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Hi Ransom,

Please read the email below; more RLA fun!

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Subject: Additional funding available to Albany County

Good morning,

I am your new contact for grants management and budget asks. Happy to be working with you.

The NYSDOH Bureau of TB Control (BTBC) has received supplemental funding from the CDC to support services to Ukrainian newcomers under the Uniting for Ukraine (U4U) initiative. BTBC expects to award Albany County supplemental funding of **\$19,159** which is in addition to the current Public Health Campaign award, and will be processed through a contract amendment. The amount of the supplement was determined by a calculation of the expected Ukrainian arrivals to your county and the 5-year TB morbidity rate. The CDC has indicated the supplemental funds should be used to provide services to the Ukrainian humanitarian parolees as the first priority and to enhance the overall services provided by the county's TB Program. The CDC expects the funds to be utilized by 09/30/2023 with the possibility of carry-over until 12/31/23. ***The money is to be prioritized for use with Ukrainians but if you do not have any left in your base contract, it can be used to enhance any TB program services. Contract amendments in the gateway should be up soon. We just received the approval today.***

The services being supported with this funding include providing outreach, testing, evaluation, and treatment for displaced Ukrainians, and collaboration with the Refugee Health Program and clinics and/or others involved with this effort where indicated. Please note IGRA screening for Ukrainian newcomers must be provided as part of their initial evaluation. The CDC expects to receive information regarding the number of people tested and where laboratory testing was performed, the number of people evaluated for TB disease, the number of people treated for LTBI and completing treatment, and the number of people treated for TB disease and completing treatment. For all suspected or verified cases of TB, a CDESS case report must be submitted as soon as possible and the initial Aggregate Report for Program Evaluation (ARPE), Targeted Testing form for all Ukrainian newcomers for whom the county was engaged in follow-up will be due 06/30/2023 with Final data due 12/31/2023.

Period 4 is now closed.

Please let us know if you have any questions.

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