



School Safety Professional Development Grant Application

Grant Application Guidance

- This grant, if approved, provides from \$1,000 to \$10,000 to a school district to support school safety professional development pursuant to [HB 601](#).
- Complete the application in its entirety. The application is a fillable form that you can complete, download, and save to your computer.
- For the 2019-2020 school year, submit the completed application on the [OPI website](#) beginning on November 18, 2019. Another round of funding will be available in the 2020-2021 school year.
- Complete applications will be funded in the order of submission as funding allows.
- Districts are eligible to receive grant funding one time only for either state FY 2020 or FY 2021
- For 2019-2020 grant awards, professional development must be completed by June 30, 2020. Upon completion of your professional development activity, you will be required to report on the activity and provide a final expenditure report to close out the grant period.

District & Grant Request Information

DISTRICT:

1. Indicate which professional development topic your district will target with school safety grant funds.

Youthsuicide awareness and prevention training ([MCA 20-7-1310](#))

Professional development for staff on the district's Hazard & Emergency Plans ([MCA 20-1-401](#))

Conducting disaster drills, table top exercises, or full-scale drills in collaboration with local community first responders as outlined in the district's Hazard & Emergency Plan ([MCA 20-1-401](#))

Professional development for staff in safety technology integrated within the district (i.e. cameras, door lock procedures, etc.)

Professional development for staff in district violence and/or bullying protocols and procedures
([ARM 10-55-719](#))

Professional development for staff in illegal substance use trends, and district policies and procedures

2. Indicate the amount your district is requesting to support school safety professional development. Range for grant awards is \$1000 to \$10,000.
3. Proposed Budget. Use the provided Budget Form to indicate the breakdown of funds to support your professional development activity.



4. Explain the details of the professional development for which your district will use funds including the following:

- the name of the trainer or evidence-based program that will be used to conduct the professional development;
- how the professional development activity fits into the district's existing safety protocols or plans; and
- how the professional development will strengthen the safety of the district.
- how many staff will participate in the professional development; and
- the length of the professional development, including dates if known;

Additionally, please include if your district staff will participate in any free professional development (such as via the [Teacher Learning Hub](#)) to leverage the effectiveness of these funds.

By signing this application, you verify this application for the School Safety Professional Development Grant on behalf of your school district.

SIGNATURE OF SCHOOL OFFICIAL: _____

PRINTED NAME: _____

TITLE: _____