



# The Florida Senate

## Local Funding Initiative Request

### Fiscal Year 2021-2022

LFIR # 1108

1. Project Title

2. Senate Sponsor

3. Date of Request

4. Project/Program Description

Provide maternal fetal medicine services to low-income uninsured and under-insured in Manatee County. The program will include the services of a perinatologist and provide ultrasounds to the target population. In addition, care coordination will be provided for this high-risk population.

5. State Agency to receive requested funds

State Agency contacted?  No

6. Amount of the Nonrecurring Request for Fiscal Year 2021-2022

Type of Funding	Amount
Operations	700,000
Fixed Capital Outlay	0
<b>Total State Funds Requested</b>	<b>700,000</b>

7. Total Project Cost for Fiscal Year 2021-2022 (including matching funds available for this project)

Type of Funding	Amount	Percentage
Total State Funds Requested (from question #6)	700,000	50%
<b>Matching Funds</b>		
Federal	0	0%
State (excluding the amount of this request)	0	0%
Local	0	0%
Other	700,000	50%
<b>Total Project Costs for Fiscal Year 2021-2022</b>	<b>1,400,000</b>	<b>100%</b>

8. Has this project previously received state funding?  Yes

Fiscal Year (yyyy-yy)	Amount		Specific Appropriation #	Vetoed
	Recurring	Nonrecurring		
2020-21	0	700,000	526	Yes

9. Is future funding likely to be requested?  Yes

a. If yes, indicate nonrecurring amount per year.

b. Describe the source of funding that can be used in lieu of state funding.

N/A

10. Has the entity requesting this project received any federal assistance related to the COVID-19 pandemic?

Yes

If yes, indicate the amount of funds received and what the funds were used for.



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May 2020 - \$1,927,309 for Paycheck Protection Program.  
 March to May 2020 - \$5,649,931 for PPE, testing supplies, cover lost revenue and salaries of employees directly involved in detecting, preventing, diagnosing and responding to COVID19.

**11. Details on how the requested state funds will be expended**

Spending Category	Description	Amount
<b>Administrative Costs:</b>		
Executive Director/Project Head Salary and Benefits		0
Other Salary and Benefits		0
Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other		0
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study		0
<b>Operational Costs: Other</b>		
Salary and Benefits		0
Expense/Equipment/Travel/Supplies/Other		0
Consultants/Contracted Services/Study	Medical visits and ultrasounds performed	700,000
<b>Fixed Capital Construction/Major Renovation:</b>		
Construction/Renovation/Land/Planning Engineering		0
<b>Total State Funds Requested (must equal total from question #6)</b>		<b>700,000</b>

**12. Program Performance**

**a. What specific purpose or goal will be achieved by the funds requested?**

Improved health benefits will result from the expansion of service hours and availability. The OB/GYN provider will utilize the services of the perinatologist who will assist with the early identification and treatment of conditions which result in fetal infant deaths and poor birth outcomes such as low birth weight. Also impacting negative birth outcomes is the incident of neonatal abstinence syndrome and the special risks involved with this population.

**b. What activities and services will be provided to meet the intended purpose of these funds?**

Comprehensive Maternal Fetal Medicine services for patients referred by MCR Health obstetrical providers. Services include perinatologist, ultrasound technician, care coordination, and support staff.

**c. What direct services will be provided to citizens by the appropriation project?**

Medical services, care coordination, and ultrasounds.

**d. Who is the target population served by this project? How many individuals are expected to be served?**

Low income uninsured and under-insured in Manatee County. It is anticipated 450 pregnant women will have at least one ultrasound and one follow-up visit with the perinatologist and/or perinatologist consult with the obstetrician.

**e. What is the expected benefit or outcome of this project? What is the methodology by which this outcome will be measured?**



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The cost effectiveness and overall goals of the project will be measured by the outcomes data within the target population.  
Through analysis of the outcomes data, and improved health status will be realized with the perinatologist involvement in the care of the woman and fetus through better management of the pregnancy.  
The data collected will be entered into the computer system.  
Reports are generated monthly to address the progress made on the outcome measures.

**f. What are the suggested penalties that the contracting agency may consider in addition to its standard penalties for failing to meet deliverables or performance measures provided for the contract?**

Funding adjustment based on deliverables not met.

**13. The owners of the facility to receive, directly or indirectly, any fixed capital outlay funding. Include the relationship between the owners of the facility and the entity.**

Not applicable



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#### 14. Requestor Contact Information

a. First Name  Last Name   
b. Organization   
c. E-mail Address   
d. Phone Number  Ext.

#### 15. Recipient Contact Information

a. Organization   
b. Municipality and County

#### c. Organization Type

- For Profit Entity
- Non Profit 501(c)(3)
- Non Profit 501(c)(4)
- Local Entity
- University or College
- Other (please specify)

d. First Name  Last Name   
e. E-mail Address   
f. Phone Number

#### 16. Lobbyist Contact Information

a. Name   
b. Firm Name   
c. E-mail Address   
d. Phone Number