

# Sanilac County Community Mental Health Authority

## **Request for Proposal**

## Community Living Supports, Skill Building and Respite Services

Opens: December 2, 2024 Closes: January 21, 2025

Sanilac CMH RFP 1

## Sanilac County Community Mental Health Authority Bid Due Date: January 21, 2025

## **GENERAL INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS**

#### **INTRODUCTION**

Sanilac County Community Mental Health Authority, hereinafter known as Sanilac CMH, is requesting applications from qualified Providers who are currently providing Community Living Supports (CLS), Skill Building and Respite services to eligible adults with severe and persistent mental illness, children with a severe emotional disturbance and/or adults or children with an intellectual/developmental disability in Michigan. Providers responding to this Request for Proposal (RFP) shall be currently providing CLS, Skill Building or Respite services under contract with Sanilac CMH or a Community Mental Health Services Program (CMHSP) and shall be able and willing to provide said services after March 1, 2025, if a contract is executed between the Provider and Sanilac CMH.

The Provider will be expected to provide services throughout Sanilac County, Michigan. The awarded Provider will staff and operate the program(s) as well as obtain all appropriate State of Michigan certification and licensing.

**Please note**: Providers who are responding to this Request for Proposal may only seek qualification for services they are currently providing. A provider does not have to provide all three services to apply to the RFP, but does have to currently provide the service they are proposing to provide to Sanilac CMH.

Sanilac CMH invites Providers to apply in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Request for Proposal. This Request for Proposal provides the requirements and criteria for CLS, Skill Building and Respite services as described in the Scope of Work section. A detailed application and related documents shall be required from all Providers, including current rates, proposed rates and service descriptions, in the specified format. The target dates for the Request for Proposal and contracting processes are set forth below:

## TARGET DATES

DATE	EVENT
December 2, 2024	Distribution of Sanilac CMH CLS, Skill Building and Respite Request for Proposal
	MANDATORY PRE-BID MEETING for Providers: (Must RSVP to: <u>bwestover@sanilaccmh.org</u> )
December 19, 2024	Sanilac CMH 227 E. Sanilac Avenue Sandusky, MI 48471 9:00 AM – 10:30 AM, Conference Room A & B
January 6, 2025	Deadline for submitting questions to <u>bwestover@sanilaccmh.org</u> . Questions due by 4:00 PM.
January 10, 2025	Responses to all questions will be distributed by 4:00 PM via electronic mail to all Providers that attended the Pre-Bid Meeting and at <u>www.sanilaccmh.org</u> .
January 21, 2025	Request for Proposals due, must be received by Sanilac CMH by 12:00 PM
February 3, 2025	Sanilac CMH announcement of vendor selection
March 1, 2025	Services for Sanilac CMH individuals to commence by vendor selected

#### MANDATORY PRE-BID MEETING

A Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting will be hosted by Sanilac CMH at 9:00 AM December 19, 2024, at Sanilac CMH located at 227 E. Sanilac Avenue, Sandusky, Michigan, 48471. The purpose of the Pre-Bid Meeting is to discuss the RFP and the services to be performed. Attendance at the Pre-Bid Meeting will be limited to four (4) individuals per Provider. Attendance is mandatory, a prerequisite to submitting a proposal, and will be recorded. Attendees will meet in Conference Room A&B at Sanilac CMH.

#### **QUESTIONS**

Any questions regarding this RFP must be emailed to <u>bwestover@sanilaccmh.org</u> by 4:00 PM on January 6, 2025, or submitted in writing at the Pre-Bid Meeting. Discussions, including answers given by Sanilac CMH at the Pre-Bid Meeting, are not official. To obtain an official answer to any question, the Provider must submit the question by email or in writing at the Pre-Bid Meeting as

specified in this paragraph. Not every question submitted by email or at the Pre-Bid Meeting will necessarily be read or responded to at the Pre-Bid Meeting. All official responses to questions regarding this RFP will be distributed at 4:00 PM on January 10, 2025, via electronic mail to all Providers who attended the mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting and posted on the Sanilac CMH website at <u>www.sanilaccmh.org</u>. Sanilac CMH shall not be responsible for any verbal communication between any employee of Sanilac CMH and any actual or potential Provider.

