

Nonprofit Infrastructure Capital Investment Program

The Nonprofit Infrastructure Capital Investment Program will provide \$50 million in bonded capital grants for projects to improve the quality, efficiency, and accessibility of nonprofit human services organizations that serve New Yorkers. Funding will be distributed through a competitive application process and must be available for uses throughout the state.

Eligible projects include:

- Technology upgrades that improve electronic records, data analysis, or confidentiality
- Renovations or expansions of space used for direct program services
- Modifications to make spaces more sustainable and energy efficient
- Accessibility renovations

Nonprofit organizations are eligible to apply for funding if:

- They are human services organizations
- They provide direct services to New Yorkers
- They have state contracts, state authorized payments, and/or state payment rates

Applications will be reviewed by representatives from State agencies, including, but not limited to: the Office of Children and Family Services, the Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance, the Office for People with Developmental Disabilities, the Office of Mental Health, and the Dormitory Authority of the State of New York. Additional agencies may be included as determined by the Director of the Budget. The Director of the Budget will approve guidelines for the program and the application process.

The Request for Proposals will include more details about what information nonprofits need to include in their applications, but at a minimum, applicants will need to provide the following:

- The amount of funding requested in relation to the size and scope of the proposed project and the number of clients who will benefit
- A detailed description of the project, including:
 - Where funding will come from and how it will all be used
 - A timeline for completing the project
 - How much funding will be necessary at each stage of the project
- How critical the project is for helping the nonprofit serve its target population or how the project is necessary for allowing the nonprofit to serve a new population
- A statement saying that construction on the project did not start and equipment for the project had not been purchased before April 1, 2015
- A statement saying that the project has all of the approvals and permits it needs to be completed or that the nonprofit is reasonable sure that it will be able to get the required approvals

The Dormitory Authority, working with the Division of Budget's Nonprofit Coordination Unit and stakeholder agencies, will administer the program.