

Proposer	Score Average
Hive of Hope	4.68
Hospitality House	4.58
Healthy Capital District	4.54
LaSalle School	4.39
Care Solace	4.30
Second Chance Opportunities	4.00
Hope House	2.79
Bridges of Greater NY	2.64
Real Talk Therapy	2.13

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Criterion #3: Describe Your Experience and Expertise	20%	3	0.6	5	1	2	0.4	2.25	0.45
Criterion #4: Budget	10%	1	0.1	3	0.3	5	0.5	1	0.1
Criterion #5: Performance Measures	10%	1	0.1	4	0.4	2	0.2	2	0.2
<b>TOTALS:</b>			1.8		4.5		2.9		1.35

Bridges of greater NY did not provide any problem related to SUD that they will working on using these funds. They have not described any approach and performance measures were not clear.

Sounds like a good program, but not a lot of detail or background about the organization. I feel like I still have questions

**NOTES:** \_\_\_\_\_

2.6375

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Criterion #5: Performance Measures	10%	5	0.5	5	0.5	5	0.5	5	0.5
<b>TOTALS:</b>			4.3		4.2		4.4		4.3

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### Care Solace

Care solace described the referral gap very well and the youth vulnerability. They proposed to implement referral paths but not fully described all the steps. The budget is missing a lot of information.

The application is good and checks all the boxes, but I don't really know if treatment coordination is a need? If that is something we are missing, this is a good proposal. If not, then we don't need it.



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Criterion #3: Describe Your Experience and Expertise	20%	5	1	4	0.8	5	1	4.5	0.9
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Criterion #5: Performance Measures	10%	5	0.5	4	0.4	5	0.5	4	0.4
<b>TOTALS:</b>			5		4.1		4.9		4.15

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HCD clearly describes the need for research about CRPAs role in supporting recovery. They described clearly how they use the funds to do this research using data and focus groups.

Interesting research idea that could help with retention and growth for CRPAs.

## Healthy Capital District

4.5375

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Criterion #5: Performance Measures	10%	5	0.5	4	0.4	3	0.3
<b>TOTALS:</b>			4.9		4.9		4.2

**NOTES:** \_\_\_\_\_

The proposal was well explained. Hive of hope will use this funds to add extra 8 hours per week of structured recovery programming.

straightforward proposal from an organization with a lot of experience

Reviewer 4	
Rate	Score
4.5	0.9
4.75	1.9
5	1
5	0.5
4	0.4
	4.7

4.675

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<b>TOTALS:</b>			1		1.2		4.6		4.35

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Not related to SUD directly, applying grant for truck maintenance to support SUD treatment facilities.

No real way to measure performance measures, but this is likely a valuable invest more for this org. They are offering ~50% match

Hope House Inc.

2.7875

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<b>TOTALS:</b>			4.9		4.7		4.9		3.8

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## Hospitality House

Hospitality House explained how anhedonia disrupts people with SUD to return to regular life interests. They proposed to help their clients using recreational equipment. Their proposal was well explained in all the sections.

I love this idea

## Hospitality House

4.575

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<b>TOTALS:</b>			4.7		4.8		4.3		3.75

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Lasalle proposed to use Neurofeedback to help with trauma in Suds. Their proposal was well explained in all the sections.

Interesting idea that may be very effective

4.3875

Real Talk Therapy

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<b>TOTALS:</b>			3		2.2		1.4		1.9

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The proposal has potential but needs more explanation. All the sections need more details.

There is not enough information in the proposal to fully grasp what the program is.

## Real Talk Therapy

2.125

Second Chance Opp.

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<b>TOTALS:</b>			4.4		4.2		3.4		4

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The Second Chance  
Opp. Proposal  
explained all the  
sections well in plan  
implementation section.

I know this is a great  
program, but the  
information presented  
isn't very  
comprehensive.

Second Chance Opp.