## **ELIGIBILITY**

The Provider shall be able to furnish CLS, Skill Building and Respite services (or any combination of these services) by the Contract start date.

The Provider must designate one (1) contact person who will be responsible for the RFP process and any resulting Contract with Sanilac CMH and who will be the liaison for Sanilac CMH contacts regarding CLS, Skill Building and Respite services.

Bidder agrees to comply with Federal regulation 42 CFR Part 180 and certifies they (provider and any staff working on their behalf): 1. Are not presently debarred, suspended, proposed for debarment, declared ineligible, or voluntarily excluded from covered transactions by any federal department or agency; 2. Have not been convicted of or had a civil judgment rendered against them for commission of fraud or a criminal offense in connection with obtaining, attempting to obtain, or performing a public (federal, state, or local) transaction or contract under a public commission of embezzlement, theft, forgery, bribery, falsification or destruction of records, making false statements, or receiving stolen property; 3. Are not presently indicted or otherwise criminally or civilly charged by a government entity (federal, state or local) with commission of any of the offenses enumerated above, and: 4. Have not had one or more public transactions (federal, state or local) terminated for cause or default.

## **APPLICATION PREPARATION AND FORMAT**

Only complete applications shall be considered. Sanilac CMH requires responses to every section within the application to facilitate the review of the application. The intent of the application form is to expedite review and evaluation. It is not the intent to constrain Providers with regard to content, but to assure the specific requirements set forth in this Request for Proposal are addressed in a uniform manner subject to review and evaluation. Additional information regarding any concerns, barriers, or modified area ideas may be included for consideration and shall be clearly identified as such.

Attachment A	Minimum Requirements
Attachment B	Qualifications and Experience
Attachment C	Rates and Expenses
Attachment D	Conflict of Interest Certification
Attachment E	Affirmation and Certification

Providers shall submit comprehensive responses to all the following Attachments:

Providers shall follow these instructions and provide complete responses to each of the items described. The Provider shall ensure that each completed Attachment is labeled with the appropriate Attachment letter and Attachment name with all the required information provided for each Attachment response. The Provider's application shall be organized in the order specified in the above table.

## **DELIVERY OF APPLICATION – COMPETITIVE SEALED PROPOSAL**

The Provider is solely responsible for emailing the proposal to <u>rfresponses@sanilaccmh.org</u> or the delivery of **6 sealed**, completed copies of the RFP application and all attachments and exhibits in the format specified by <u>12:00 PM local time January 21, 2025</u>.

The 6 sealed, completed copies of the RFP application and all attachments and exhibits can be hand delivered or mailed to the following address. NOTE: Sanilac CMH must receive all 6 sealed, completed copies by <u>12:00 PM local time January 21, 2025</u>.

Sanilac CMH 227 E. Sanilac Avenue Sandusky, MI 48471 ATTN: Beth Westover, Chief Information Officer

A Provider's failure to apply in accordance with these instructions, including without limitation those pertaining to format and timing, may result in disqualification of the application.

#### **RFP APPLICATION OPENING**

The RFP application opening will occur on January 21, 2025, at 1:00 PM in Conference Room A&B, at Sanilac CMH, 227 E. Sanilac Avenue, Sandusky, MI 48471.

## **MODIFICATIONS TO REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL**

Sanilac CMH may modify the RFP at any time prior to the deadline submission date. Changes to the RFP shall be posted on the Sanilac CMH website at <u>www.sanilaccmh.org</u>. Changes to the RFP can also be delivered at the Mandatory Pre-Bid meeting. Any changes shall revise and supersede the original RFP.

#### **RESERVATIONS**

Sanilac CMH reserves the right to:

- a. Discontinue or cancel the Request for Proposal process, in whole or in part, at any time for any or no reason. The issuance of and the Request for Proposal, a Provider's preparation and submission of an application, and Sanilac CMH's subsequent receipt and evaluation of such application does not commit Sanilac CMH to award funding or to award a Contract to the Provider or any other individual or entity, even if all the requirements in the application are met.
- b. Disqualify an application based on the information provided or if it is determined that a Provider purposely or willfully submitted false information in response to the RFP.
- c. Reject any and all bids which fail to meet the terms, conditions and specifications of the Request for Proposal package; or, are determined to be not in Sanilac CMH's best interest; or, for which funding is not available.
- d. Consider Provider's prior performance with Sanilac CMH or another CMHSP in making its award decision.
- e. Consider overall economic impact to Sanilac CMH when evaluating application pricing and in the final award recommendation.
- f. Refuse to award a contract to any Provider that has any outstanding debt with Sanilac CMH.
- g. Enter into negotiations with one or more Providers on price, terms, technical requirements, or other deliverables.
- h. Evaluate the application outside the scope identified in the RFP.
- i. Seek additional proposals beyond Submission Deadline if, in its sole discretion, proposals received do not meet the guidelines or intent of this RFP or the needs of Sanilac CMH or the individuals it serves.

