QSP Grant Award Summary

Charle’s Angels of Caring

Grant Funds Utilization:

- Secure the services of a Registered Nurse for the agency for up to twelve months to assist with QSP Agency services, staff education, and compliance.
- Staff salary for on-call services on weekends.
- Secure training space for staff and office furniture, equipment, and supplies.
- Travel related costs for marketing, recruitment, or training activities.

Grant Funded Services Provided: Expand QSP Agency by providing Medicaid State Plan-Personal Care Services and the 1915(c) waiver services Extended Personal Care, Homemaker Services, Non-Medical Transportation (Escort and Driver), Personal Care, Respite Care, Supervision, Nurse Education Care, Extended Personal Care Nurse, Companionship Services.

Service Area: Adams, Billings, Bowman, Golden Valley, Grant, Hettinger, Morton, Sioux, Slope, and Stark counties.

Award Amount: $26,371.00

Circle of Life Home Care KOLA

Grant Funds Utilization:

- Staff bonuses and office equipment.
- Behavioral health training curriculum and case consultation services.
- Staff salary during training, and a bonus upon completion of the behavioral health and substance use training curriculum.
- Marketing plan activities that will make the public aware of QSP services.

Grant Funded Services Provided: Expand QSP Agency by providing Medicaid State Plan-Personal Care Services and enrolling to provide the 1915(c) waiver services of Respite Care Services, Supervision and Community Transition Services.

Service Area: Sioux, Emmons, Grant, Morton counties.

Award Amount: $27,000

Dakota Home Care Inc.

Grant Funds Utilization:

- Development and implementation of staff recruitment tools, job fair fees, and other related marketing efforts.
- Staff recognition, retention rewards/bonuses, and fees required for staff to complete Certified Nursing Assistance.
- Implement marketing plan activities that will make the public aware of QSP services.
Grant Funded Services Provided: Continue to provide services as a QSP Agency by providing Medicaid State Plan-Personal Care Services and the 1915(c) waiver services of Respite Care Services, Extended Personal Care / Nurse Educator Services, and Residential Rehabilitation / Community Support Services, and by focusing on staff retention/recruitment and training efforts.

Service Area: Morton, Burleigh, Oliver, Emmons, Sioux, Grant, Stark, Mercer counties.

Award Amount: $30,000

Denzel Health Care

Grant Funds Utilization:

- Employee background and drug checks, Workforce Insurance, and training related costs.
- Marketing plan activities that will make the public aware of their QSP agency services.
- Purchase of scrubs for employees, computer equipment and office furniture.

Grant Funded Services Provided: Expand QSP Agency by continuing to provide Medicaid State Plan-Personal Care Services and the 1915(c) waiver services of Supervision, and Respite Care through recruiting and training new employees and marketing their services. The agency will also continue to provide the services of Homemaker Services, Companionship, Chore – Labor, Non-Medical Transportation (Escort), Non-Medical Transportation (Driver).

Service Area: Cass, Sargent, Ransom, Richland counties.

Award Amount: $19,293.64

Giving Hearts Home Care LLC

Grant Funds Utilization:

- Implement marketing plan activities that will make the public aware of QSP agency services and other advertising related costs.
- Various agency related staff compensation, benefit, and travel costs for staff that are actively engaged in the QSP agency administration, marketing, recruitment, and training activities.
- Staff training and development related costs.

Grant Funded Services Provided: Enroll as a QSP Agency and provide Medicaid State Plan-Personal Care Services and the 1915(c) waiver services of Nurse Educator Services/Extended Personal Care/Respite/Supervision Homemaker, Non-Medical Transportation/Medical Transportation and Companionship Services.

Service Area: Burke, Divide counties.

Award Amount: $27,377
Helping Hands of Care

Grant Funds Utilization:

- Staff salaries/fringe benefit costs for addition QSP Agency staff to include Register Nursing, Licensed Practical Nursing, Certified Nursing Assistants, Home Health Aide, and/or Homemakers.
- Training related costs for staff.
- Purchase office supplies and equipment including a computer and computer monitors.
- Consulting services to improve and maintain the agency website.
- Implement their marketing plan activities that will make the public aware of QSP agency and services.

Grant Funded Services Provided: Expand QSP Agency by providing Medicaid State Plan-Personal Care Services and the 1915(c) waiver services of Homemaker Service, Respite Care, Supervision, Non-Medical Transportation (Escort), Non-Medical Transportation -DRIVER, Chore – Labor, Companionship, Nurse Education Care, Extended Personal Care, Extended Personal Care Nurse.

Service Area: Barnes, Ransom, Richland, Steele, and Traill counties

Award Amount: $30,000

Simple. Optimized. Solutions., Inc. DBA Home Helpers

Grant Funds Utilization:

- Marketing activities to promote services including a social media effort, brochure development and printing, newspaper ads, and other items for vendor booths.
- Advertising job openings, background checks and work attendance awards, compensation, benefit, and travel costs for staff.
- Purchase office furniture, scrubs for staff, and office supplies.

Grant Funded Services Provided: Continue to provide the QSP Agency services of Medicaid State Plan-Personal Care Services and the 1915(c) waiver services of Extended Personal Care Nurse Educator Services, Residential Habilitation, Community Supports, Respite Care, Supervision, Companionship, Homemaker, Chore Services, and Non-Medical Transportation. Expand workforce and number of people served through various staff recruitment and marketing efforts.

Service Area: Billings, Bottineau, Burke, Burleigh, Divide, Dunn, Hettinger, McHenry, McKenzie, McLean, