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# Webinar: Mosaic Family Resilience Grant Program

April 28, 2025



# Welcome

In this webinar, we will review information pertinent to applying for **Mosaic Opioid Recovery Partnership's Family Resilience Grant.**

## Agenda:

- Welcome
- Overview
- Who should apply
- How funds can be used
- Application requirements
- Submitting your application
- Reporting & evaluation
- Technical assistance
- Q&A

# Overview



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# Mosaic Website Memory Wall

## Remembering Those We've Lost

Mosaic is grounded in hope, optimism, and opportunity. It is also grounded in the recognition that the settlement funding results from the loss of life and devastation our communities have experienced because of the opioid overdose crisis. In every action we take and every decision we make, we carry the memories of those who have been affected, ensuring their stories guide our work.

Memory Wall



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The goal of the **Mosaic Opioid Recovery Partnership** is to create a pathway of access to apply for funds for both municipalities and community-based organizations, particularly those based in communities that are historically underserved and have experienced a disproportionately high rate of opioid-related overdose deaths.



Funded by MA Department of Public Health, Bureau of Substance  
Addiction Services and Powered by RIZE

# Guiding Principles

## CENTER

THE VOICES OF PEOPLE  
WITH LIVED AND LIVING  
EXPERIENCE

## ENSURE

EFFORTS ARE INFORMED BY  
COMMITMENTS TO EQUITY,  
INCLUSION, AND COMPASSION

## WORK

TO REDUCE STIGMA

## ADVOCATE

FOR APPROACHES THAT SUPPORT  
PEOPLE IN UNDERSTANDING AND  
ACHIEVING THEIR OWN GOALS  
REGARDING HARM REDUCTION,  
TREATMENT, AND RECOVERY



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# Family Resilience Grant Program

- This grant program will provide funding for comprehensive support services to enhance family stability, improve child well-being, and strengthen community resources.
- Projects should embed a **family-centered approach**, emphasizing the collective well-being of the family rather than focusing solely on the individual.
- Projects may include support for grandparents raising grandchildren, parent(s) with lived and living experience, other caregivers impacted by substance use, and/or direct support for children.
- For the purposes of this grant, **"family" is defined broadly** to encompass various structures that include traditional nuclear families, extended families (such as grandparents, aunts, uncles), chosen families, and guardians or caregivers who play a significant role in a child's life. The key focus is on those who provide emotional, physical, and social support, regardless of legal guardianship or formal custody arrangements.

# Funding Objectives

- Empowering families through education, trauma-informed care, and navigation of social systems
- Improving housing stability for families and youth to cultivate healthier communities
- Enhancing developmental, educational, and emotional support systems for children and families
- Promoting the well-being of families by providing comprehensive peer recovery support and harm reduction education, ultimately fostering a healthy environment for reunification and healing



# Funding Available

- This is a **three-year grant** opportunity:
  - The maximum request is \$500,000 annually.
  - Specific attention will be paid to the applicant's requested budget amount to ensure alignment with the organization's size and scope.
  - We anticipate the funding will support approximately 5 to 10 organizations.

# Who Should Apply



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# Who Should Apply

RIZE seeks to fund nonprofit organizations that work with any aspect of the care continuum from prevention to recovery and that serve diverse communities and populations that are historically underserved and have experienced a higher rate of opioid-related overdose deaths. For this grant program, this includes nonprofit organizations that have a **total annual operating budget of \$20 million or less** and are:

- 501(c)(3) nonprofit organizations (fiscal sponsorship models are acceptable)
- Multi-service agencies
- Minority-led and minority-serving community-based organizations
- Tribal entities or community-led initiatives
- Organizations that conduct their proposed activities within Massachusetts
- In good standing and current with state and federal reporting requirements

# How Funds Can Be Used

# Funding Overview

- Proposed projects and initiatives must adhere to the Massachusetts State Sub-Division Agreement for Statewide Opioid Settlements and advance non-punitive, health-centered approaches to substance use disorder-related harms and challenges.
- The funds can support projects and initiatives developed with input from people with lived and living experience (PWLLE), public health experts, municipal leaders, and families affected by the opioid crisis.
- We recognize that families may have urgent needs that require attention. Therefore, funds can also be utilized for incentives or assistance with basic needs (non-cash), such as transportation, emergency housing support, childcare, etc.