## APPLICATION RESPONSE COSTS

Sanilac CMH shall not be responsible, or reimburse any Provider, for any expenses incurred in preparing its application in response to this Request for Proposal or in the provision of any additional information or presentation, nor any cost of Provider's procurement of any contract with Sanilac CMH.

## EVALUATION AND AWARD OF CONTRACT

Sanilac CMH may provide to any Provider, whose proposal it deems reasonably susceptible to being selected, an opportunity to make a presentation and/or interview with the Selection Team. Subject to the above stated Reservations, Sanilac CMH contemplates awarding one or more Contracts following completion of all such presentations and/or interviews. Any contract award will be made to the responsible Provider, whose proposal(s) is/are determined to be the best evaluated offer(s) resulting from the RFP process, taking into consideration the relative importance of price and other factors set forth in this RFP.

## BACKGROUND

#### **Location**

Sanilac County Community Mental Health Authority's (Sanilac CMH) administrative offices are located at 227 E. Sanilac Avenue, Sandusky, Michigan, 48471 in Sanilac County, Michigan.

#### The People We Serve

Sanilac CMH serves the following Sanilac County residents: Adults with Mental Illness, Adults and Children with Intellectual/Developmental Disabilities, Children with Serious Emotional Disturbances, and Individuals with Substance Use Disorders. The total number of people served by Sanilac County Community Mental Health Authority during the previous fiscal year (10/01/2023 - 09/30/2024) is 1983.

#### **Our Mission**

Sanilac CMH's mission: Sanilac County Community Mental Health Authority is committed to providing quality care for the individuals it serves. The Corporate Compliance Program acts as an internal control that encourages services and supports that promote honesty, integrity and high ethical standards.

#### **Our Mission Statement**

Improving Lives Through Healthy Minds

DEFINITIONS

#### **Definitions**

The following acronyms and definitions shall apply throughout this request for proposal:

*Provider* – An individual or entity who submits an application in response to this Request for Proposal.

*Contract* – The written standard Direct Service Provider Contract between Sanilac CMH and a Provider to furnish CLS, Skill Building, and Respite services in the manner contemplated by this request for proposal.

*CLS* - Community Living Support services as defined in the *Michigan Medicaid Provider Manual CMHSP* – Community Mental Health Service Provider

Contracted Provider - A successful Provider who executes a Contract with Sanilac CMH.

IPOS – Individual Plan of Service

MDHHS – Michigan Department of Health and Human Services

Sanilac CMH – Sanilac County Community Mental Health Authority

*PIHP* – Pre-paid Inpatient Health Plan

**QBHP** – Qualified Behavioral Health Professional

**QIDP** - Qualified Intellectual Disabilities Professional

*QMHP* - Qualified Mental Health Professional

SSI – Supplemental Security Income

SSDI – Social Security Disability Insurance

**SCOPE OF WORK** 

Sanilac CMH is seeking to directly contract with qualified Providers for CLS, Skill Building, and Respite services for adults and children who are diagnosed with an Intellectual or Developmental Disability (IDD) or a Mental Illness (MI) or a Severe Emotional Disturbance (SED) and who receives services through Sanilac CMH.

Providers shall be currently providing CLS, Skill Building and/or Respite services under contract with Sanilac CMH or another CMHSP and shall be able and willing to continue to provide said services after March 1, 2025, if a contract is executed between Provider and Sanilac CMH.

Please note: Providers who are responding to this Request for Proposal may only seek qualification for services they are currently providing. A provider does not have to provide all three services to apply to the RFP but does have to currently provide the service they are proposing to provide to Sanilac CMH.

