

SORH Grant Update

SORH Grantee Meeting
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HAPPY SORH 20TH ANNIVERSARY!




Overview


- FY 10 is 20th year of SORH Grant Program!
- Happy Anniversary - you've come a *long* way baby!
- ORHP's *first* and longest running grant program
- SORH is where the *rural rubber* meets the road!
- Total Federal appropriations for SORH to date - over \$104M !
- State 3:1 matching funds leveraged - over \$315M
- First SORH appropriation in FY 91 - \$1.6M
- FY 10 appropriation - \$10M
- FY 10 SORH awards of \$180K highest ever!



PIMS



- FY 09 data submitted via EHB by July 30, 2010
- Some SORHs modified their collection instrument
- Ratio of TA to Client remained ~ 2:1
- Total TA *increased* from 54,689 to 64,321
- Total Unduplicated Clients *increased* from 27,259 to 29,920
- Confusion about *affiliated* versus *non-affiliated* clients appears to have subsided
- After discussion with RL, input may still be revised
- Collect same way during FY 10, watch trend
- Changes to PIMS report, examples must match total



Required Meetings



- State travel restrictions still impact some SORHs
- ORHP will send letters, contact state if requested
- Four required meetings as condition of award:
 1. NRHA Annual Meeting Austin, TX - May 2011
 2. SORH Regional Meetings - May thru Sep. 2011
 3. NOSORH Annual meeting - 2011
 4. SORH Grantee will be every *other* year, next - 2012
- SORH funds can be used for non-required meetings (i.e. NRHA Policy Institute, NRHA CAH conference)
- Travel estimates require greater detail



FY 11 Guidance / Dates



- Non-competing continuation (year 4 of 5)
- January 2011 - Instructions for abbreviated application
 - report progress and changes, assumes level funding
- No Grants.gov interface!
- Due in Electronic Handbook (EHB)
 - February 18, 2011
- May request \$150K - \$180K Federal amount
 - Assumes level funding appropriation
 - 3:1 matching funds required
- Webinar to be held in mid-January
 - Review instructions and areas of emphasis

 **SORH History Lesson !** 

- What state claims to be *first* SORH? SRHA?
- What was *last* state to create SORH?
- How many *different* ORHP staff managed SORH? Who were they? Who was longest?
- Who is longest serving SORH Director?
- How many SORH Directors have become NRHA Presidents? Who are they?
- When and where was first SORH grantee meeting held?
- What ORHP staff were most responsible for creation of SORH program? What Hill staff?

 **SORH History Lesson !** 

- How much was first SORH appropriation?
- When was program to *sunset* (in years) ?
- When were SORH Regions created? Who proposed them?
- How many SORHs are health department based?
- How many are university based? Which is at a community college? Which *changed* form a health department to a university model?
- How many are not-for-profits?
- Who will be around to remember any of this in 5 or 10 years?!

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