

State Fiscal Year 2026 Funding Opportunity

AgeGuide Northeastern Illinois is soliciting <u>applications</u> from non-profit and local government organizations qualified to receive Federal/State of Illinois financial assistance grants to provide services for older adults (age 60+) as authorized under the Older Americans Act of 1965 (Public Law 89-73) in **DUPAGE**, **GRUNDY**, **KANE**, **KANKAKEE**, **KENDALL**, **MCHENRY**, & **WILL COUNTIES**.

The funding period is June 1, 2025 – June 30, 2026 with an option to extend the contract for an additional 2 years.

Fundable services include: **ADULT PROTECTIVE SERVICES (APS)**

These funds provide services for older adults (age 60+) as authorized under The Illinois Adult Protective Services Act and the Older Americans Act of 1965.

APS is a social services program to support older adults and adults with disabilities experiencing abuse, neglect, self-neglect, or financial exploitation. APS programs investigate reports of maltreatment; provide support and, in some cases, casemanagement; and connect those facing abuse to a variety of protective, emergency, and support services.

Applicants must select at least one (1) county in which to provide services. The service provider must adhere to the Illinois Department on Aging's Adult Protective Services Standards and Procedures and AgeGuide's General Service Requirements. For further information about grant requirements and application process, visit our webpage: www.ageguide.org/rfp

Successful applicants must comply with all applicable pre-qualification requirements including, but not limited to, current UEI and SAM numbers, acceptable fiscal management/fiscal stability (including the ability to meet matching requirements), are in good standing with the Secretary of State and are not on any Debarred/Suspended/ Stop Payment/Excluded Parties listings.

An informational session will be held October 31st at 10:30am. Email RFPs@ageguide.org if you wish to attend the informational session.

A letter of intent is requested but not required. If you wish to apply, submit a letter of intent to the above email address by November 30, 2024.

Applications will be available beginning December 2, 2024 and will be due no later than January 15, 2025.