Providers shall abide by and follow all program, service and staffing requirements described and set forth by the current MDHHS Medicaid Provider Manual – Behavioral Health and Intellectual and Developmental Disability Supports and Services chapter, the Behavioral Health Code Charts and Provider Qualifications tool, and contract with Sanilac CMH.

In the event and to the extent of any conflict between the terms of this RFP and the terms of the Contract, the terms of the Contract shall supersede and govern.

## I. DELIVERY OF SUPPORTS AND SERVICES

#### **Community Living Supports (CLS)**

Community Living Supports (CLS) facilitate an individual's independence, productivity, and promote inclusion and participation. The supports can be provided in the beneficiary's residence (licensed facility, family home, own home or apartment) and in community settings (including, but not limited to, libraries, city pools, camps, etc.), and may not supplant other waiver or Medicaid State Plan covered services (e.g., out of home non-vocational habilitation, Home Help Program, personal care in specialized residential setting, respite). The supports are:

- Assisting (that exceeds the Medicaid State Plan for adults), prompting, reminding, cueing, observing, guiding and/or training the beneficiary with:
  - Meal preparation;
  - Laundry;
  - Routine, seasonal, and heavy household care and maintenance (where no other party, such as a landlord or licensee, has responsibility for provision of these services);
  - o Activities of daily living, such as bathing, eating, dressing, personal hygiene; and
  - Shopping for food and other necessities of daily living.
  - Assisting, supporting and/or training the beneficiary with:
    - Money management;
    - Non-medical care (not requiring nurse or physician intervention);
    - Socialization and relationship building;
    - Transportation (excluding to and from medical appointments that are the responsibility of Medicaid through Medicaid Fee for Service [FFS] or the Medicaid Health Plan [MHP]) from the beneficiary's residence to community activities, among community activities, and from the community activities back to the beneficiary's residence);
    - Leisure choice and participation in regular community activities;
    - Attendance at medical appointments; and
    - Acquiring goods and/or services other than those listed under shopping and nonmedical services.
- Reminding, observing, and/or monitoring of medication administration.

#### **Skill Building**

Skill-building assistance consists of activities identified in the individual plan of service that assist a beneficiary to increase their economic self-sufficiency and/or to engage in meaningful activities such as school, work, and/or volunteering. The services occur in community-based integrated settings and provide knowledge and specialized skill development and/or supports to achieve specific outcomes consistent with the beneficiary's identified goals with the purpose of furthering habilitation goals that will lead to greater opportunities of community independence, inclusion, participation, and productivity. Refer to the Home and Community Based Services chapter for further detail.

Services include:

- Assistance with acquisition, retention, or improvement in self-help, socialization, and adaptive skills;
- Activities that support a beneficiary to attain and retain Individual Competitive Integrated Employment (ICIE), are time-limited and include work pathway services in the community in which a beneficiary is compensated at or above the minimum wage, but not less than the customary wage and level of benefits paid by the employer for the same or similar work performed by individuals without disabilities.
- Developing and teaching skills that lead to ICIE including, but not limited to, ability to communicate effectively with supervisors, co-workers and customers; generally accepted community workplaces conduct and dress; ability to follow directions; ability to attend to tasks; workplace problem-solving skills and strategies; general workplace safety; and mobility training. May also provide learning and work experiences, including volunteering, where the beneficiary can develop general, non-job-task-specific strengths and skills that contribute to employability in ICIE. Such employment related services are expected to occur over a defined period of time, with specific employment-related goals and outcomes to be achieved as determined by the beneficiary's individual plan of service.

#### Respite

Respite care services are provided to a waiver eligible beneficiary on a short-term, intermittent basis to relieve the beneficiary's family or other primary caregiver(s) from daily stress and care demand during times when they are providing unpaid care. Relief needs of hourly or shift staff workers should be accommodated by staffing substitutions, plan adjustments, or location changes and not by respite care.

- "Short-term" means the respite service is provided during a limited period of time (e.g., a few hours, a few days, weekends, or for vacations).
- "Intermittent" means the respite service does not occur regularly or continuously. The service stops and starts repeatedly or with periods in between.
- "Primary" caregivers are typically the same people who provide at least some unpaid supports daily.
- "Unpaid" means that respite may only be provided during those portions of the day when no one is being paid to provide the care, i.e., not a time when the beneficiary is receiving a paid Medicaid State Plan (e.g., home help) or waiver service (e.g., CLS) or service through other programs (e.g., school).

