

Topical Heading

Safe and Drug-Free Schools

Program Title

Safe Schools—Healthy Students Initiative

CFDA # (or ED #)

84.184L

Administering Office

Office of Safe and Drug-Free Schools (OSDFS)

Who May Apply (by category)

Local Education Agencies (LEAs)

Who May Apply (specifically)

To be eligible, an applicant must currently not have an active grant under this program.

Current Competitions

FY 2008 application deadline: March 14, 2008.

Type of Assistance (by category)

Discretionary/Competitive Grants

Appropriations

Fiscal Year 2006 \$79,200,000

Fiscal Year 2007 \$79,200,000

Fiscal Year 2008 \$77,816,000

Note: Contingent upon the availability of funds and the quality of applications, the Department may make additional awards later in FY 2008 and in FY 2009 and subsequent years from the list of unfunded applicants for this competition.

Fiscal Year 2008 Awards Information

Note: The Department is not bound by any estimates in this notice.

Number of New Awards Anticipated: 55

Average New Award: \$1,500,000

Range of New Awards: \$750,000–\$2,250,000

Number of Continuation Awards: 46

Legislative Citation

Elementary and Secondary Education Act of 1965 (ESEA), as amended, Title IV, Part A, Subpart 2, Sec. 4121; 20 U.S.C. 7131

Program Regulations

EDGAR; 34 *CFR* 75, 77, 79, 80, 81, 82, 84, 85, 97, 98, 99, and 299

Program Description

Grants support LEAs in the development of communitywide approaches to creating safe and drug-free schools and promoting healthy childhood development. Programs are intended to prevent violence and the illegal use of drugs and to promote safety and discipline. Coordination with other community-based organizations (CBOs) is required. This program is jointly funded and administered by the departments of Education, Justice, and Health and Human Services. The appropriation amounts listed above do not include funds appropriated for the departments of Justice and Health and Human Services.

Types of Projects

To be funded, local comprehensive strategies must address the following five elements but may address other elements as well, as determined by the needs of the community:

- Element One—Safe School Environments and Violence Prevention Activities;
- Element Two—Alcohol, Tobacco, and Other Drug Prevention Activities;
- Element Three—Student Behavioral, Social, and Emotional Supports;

- Element Four—Mental Health Services; and
- Element Five—Early Childhood Social and Emotional Learning Programs.

Education Level (by category)

K–12

Subject Index

Crime Prevention, Delinquency, Drug Education, High-Risk Students, Violence

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