secretary
 - Norris Cochran, HHS deputy assistant secretary of budget, is serving as acting HHS secretary for the second time. He also served as acting secretary in 2017.
- Deputy HHS Secretary
 - Amanda Palm, alum of the Wisconsin Department of Health Services & the Obama Admin
- Acting Assistant Secretary
 - Ben Goldhaber, with HHS since 1999, previously served as the Deputy Assistant Secretary for Administration.



Legislative Update

COVID Relief Bill

- Democrats move ahead without Republican support
 - Dems instead plan to pass it solely through reconciliation, which only requires 51 Senate votes
- \$1.9 Trillion COVID Relief Bill
 - Contains \$1,400 checks, unemployment relief, child tax credits, vaccine funds, and subsidies for rent, food, and public transit.
 - Contains a minimum wage increase to \$15/hr and \$4.5 billion for LIHEAP.
 - Dems attempting to pass it “by the second or third week of March.”





ANNUAL REPORT UPDATE


FY20 Regular CSBG Annual Report Update

- Module 1:
 - OCS is postponing the implementation of the new data points. You will be using the same form as last year for this year's submission.
 - The form is posted to the NASCSP website.
- Module 2-4:
 - We are waiting for FY19 data to be finalized to be able to release the SmartForms.
 - XMLs will not change, but states using a system will need the updated 'additional fields'.



FY20 Regular CSBG Annual Report Update

- CSBG Annual Report (FY20)
 - OCS stated that there will be a deadline extension to April 30, 2021
 - OLDC should be open in early March.
 - OCS will release a DCL on CSBG reporting.
 - OCS is holding a webinar on March 3rd, 2 p.m. – 3 p.m. EST

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All CSBG CARES and Disaster
activities will be included in the
regular CSBG Annual Report
AND
reported in separate reports.

Supplemental Report Update

- There will be a separate Module 1, 2 and 4 for both CSBG CARES and Disaster Supplemental funds each.
- Module 1 – reduced number of questions and modified
- Module 2 – only expenditures and allocated resources (Sections A and C)
- Module 4 – only services (Section B)

Supplemental Report Update

- Module 2 - only expenditures and allocated resources (Sections A and C)
 - OCS is adding a narrative opportunity
- Module 4 – only services (Section B)
 - OCS is adding two services:
 - Direct Financial Assistance
 - PPE

Supplemental Report Update

- States will be able to use SmartForms or their state systems to submit the supplemental reports.
- Supplemental reports will be due May 30, 2021 (this is a Sunday).

Keep an eye out for the annual data survey

- We will send it later this week.
- Contains questions on how the state plans to report and vendor contacts.
- Should only take a few minutes to complete.





CSBG PERFORMANCE MANAGEMENT WEBSITE

CSBG Performance Management Website

- The CSBG Performance Management Website development has been completed for state level CSBG data.
 - We are waiting further guidance on the roll-out timeline of the website.
- States will be able to pull reports with graphs and charts and query the system for information found in state plans and Module 1.
- The website will be released only to states first prior to the general public.
- There will eventually be a public and private side.



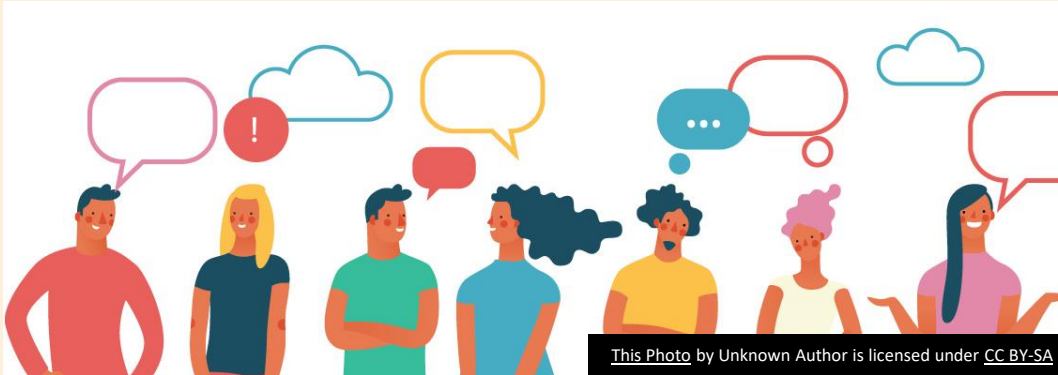
Racial Equity Work Group Update

NASCSP 2021 Winter Conference

Building the Road Ahead

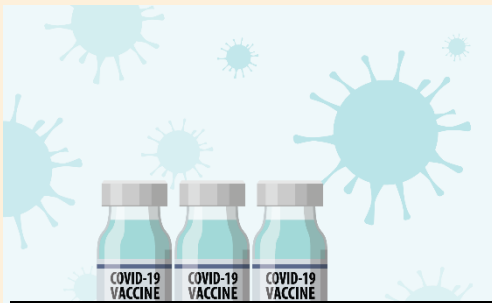
March 8 - 12, 2021

- Session Topics:
 - Managing and Maximizing Performance
 - Strategies for Engagement
 - Wellness from Within
 - Supporting Effective Needs Assessments and CAP Plans
 - Monitoring
 - Pragmatic ROMA
 - Customer Panel: Customer Lived Experience during COVID-19 Crisis
- Member Planning and Action: Wednesday, March 17th from 1pm-3pm EST
- Registration closes March 3, 2021



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State Discussion



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2021 CSBG Regional Call Schedule

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FEBRUARY 2021

| MON | TUE | WED | THU | FRI | SAT | SUN |
|-----|--|---|--|-----|-----|-----|
| 1 | 2 NASEO Energy Policy Outlook Conference | 3 NCAP Management and Leadership Training Conference | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 |
| 8 | 9 | 10 | 11 | 12 | 13 | 14 |
| 15 | 16 11:00 am - 12:30 pm February CSBG Regional Manager's Call 2:00 pm - 3:30 pm February CSBG Regional Manager's Call | 17 | 18 11:00 am - 12:00 pm WAP Regional Manager's Call 3:00 pm - 4:00 pm WAP Regional Manager Call | 19 | 20 | 21 |
| 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 | 26 | 27 | 28 |

Quarterly Calls,
offered at 11am
and 2pm EST:

- May 18th
- August 17th
- November 16th