## II. <u>RESPONSIBILITY TO INDIVIDUALS SERVED</u>

Qualified Providers shall possess the following competencies:

- Demonstrated knowledge of experience with Medicaid rules and regulations.
- Demonstrated competency and knowledge of the Mental Health system in Michigan as specific to Sanilac CMH.
- Knowledge and willingness to comply with Home and Community Based Waiver rules and regulations as they relate to CLS, Skill Building and Respite services.

- Demonstrated knowledge of person-centered Individual Plan of Service.
- The Provider shall provide individualized as well as group activities of the individual's choosing.
- Provider shall engage in the development of relationships with the individual served in his/her community.
- Provider shall utilize creative and innovative means to meet the needs of each individual served and shall understand the flexible array of mental health services available to individuals.
- Provider shall embrace and implement the philosophies of health care integration, including coordinating with physicians, hospitals, Medicaid Health Plans, core provider agencies, the Michigan Department of Health and Human Services, and other service providers.

## III. <u>ADMINISTRATIVE FUNCTIONS</u>

Contracted Providers shall perform all administrative duties specified in the Contract in accordance with the terms of the Contract. Those administrative duties include but are not necessarily limited to the following:

#### A. <u>Use of Sanilac CMH Information Systems</u>

Contracted Providers shall have the capability to utilize Sanilac CMH's Electronic Health Record for submission of claims.

## B. <u>Financial</u>

Contracted Providers shall bill and coordinate benefits with any and all applicable commercial and non-Medicaid payers. In all cases, Sanilac CMH's financial liability for CLS, Skill Building and Respite shall be secondary and Sanilac CMH shall be the payer of last resort. In the event of payment by a third-party payer, Sanilac CMH's financial responsibility shall be limited to the shortfall, if any, between the sums obtained from the third-party payer and the sum otherwise payable by Sanilac CMH to the Contract Provider under the Contract.

Payment of the amount payable under the Contract, whether paid by Sanilac CMH, a third-party payer, or a combination of the two, shall be deemed and accepted as payment in full for the CLS, Skill Building and Respite services.

The initial reimbursement rates for the CLS, Skill Building and Respite services shall be budget neutral to the current reimbursement arrangements. Each Contract Provider shall be solely responsible for all start-up services within its existing infrastructure and all costs thereof. Sanilac CMH shall not provide any funding or compensation for or with respect to a Contract Provider's start-up costs or infrastructure.

Contract Provider shall submit documentation detailing its costs to initiate and maintain the provision of CLS, Skill Building and Respite services in accordance with and as outlined in this

Request for Proposal. Contract Provider shall maintain all financial data and records in accordance with Generally Accepted Accounting Principles.

Federal regulations and State law preclude reimbursement for any services ordered, prescribed or rendered by a provider who is currently excluded/suspended or terminated from direct and indirect participation in either the Michigan Medicaid program or Federal Medicaid/Medicare program. The Provider shall check both the MDHHS Sanctioned Provider list and the Federal Sanctioned Provider listing (<u>http://exclusions.oig.hhs.gov/</u>) on a monthly basis to ensure eligibility for participation in both the Federal and State Programs.

## C. CLS, Skill Building and Respite Services

CLS, Skill Building and Respite Services as described in the above Scope of Work shall be paid via claims submitted to Sanilac CMH's Electronic Health Record, net 30 days.

The selected provider(s) shall be required to complete a cost allocation for services provided following the Sanilac CMH cost allocation guidelines.

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## ATTACHMENT A Minimum Requirements Community Living Supports (CLS), Skill Building and Respite Services <u>Request for Proposal</u>

Providers responding to the CLS, Skill Building and Respite Services RFP shall meet the requirements specified in the chart below. The minimum requirements are established to ensure that the application submitted in response to the RFP is developed to a degree meriting detailed, full-scale evaluation by the Sanilac CMH Review Committee. Satisfaction of the minimum requirements, standing alone, does not ensure an application's eligibility for participation in the RFP; other eligibility requirements specified in the RFP shall also be met. The completed RFP shall contain the following information. The original RFP and all labeled exhibits, attachments, documents submitted become the property of Sanilac CMH.

