



NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR STATE COMMUNITY SERVICES PROGRAMS

CARES Spending Discussion

May 2, 2022

Welcome!



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Why It Matters

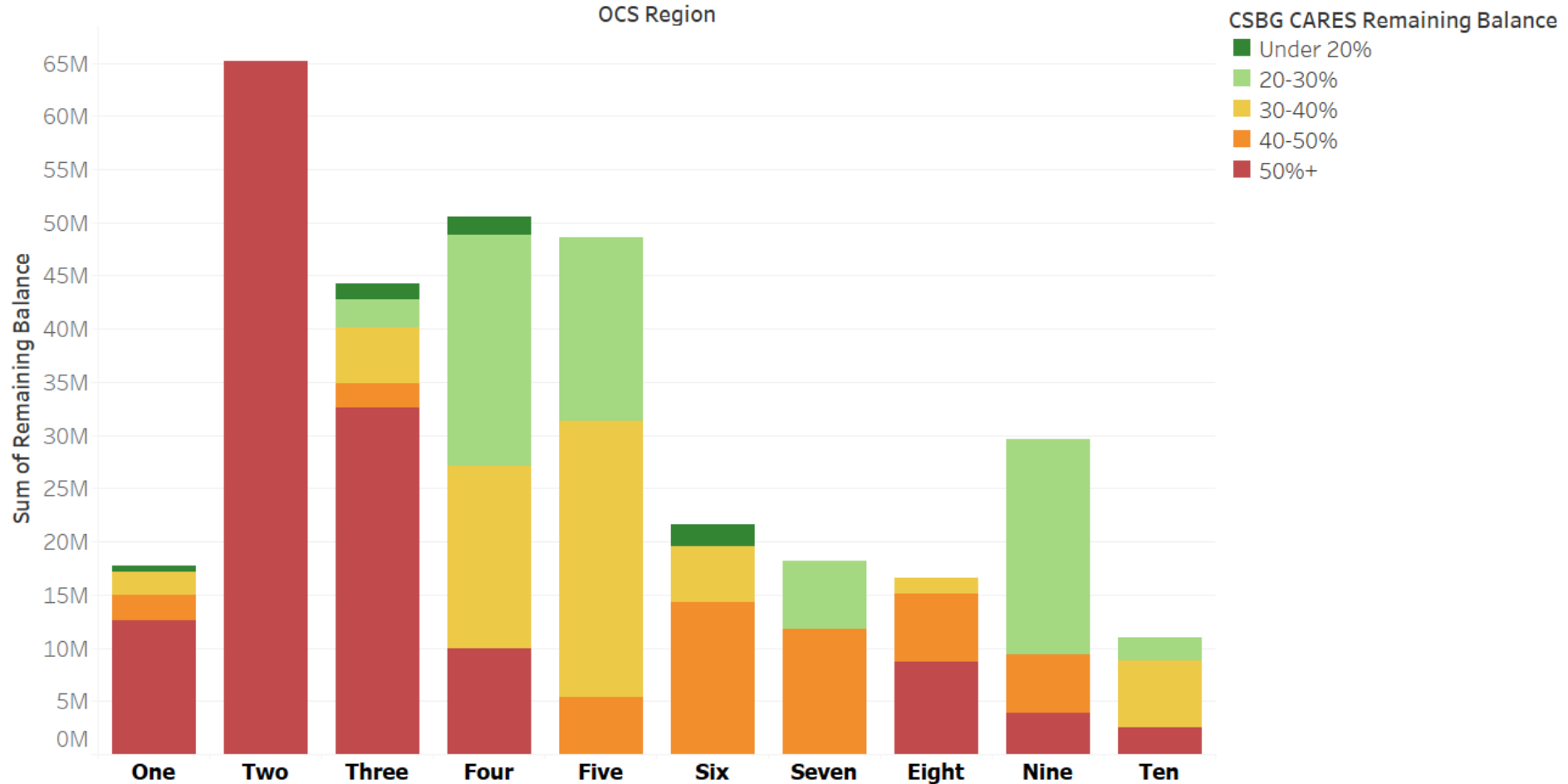


Pandemic needs still exist.
People and communities
are still suffering.

Confirm Confidence and
Trust

CSBG CARES Supplemental Funding

CSBG CARES Remaining Balance by Region



CSBG CARES Drawdown (as of April 2022)

Percentage remaining to spend	Number of States (including Small States)	Number of States (not including Small States)
Over 50% remains	14 States	7 States
40-50% remains	10 States	7 States
30-40% remains	11 States	9 States
20-30% remains	12 States	12 States
Less than 20% remains	6 States	6 States
Total Remaining Balance	\$323,269,408	\$291,636,100

**Data from the Payment Management System as of April 12, 2022*

Top Ten Ideas for Spending



10 CUSTOMERS



#9 CHILDREN AND
YOUTH ACTIVITIES



#8 HEALTH



#7 HOUSING



#6 TECHNOLOGY

Top Ten Ideas for Spending



#5 CUSTOMER
ENGAGEMENT*



#4 CAA CAPACITY



#3 SMALL BUSINESS
SUPPORT



#2 JOB TRAINING



#1 POP UP EVENTS

*Operational due diligence



Questions



State Roles and Responsibilities

It falls to the state to determine allowability and eligibility parameters

- Eligibility ***does not*** have to be ***directly*** tied to COVID-19 infection
- Everyone has been ***impacted*** by COVID at this point
- A Few Examples:
 - Inflation-Gas and Food Price Increases
 - Missed Wages/Unemployment/Reduced Hours
 - Child Care Closures and Price Increases
 - Deaths in the Family



Eligibility Q&A

State Roles and Responsibilities

States can and ***should*** be flexible

- Expediting Contract Amendments/Modifications
 - Work Plans
 - Budgets
- Abbreviated Community Needs Assessments and/or CAP plans
- Advances vs Reimbursements



Contract Management Q&A

State and CAA Roadblocks

- What are they?
- How can we help?



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NASCSP CARES Check-ins

- June 7, 2022, from 2:00 to 3:30pm ET
- July 5, 2022, from 2:00 to 3:30pm ET
- August 2, 2022, from 2:00 to 3:30pm ET
- September 6, 2022, from 2:00 to 3:30pm ET

Thank You!



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