

SFY 2013 Application Supplement Form 3 – Promising Practice Programs

County:

Program/Strategy:

Summary: Please provide a brief summary of all of your proposed programs. Please identify each proposed program as evidence based, evidence informed, promising practice or emerging programs and practices. *(max 5,000 characters)*

- An explanation of how the program strengthens families in order to prevent child abuse and neglect. When possible, be specific in terms of protective factors and your program strategies. Provide this description as a narrative. *(max 5,000 characters)*
- A description of the level of parent engagement in the program. This should go beyond simply stating whether or not parents are actual participants in the program. It should involve explaining the role of parents (if any) in developing or evaluating the program and it should provide examples such as a parent advisory board. It should also explain the role of parents (if any) in providing feedback on the content of the program and its' operation. *(max 1,600 characters)*
- A description of how program participants will be involved in your anticipated activities. This should include an explanation of any planning, advisory and/or oversight roles that parents and/or children play in the program and how this affects program activities. *(max 1,600 characters)*
- Please explain whether this a primary or secondary prevention program/service. *(max 1,400 characters)*
- Describe how you plan to evaluate the programs for which you are requesting funding, and what information you plan to collect. For each proposed program, please provide a sample copy of the evaluation tools that will be utilized. *(max 5,000 characters)*

Promising Practices (Promising Programs and Practices)

Programmatic Characteristics

- Please identify how the program articulates a theory of change which specifies clearly identified outcomes and describes the activities that are related to those outcomes. *(max 2,800 characters)*
- Please specifically identify any book, manual, other available writings and training materials that specify the components of the program/practice protocol and describe how you will administer it. Please also explain how the program is able to provide formal or informal support and guidance regarding program model. *(max 1,600 characters)*

Research & Evaluation Characteristics

- Please list one study utilizing some form of control or comparison group (e.g., untreated group, placebo group, matched wait list) that has established the program's/practice's efficacy over the placebo, or found it to be comparable to or better than an appropriate comparison program/practice, in reducing risk and increasing protective factors associated with the prevention of abuse or neglect. Please provide citations for any formal, independent report that has been produced which documents the program's positive outcomes. *(max 3,000 characters)*

- Please explain how the program is actively working on building stronger evidence through ongoing evaluation and continuous quality improvement activities. *(max 3,000 characters)*

- Please demonstrate adherence to model fidelity in program implementation. *(max 5,000 characters)*