ITEM	DESCRIPTION
1	The Provider shall be currently providing CLS, Skill Building and Respite services under contract with Sanilac CMH or another CMHSP and shall be able and willing to provide said services after March 1, 2025, if a contract is executed between Provider and Sanilac CMH. List and describe all services the Provider currently has with Sanilac CMH and/or another CMHSP.
2	The Provider will designate one (1) contact person who will be responsible for the RFP process and any resulting Contract with Sanilac CMH and who will be the liaison for Sanilac CMH contacts regarding CLS, Skill Building and Respite services.
3	Agency description: Provide a brief history (1-3 pages) of the organization and a brief explanation of the purpose or mission of the agency.
4	Provide the rationale for the Provider agency pursuing this opportunity with Sanilac CMH as well as the business status, e.g. Corporation, Partnership, etc.
5	Describe future goals for the next 5 years and any potential issues the Provider agency may face in reaching those goals.
6	Disclose any potential conflict of interest.
7	Describe in detail all background checks that are conducted on staff and the frequency of the checks.
8	Describe your experience in this or related field (i.e. providing CLS, Skill Building and Respite Services, etc.).

ITEM	DESCRIPTION
9	List name, addresses, and titles or representations of all owners or controlling parties of the organization.
10	Provide a copy of your current licensure, certification(s), and insurance coverage(s). (i.e.: Workers' Disability Compensation insurance, Certificate of Professional Liability in the sum of not less than \$1 Million per Claim and \$1 Million annual aggregate, Certificate of General Liability with Broad Form General Liability Endorsement or equivalent, if not in policy proper, Provider and Contractual liability coverage with limits of not less than \$1 Million annual aggregate)
11	Provide a current organizational chart including administrative structure.
12	List the key administrative staff who would be involved in the proposed program/services.
13	Provide the proposed rates for CLS, Skill Building and Respite services.
14	Describe process to ensure that neither the Provider, nor any of its employees, engaged to provide CLS, Skill Building and Respite services shall be excluded from participation in Medicare, Medicaid, or any other Federal and/or State programs.
15	Describe, in the event a service contract is awarded to the Provider's agency, the transitional plan that the Provider will implement that includes a thorough time frame that will ensure the Provider can assume contractual obligations regarding this RFP.
16	The Provider shall have the ability to electronically submit claims to Sanilac CMH (via Sanilac CMH's Electronic Health Record) and engage in electronic communication (e.g., email) with Sanilac CMH. Provide a brief description of how this will be accomplished. The Provider shall have a valid email address that is monitored regularly and have the ability to send/receive email. Provide the email address and describe your current monitoring process of this email address.
17	Describe philosophy and provide policy regarding Gentle Touch, CPI (Crisis Prevention Intervention), Physical Management, Seclusion, Use of Restraint and experience with the above.
18	Describe philosophy and provide policy regarding providing and encouraging Individual Choice in the day-to-day routine.
19	Provide a list of references (minimum 4) with contact information.

## ATTACHMENT B Qualifications and Experience CLS, Skill Building and Respite Services <u>Request for Proposal</u>

## **FISCAL**

Have you had a certified financial audit within the last four years? If so, please include a copy of your last two audit reports with your RFP response. Have you had any management letter comments related to your financial audit? If so, please elaborate and discuss your corrective action plan.

In addition, please provide your most recent financial statements (monthly or year-to-date) for the current fiscal year, including the following:

- balance sheet
- statement of cash flows
- statement of revenue and expenses

## **INFORMATION SYSTEMS**

Summarize your organization's experience with electronic billing or submitting data electronically. Please describe your organization's capability to submit required Incident Reports electronically within 24 hours of an occurrence of an incident.

#### **OFFICE OF RECIPIENT RIGHTS**

Provide a list of any Abuse and/or Neglect violations by the organization and/or its staff substantiated by the Office of Recipient Rights over the past two (2) years in any location.

Provide evidence of remedial action taken to resolve the substantiated violations.

If your organization had no substantiated Abuse and/or Neglect violations over the past two (2) years, please provide a statement indicating there are no substantiated Abuse and/or Neglect violations within the last two years. Note: This does not include Sanilac CMH Individuals, per access and availability of Recipient Rights records locally.

What sources does your organization rely on to provide information related to rights violations?

