

October 29, 2020

Re: Sub-grant award for COVID-19 testing demonstration project

Dear Wake County Human Services,

We are delighted to inform you that your sub-grant for the proposed project "Point-of-care rapid antigen testing in the community setting to reach populations disproportionately affected by COVID-19" has been approved by Vital Strategies, Inc. We are pleased to see the collaboration reflected in this project and are looking forward to working with you. The project concept note is included in the award packet.

Among the immediate action items are:

- Determining fiscal mechanisms (Wake County Human Services to fill our compliance and banking link)
- Finalizing the deliverables-based budget included in your award:
 - Based on our review of the proposed activities the approved budget for this project is \$277,458.
- 3. The anticipated start date for your project is November 16, 2020

This letter does not guarantee the transfer of any grant funds. Accordingly, in parallel to this letter, a sub-grant agreement will need to be executed for the transfer of such funds. Team members of Resolve to Save Lives, an initiative of Vital Strategies, will be reaching out to assist in the finalization of project documents. Marina Smelyanskaya, Senior Technical Advisor, will serve as your point of contact regarding contracting and workplan budget development and maintenance over the course of your partnership with Vital Strategies. Tamia McCormick will provide administrative and logistical support in varying capacities for the grant.

The range of activities proposed, and their scope, demonstrates and reinforces the enthusiasm and commitment that Vital Strategies has in working with Wake County to strengthen the COVID-19 response.

Sincerely,

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