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Hello,

Let's go back to Council to amend the budget. Also, the additional funds will cover the waste water surveillance for high risk substance monitoring. Thank you; have a wonderful weekend.

Your Partner in Health,

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Dear Grantee:

DSHS received the Notice of Award (NOA) for Public Health Emergency Preparedness (PHEP) the additional 28% funding. This will fully fund PHEP for Budget Period 2 (BP2).

CPS/ PHEP Contract No.HHS001439500018 is fully funded for FY2026 in the amount of \$341,737.00 in Federal Funds. As a result, Grantees can revert to their original executed budget or submit a revised budget that aligns with the award amount. Please notify your assigned contract manager of your decision by **September 19, 2025**.

The A.3 amendments will continue to be fully executed. Following the A.3 amendment CMS will issue an A.4 amendment to increase funding and update budgets to aligns with the additional 28%.

Thank you,

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