

What's Next for the Delta Center?



Proposed Delta Center Phase 2

We recently submitted a proposal to RWJF for a **second iteration of the Delta Center!**

Some components will be similar to Phase 1:



Funding



Coaching



Training & TA on Policy
and Practice Change

NEW ADDITION:
Alumni grants!



Goals of Delta Center Phase 2



Build knowledge & ability

of state associations to ensure that changes in incentives and care systems meet the goals and needs of individuals and families.



Foster collaboration

between primary care and behavioral health at state level



Elevate insights for the field and for state and national decision makers to **influence systems change.**

The ultimate impact is to create a health policy and care system that better meets the goals and needs of individuals and families, and addresses racial and economic disparities.



Proposed Expectations for Alumni Grants



Current teams will be invited to apply for grants of **\$40,000** (Nov 2020 – Oct 2021); **8 grants available**.

- Submit a proposal outlining the project for your grant -- short proposals due mid-September 2020.
- Adapt policy and practice change goals from Delta Center Phase 1 in the wake of COVID-19.
- Continue to meet with coaches 6-8 times during the year.
- Develop a sustainability plan for state association partnership and continued collaboration.
- Engage in ongoing evaluation: one survey and one post-survey call (Note: Phase 2 baseline data will be collected in the Phase I endpoint survey and follow-up call in Fall 2020).
- Engage in dissemination of learning: participate in 1-2 calls with Delta Center Program Office in order to elevate progress/innovations/challenges that can be shared with the field.
- Provide financial reports on grant activities to NACHC and NCBH.



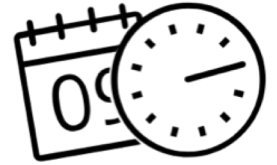
Proposed Sample Criteria for Alumni Grants



- **Phase 1 Performance:** Demonstrated ability to engage with and/or advance policy and practice transformation in state.
- **Project:** Demonstrated commitment and sound approach to meaningfully advance policy and/or practice change, building on Phase 1 accomplishments.
- **Partnerships:** Clear strategy for leveraging partnerships in pursuing project.
- **Commitment to Delta Center Participation:** Willingness to serve as a “bright spot” and/or share learnings with new cohort.



Proposed Delta Center Phase 2 Timeline



- Call for Proposals released: August 17, 2020
- Alumni Grant Proposals due: September 15, 2020
- Launch: November 2, 2020
- Grant end: October 31, 2021
- In lieu of a final report - teams will have the following options:
 - If pursuing an alumni grant - teams will submit a brief proposal to the Delta Center released on 8/17 and due by 9/15.
 - If NOT pursuing an alumni grant - teams will hold a short final closeout call with NACHC and NCBH.
 - **All teams will need to submit a financial report for their original grant.** Once again, no final narrative reports are required