#### **IDENTIFICATION OF ANTICIPATED POTENTIAL CONCERNS / CHALLENGES**

The application shall identify and describe a minimum of three anticipated or potential concerns, challenges, the approach to resolve concerns/challenges, and any special assistance that shall be requested from Sanilac CMH.

## ATTACHMENT C Rates and Expenses CLS, Skill Building and Respite Services Request for Proposal

#### **PROGRAM COST PROJECTION**

Providers shall include a monthly budget detail of expected costs as defined by the number of individuals served.

1. How many people do you expect to serve through this program?

2. Provide your monthly budget projection based on the number of individuals served through this program. Add expense categories as necessary. If a listed category does not apply, please enter a zero (0).

Administration / Overhead / Indirect Program Costs may include:

- Administrative departments including Executive Office, Human Resources, Accounting, Finance, Information Technology/Support, Utilization Management, Quality Management, Customer Services, Recipient Rights, Contract Management, Program Management, and Facility Management; including all administrative support staff costs for these departments.
- Contracted administrative services costs (such as payroll processing and legal services).
- Associated overhead supporting these administrative functions.

Direct Program Costs may include:

- The cost of salary, wages and fringe benefits of the staff providing the direct service and their immediate supervisors.
- The cost of overhead including allocated department/program related costs, and supplementary activities (transportation, interpreter services, etc.) of the staff providing the direct service.

3. Please provide a list of the positions and salaries included in your Administration budget projection.

4. Please provide a list of the positions and salaries included in your Direct Program budget projection.

5. What is your organization's Average Hourly Direct Care wage (before tax, insurance, fringe costs)?

6. In an effort to achieve budget neutrality, please attach documentation detailing your current payment arrangements, including rates and payment terms.

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## MONTHLY PROGRAM BUDGET

	Monthly Budget Projection
Administration / Overhead / Indirect Program Costs	
Salaries & Wages	
Fringe Benefits & Payroll Tax	
Supplies & Other Minor Equipment	
Utilities	
Insurance	
Other (please define)	
Administration / Overhead / Indirect Program Costs Total	
Direct Program Costs	
Salaries & Wages	
Fringe Benefits & Payroll Tax	
Supplies & Other Minor Equipment	
Utilities	
Insurance	
Transportation	
Other (please define)	
Direct Program Costs Total	
Contracted Services Costs	
List services you plan to use outside contractors to provide	
Contracted Services Costs Total	
Less First & Third-Party Revenues	
List program revenues from sources other than Sanilac CMH	
Less First & Third-Party Revenues Total	
Total Monthly Budget Projection	

#### Attachment D Conflict of Interest Certification CLS, Skill Building and Respite Services Request for Proposal

The Provider, \_\_\_\_\_\_, hereby certifies that, to the best of its knowledge, information and belief, there are no present or currently planned interests (financial, contractual, organizational, or otherwise) relating to the work to be performed under the Contract resulting from this Request for Proposal that would create any actual or potential conflict of interest (or apparent conflict of interest) (including conflicts of interest for immediate family members: spouses, parents, children, siblings) that would impinge on its ability to render impartial, technically sound, and objective assistance or advice, or result in it being given an unfair competitive advantage (collectively "Conflicts of Interest"). In this clause, the term "potential conflict" means reasonably foreseeable conflict of interest. The Provider further certifies that it has and shall continue to exercise due diligence in identifying and removing or mitigating, to Sanilac CMH's satisfaction, such Conflicts of Interest and apparent and potential Conflicts of Interest).

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## Attachment E Affirmation and Certification CLS, Skill Building and Respite Services <u>Request for Proposal</u>

To accompany applications submitted to Sanilac County Community Mental Health Authority:

The undersigned affirms that it is duly authorized to execute this Statement on behalf of the Provider, that this application in response to the RFP has not been prepared in collusion with any other entity or individual, and that the contents of this application in response to the RFP have not been communicated to any other Provider prior to the official opening of this application in response to the request for RFP.

#### Project: CLS, Skill Building and Respite Services

Name of Provider:			
Name of Company Representative:			
Name of Company Representative Authorized to Honor this Bid:			
Business Address:			
Representative Address:			
Phone Number:			
Email Address:			
Fax Number:			
How many years have you been engaged in this business?			