

**Patricia S. Brown Breast Cancer Education Community-based
Demonstration Projects
2007 Competition**

Modifications to the RFA

NOTE: Modifications #2 – 4 were made in response to an issue/question raised at the applicant conference and may impact application development.

Issue #1 - Modification #1: Page 18, Section D – Review and Award Process – has been modified and will now read:

The three stage review process will consist of 1) Review by panels of reviewers, including breast cancer survivors from outside New York State, public health professionals from New York State and elsewhere, and chaired by ex-officio members trained in the scoring of application sections (see previous discussion regarding maximum number of points that may be awarded to each section of the proposal). Each panel will provide an overall score and recommendation for each application; 2) HRSB members, provided with Summary Statements of the first level reviewers, will by majority vote, approve or disapprove each application, and 3) HRSB approved applications will be recommended for funding to the Commissioner of Health.

Issue #2 - Modification #2: Page 2, Section II.A. – Award Size and Duration – has been modified and will now read:

A maximum of six (6) projects will be funded. Each 24-month project will receive up to \$150,000 for its duration. To this amount, a maximum facilities and administration (overhead) cost reimbursement of 20% of salaries plus fringe benefits may be added and will be provided to the CBO(s), only. No facilities and administration cost reimbursement will be provided for collaborating organizations providing content and/or assessment consultation.

Issue #2 - Modification #3: Page 16, Section V.A.6.(6) – Appendix – has been modified and will now read:

- (6) Facilities and administration cost rate agreements. The Department will provide a maximum facilities and administration cost reimbursement of up to 20% of salaries plus fringe benefits to the CBO(s). Facilities and administration costs are in addition to the \$150,000 budget maximum.

Issue #2 - Modification #4: Attachment 3 – Directions to Complete the Required Face Page – has been modified and will now read:

9. Year-One Total Costs Requested. Enter Year-One total costs (Total Project Costs - Year One, Proposed Budget form – Attachment 5). All amounts requested in items 9 and 10 on the Face Page and on the budget page(s) must be in U.S. dollars, not to exceed \$75,000 per year plus facilities and administration costs. A maximum facilities and administration cost reimbursement of 20% of salaries plus fringe benefits will be provided to the CBO(s), only.