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53A-15-1804 Planning grants -- Requirements.

- (1)
- (a) The board shall, subject to legislative appropriations, award a planning grant to, subject to Subsection (1)(c), an LEA:
 - (i) that submits a planning grant application that meets the requirements established by the board, subject to Subsection (2);
 - (ii) if an LEA designee has attended the technical assistance training described in Section 53A-15-1803; and
 - (iii) if the LEA planning grant application has been recommended by the review committee.
 - (b) An LEA that receives a grant under Subsection (1)(a) shall expend the grant funds no later than one calendar year after receiving the funds.
 - (c) The board may not select more than three LEAs to award planning grants to under this section.
- (2)
- (a) A planning grant application shall include evidence that the LEA:
 - (i) can provide a general description of the program the LEA would like to plan;
 - (ii) is intending to plan for:
 - (A) schoolwide implementation; or
 - (B) if the LEA intends to implement initially with a population smaller than schoolwide, phasing the plan in schoolwide or districtwide over a specified period of time;
 - (iii) can describe the types of partners that will help with the plan and, eventually, implement the program;
 - (iv) planning activities and program will focus on:
 - (A) implementation of the core principles described in Section 53A-15-1803;
 - (B) use of the methods, as applicable, described in Section 53A-15-1803; and
 - (C) the outcome-based measures adopted by the board under Section 53A-15-1803;
 - (v) has:
 - (A) the capacity, qualifications, local governing body support, and time to successfully plan the program; and
 - (B) an intentional and feasible planning process;
 - (vi) will align the LEA's budget as necessary with the planning process; and
 - (vii) will communicate and promote the plan with parents, teachers, and members of the community.
 - (b) The board may adopt other requirements in addition to the requirements in Subsection (2)(a).

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