# Funding Priorities

RIZE seeks to fund organizations that propose projects designed to impact one or more of the following priority areas. Please note that the bulleted items below are **examples** and are not intended to be exhaustive.

## ☐ Comprehensive Family Supports

- Support parents and caregivers
- Provide trauma-informed support for children
- Help families navigate systems and services

## ☐ Housing & Stability Support

- Offer emergency housing for families in crisis
- Connect to transitional and supportive housing
- Prevent homelessness among at-risk youth

## ☐ Early Childhood & Educational Support

- Promote early childhood interventions
- Support foster and kinship care families

## ☐ Community-Based Harm Reduction & Recovery Support

- Offer peer recovery and psychoeducational support for families
- Deploy harm reduction and overdose prevention for families

# Budget Overview

- The Family Resilience Grant is open to organizations with a budget of \$20m or less.
- The budget cap is a strategic choice designed to foster an inclusive, effective, and innovative approach to addressing the opioid crisis through community-based organizations.
- Mosaic Opioid Recovery Partnership was created as a way for *small community-based organizations* to access state opioid settlement funds. By capping the budget size of organizations allowed to apply, we aim to ensure that smaller organizations can compete for funding.



# Funds May Not Be Used For

- Care or costs reimbursed by the state, including MassHealth and MA DPH Bureau of Substance Addiction Services, unless they strengthen and supplement these services but not supplant them
- Fundraising pursuits
- Endowments or annual appeals
- Clinical or drug trials
- Direct payments to individuals
- Lobbying or legislative activity

# Application Requirements

# Important Dates

Activity	Date
Application Released ( <a href="https://mosaic.rizema.org">mosaic.rizema.org</a> )	April 22, 2025
Webinar	April 28, 2025, at 1 pm
Office Hours (link in chat!)	May 19, 2025, at 10 am
Application Due	June 17, 2025, at 11:59 pm
Notifications	September 2025
Grant Period Begins	November 1, 2025



Questions are highly encouraged and should be submitted to [grants@rizema.org](mailto:grants@rizema.org). RIZE will post answers on [mosaic.rizema.org](https://mosaic.rizema.org)

# Submitting Your Application

# Application

- Online application – link at [mosaic.rizema.org](https://mosaic.rizema.org) and through grant guidelines
- Application questions are included in the grant guidelines and posted at [mosaic.rizema.org](https://mosaic.rizema.org)
- Due June 17, 2025 by 11:59 pm
- Questions to [grants@rizema.org](mailto:grants@rizema.org)
- Can save and return
- Upload budget documents to application
- When finished, you will be emailed a copy to confirm submission



## Mosaic Opioid Recovery Partnership

The Mosaic Opioid Recovery Partnership is a public-private collaboration funded by the MA Department of Public Health, Bureau of Substance Addiction Services, and powered by RIZE Massachusetts Foundation (RIZE).

### Mosaic Family Resilience Grant Application

**Please complete the fields on the following pages and upload the required documents.**

The Mosaic Family Resilience Grant application will close on June 17 at 11:59 pm EST and we will notify all applicants of our decision in September 2025.

**RIZE is committed to ensuring that our grant application process is easily accessible for everyone.** Our team is available to assist you with any questions or concerns you may have about accessibility, the application process, or the form itself. Please feel free to contact us at [grants@rizema.org](mailto:grants@rizema.org). The grant guidelines also include the required questions on this application. You can download the grant guidelines in [English](#) or [Spanish](#) and work on it offline if that is helpful for you.

**There are two required documents you will need to upload at the end of this application form:**

1. [Budget](#) (Click the link to download the template)
2. Your organization's most recent Audited Financial Statement (or most recent Financial Review if you do not have an Audited Financial Statement)

**You can save your application and return to work on it by clicking the 'Save & Continue Later' button at the bottom of the form.** Once you submit your application to RIZE, the primary contact listed will receive a copy via email.


