The Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) is accepting applications for fiscal year (FY) 2019 Health Center Program New Access Points (NAP). The purpose of this funding is to provide operational support for new service delivery sites under the Health Center Program to improve the health of the nation’s underserved communities and vulnerable populations by expanding access to affordable, accessible, quality, and cost effective primary health care services.

For the purposes of this notice of funding opportunity (NOFO), a Health Center Program new access point is a new, full-time, permanent service delivery site for the provision of comprehensive primary health care services to underserved populations. Applicants may submit a request for federal support to establish a single new access point or multiple access points in a single NAP application, with the understanding that all proposed access points must be open and operational within 120 days of the Notice of Award.

Eligibility & Requirements:

- The project director (PD)/chief executive officer (CEO) must be a direct employee of the health center.
- The applicant organization must provide health services to medically underserved populations.
- The applicant may not propose to serve ONLY a single age group, address a single health issue/disease category, or provide any subset of the required primary health care services.
- The applicant must propose a new access point project (across all proposed sites) that provides comprehensive primary medical care as its main purpose as documented on Form 1A and Form 5A (see RFA).
- The applicant must ensure the required primary health care services will be available and accessible in the service area as documented on Form 5B: Service Sites (see RFA).
- Your proposed service delivery site(s) must be located in an area with a shortage of health services. All proposed NAP sites must:
  - Not be located in the same building as any site already in the approved scope of project of any Health Center Program award recipient or look-alike;
  - Not represent the relocation or consolidation of currently approved sites; and
  - Not be proposed through an active Change in Scope request or Health Center Program (H80) funding opportunity.
- See RFA for additional eligibility and New Applicant and Public Housing Primary Care Applicant requirements.

Internal Nomination Process:

Interested applicants should submit the following documents:

1. JHU Limited Submission Cover Sheet
2. Proposal (maximum of two pages of text only, single spaced: 12-pt font and one-inch margins) (Note: figures, tables, and other reference material may be included in addition to the 2 pg. text limit)
3. Curriculum Vitae of investigator, including current external research support and publications
4. Budget (two pages maximum)

Questions? Comments? Email the Research Development Team at resapp@jhu.edu.