

**Department of Health and Human Services
Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services
Administration**

FY 2023 Assertive Community Treatment

(Short Title: ACT)

(Initial Announcement)

Notice of Funding Opportunity (NOFO) No. SM-23-007

Assistance Listing Number: 93.243

Key Dates:

Application Deadline	Applications are due by April 10, 2023.
Intergovernmental Review (E.O. 12372)	Applicants must comply with E.O. 12372 if their state(s) participate(s). Review process recommendations from the State Single Point of Contact (SPOC) are due no later than 60 days after the application deadline.
Public Health System Impact Statement (PHSIS)/Single State Agency Coordination	Applicants must send the PHSIS to appropriate state and local health agencies by the administrative deadline. Comments from the Single State Agency are due no later than 60 days of the application deadline.

- Make direct payments to individuals to enter treatment or continue to participate in prevention or treatment services (See 42 U.S.C. § 1320a-7b).

Note: A recipient or treatment or prevention provider may provide up to \$30 non-cash incentive to individuals to participate in required data collection follow-up. This amount may be paid for participation in each required follow-up interview. For programs including contingency management as a component of the treatment program, each individual contingency must be \$15 or less in value and clients may not receive contingencies totaling more than \$75 per budget period.

- Meals are generally unallowable unless they are an integral part of a conference award or specifically stated as an allowable expense in the NOFO (See <https://www.hhs.gov/grants/contracts/contract-policies-regulations/spending-on-food/index.html>)
- Purchase firearms.
- General Provisions under Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act Public Law 117-328, Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2023, Division H, Title V, Section 526, notwithstanding any other provision of this Act, no funds appropriated in this Act shall be used to purchase sterile needles or syringes for the hypodermic injection of any illegal drug. Provided, that such limitation does not apply to the use of funds for elements of a program other than making such purchases if the relevant State or local health department, in consultation with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, determines that the State or local jurisdiction, as applicable, is experiencing, or is at risk for, a significant increase in hepatitis infections or an HIV outbreak due to injection drug use, and such program is operating in accordance with state and local law.
- **Salary Limitation:** The Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2023 (Public Law 117-328), Division H, Title II, Section 202, provides a salary rate limitation. The law limits the salary amount that may be awarded and charged to SAMHSA awards and cooperative agreements. Award funds may not be used to pay the salary of an individual at a rate in excess of Executive Level II, which is **\$212,100**. This amount reflects an individual's base salary exclusive of fringe and any income that an individual may be permitted to earn outside of the duties to your organization. This salary limitation does not apply to consultants but does apply to subrecipients under a SAMHSA award or cooperative agreement . Note that these or other salary limitations will apply in the following fiscal years, as required by law.