Save & Continue Later

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# Budget Guidance

## Project Budget

- Use budget template provided at link in grant guidelines and grant application
- Budget should match the proposal. i.e. activities mentioned in the proposal should have line items in the budget
- Costs should total the grant amount requested
- Break budget out by year
- Include notes in the narrative column



**Family Resilience Grant : Supporting Children and Families Impacted by the Opioid Crisis**  
Project Budget

Grant Period : November 1, 2025 - October 31, 2028

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Grantee Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Project Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Grant amount requested: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**Personnel**

Role	FTE %	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Total	Narrative
					0	
					0	
					0	
					0	
					0	
					0	
Fringe Benefits ( % )					0	
<b>Subtotal - Personnel</b>		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	

**Other Direct Costs**

Item	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Total	Narrative	
Project Operations				0		
Equipment				0		
Meeting Expenses				0		
Marketing/Communications/Outreach				0		
Travel				0		
Surveys				0		
Program Space				0		
Consultants				0		
Sub-Contractors				0		
Stipends for People with Lived and Living				0		
Other (please describe)				0		
<b>Subtotal - Direct</b>		\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	

**Indirect Costs**

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Total	Narrative
<b>15% Maximum</b>				\$ -	

	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Grand Total
<b>TOTALS</b>	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -

*The grand total should equal the grant amount requested.*

# Budget Guidance

## Audited Financial Statement

- If you don't have audited financials, please submit:
  - unaudited financial statement or,
  - statement of financial position or,
  - profit and loss statement or,
  - organizational budget and actuals
- Please submit documents for the most recent, complete year available



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<p><b>P&amp;N</b> Postlethwaite &amp; Netterville</p> <p><small>A Professional Accounting Corporation www.pncpa.com</small></p>



# How Decisions Will Be Made

All proposals will undergo an unbiased, fair, equitable, and timely review process that includes people with lived and living experience and other subject matter experts.

RIZE, in general, seeks to fund organizations that:

- Address prevention; harm reduction; access to care; recovery; trauma, grief, and family supports
- Have a well-thought-out project and describe the partners engaged (including PWLLE, experts, and family members impacted by overdose) and how their feedback informed the proposal
- Serve populations and communities with high rates of opioid overdoses and deaths that have been historically underserved
- Currently deliver programs and services for children and families that reflect the input of their communities and are based on best and promising practices
- Are rooted in health equity and engage in activities that address disparities in services and outcomes for children and families

# Budget Review

Budgets will be reviewed by RIZE staff. This process is separate from the community review of proposals.

## **Review will include:**

- The size and scale of the proposed budget and project - to ensure it fits the size, scale and capacity of the organization.
- Budget line items - to ensure all proposed activities are accounted for in the budget and at appropriate levels. This includes staff, services and supplies.
- Audited financial statements – to ensure the financial health of the applicant.

# Reporting & Evaluation



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# Reporting and Evaluation

Our evaluation partner, the Institute for Community Health (ICH), will develop measures to help grantees track program implementation and outcomes at the family level. Evaluation focus areas and metrics will be designed with grantee input and participation.



## **With support from ICH, grantees will be asked to:**

- Track and report on participant demographics
- Track and report on service delivery
- Administer a family outcomes evaluation assessment and enter data (a specific tool will be developed with grantee input)
- Participate in qualitative data collection, such as interviews and focus groups

## **Evaluation will also gather feedback on:**

- The grant application process, technical assistance, and learning events

# Reporting and Evaluation (continued)

- We recommend that applicants **include staff time for data entry and reporting** when developing their project budgets. ICH will offer support and technical assistance to help grantees build their data and reporting capacity to participate in the evaluation.
- Grantees will be offered opportunities to participate in virtual or in-person meetings, technical assistance, and convenings to network, share ideas, and learn from each other.
- We ask grantees to share their progress, successes, and challenges annually.

# Technical Assistance



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# Technical Assistance (TA)

- C4 Innovations is partnering with RIZE and ICH to support grantee success.
- As an organization, C4 provides TA locally and nationally on improving services and supports for systematically marginalized populations.
- Our role is to provide TA (targeted support with an identified challenge or area for growth) **at no cost to grantees** for the life of their grant.
- Delivered in many different ways: one-on-one consultations, small group facilitation, action planning, targeted trainings, etc.





# Reminders

## Questions

- Email questions to [grants@rizema.org](mailto:grants@rizema.org)
- Answers will be posted at [mosaic.rizema.org](https://mosaic.rizema.org)
- Find resource list online at [mosaic.rizema.org](https://mosaic.rizema.org)

## Office Hours

- Office hours will be held on May 19, 2025, at 10 AM ET.
- Find registration link in the chat and at [mosaic.rizema.org](https://mosaic.rizema.org)

# Q & A



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**Thank You!**

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