**Long Term Care Planning Project – Meeting 2**

Evidence-Based Programs and Innovative Models in Aging and Long Term Care

Proposal Submission Information

**Title:** Evidence-Based Programs and Innovative Models in Aging and Long Term Care

**Due date:** April 17, 2019

**Purpose**

The purpose of the Long Term Care Planning Project (LTCPP) is to understand the projected and desired needs of older adults in New York by examining New York’s long term care system. The LTCPP will analyze, evaluate, and identify existing service gaps in New York’s aging and long term care system, determine the most cost-effective evidence-based interventions, and prepare a strategic plan to meet the emerging needs of New York’s aging population over the next decade.

As New York State’s population of older adults continues to grow, use of evidence-based programs and innovative models will be key to ensuring that the needs of New York’s older adults continue to be met in the changing health care environment.

Selected organizations will be invited to present and discuss their evidence-based/evidence-informed programs at the May 13 meeting of the LTCPP. The goal of the meeting is to learn from organizations that have implemented evidence-based programs and other innovative models in aging and long term care services and can demonstrate a return on investment, cost savings, improved outcomes, etc. Organizations that are not selected to present may be provided with the opportunity to have their organization listed in a final resource document to be posted on the Department of Health’s LTCPP webpage.

**Background**

There has been an increased emphasis on the use of evidence-based programs in the delivery of services. To create successful and quality consumer outcomes, organizations must have the tools and support they need to ensure that the services they deliver have a positive impact on those that they serve.

Evidence-based programs require rigorous, methodological evaluation to be defined as evidence-based; however, all these programs started as innovative models. To ensure this meeting achieves its goal of learning about the most effective interventions in the state, all programs—whether designated as evidence-based or employing innovative methods of service delivery—are encouraged to apply.

**Proposal Submission**

Proposal submissions for evidence-based programs and/or innovative models must fall into one or more of the following categories:

* Care Transitions;
* Technology;
* Prevention, Wellness, and Chronic Disease Management; or
* Other.

Additionally, proposals must follow the attached outline and include:

* A description of the evidence-based program or innovative model;
* Any evaluations of the evidence-based program or innovative model and their results;
* An explanation of the program or model’s effectiveness; and
* Any anticipated challenges in replication.

Proposals may be submitted by organizations, including, but not limited to, community-based organizations, not-for-profit organizations, Area Agencies on Aging, local government units, hospitals or health systems, and direct care providers. Programs do not have to be currently in operation to be considered.

To be considered, proposals must include information pertaining to all of the above criteria. Proposals should be no longer than two pages in length. Organizations will be notified no later than April 29, 2019 of their acceptance to present and will be asked to prepare a 10-minute presentation on their program for the May 13 meeting. All other submissions may be included in the resource document, unless otherwise specified.

Organizations may submit more than one proposal.

**All proposals must be submitted to** [**ALTCteam@health.ny.gov**](mailto:ALTCteam@health.ny.gov) **by April 17, 2019.**

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Evidence-Based Programs and Innovative Model Proposal Template

**Contact Name:**

**Title:**

**Organization:**

**Phone Number:**

**E-Mail:**

**Name of Evidence-Based Program or Innovative Model:**

**Proposal Category: check which category your program addresses**

*If your program falls into more than one, please pick the main category*

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|  | Care Transitions |
|  | Prevention, Wellness, and Chronic Disease Management |
|  | Technology |
|  | Other (please describe) |

**Briefly describe the program, whether or not it is evidence-based, how long the program has been provided, and why you decided to implement this specific program.**

**Please describe any evaluations of your program and the results. If your program has not been evaluated, please include any information on plans to conduct an evaluation.**

**Describe the program or model’s effectiveness and lessons learned from implementation. Please include any implementation challenges.**