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To: I/DD community members, Tribal partners and ODDS staff

From: Anna S. Lansky, Interim Director, Office of Developmental Disabilities Services (ODDS)

Subject: American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) funding for employment core competency online curriculum updates

The Office of Developmental Disabilities Services (ODDS) is pleased to announce that a new American Rescue Plan Act (ARPA) Request for Proposals (RFP) is now open. This funding is for a contractor to design, create and build upon existing core competency online training modules for employment professionals. This includes updating and modernizing current training materials in an online format.

All details, requirements and qualifications are <u>available in solicitation S-</u> <u>10000-00009460 on OregonBuys.</u> Questions and requests for clarification are due by 3 p.m. on Feb. 26, 2024. RFPs are due by 3:15 p.m. on March 18.

Applications must be submitted through <u>OregonBuys</u>, which is the state's e-Procurement system. All details and documents for this ARPA funding opportunity can be found on OregonBuys through bid solicitation number <u>S-10000-00009460</u>. Please make sure you're registered with OregonBuys and logged in to view the RFP documentation. To help with registration, there is a <u>registration quick step guide</u> and <u>full registration instructions</u>. If you need additional registration assistance, please call the vendor help desk at 855-800-5046 or email <u>suppliersupport@periscopeholdings.com</u>.

The single point of contact for this RFP is Procurement and Contract Specialist Coral D. Ford. All questions must go directly to Coral at <u>Coral.D.Ford@odhsoha.oregon.gov</u> or 503-508-6471.

Thank you for your support of this important funding opportunity.

Sincerely,

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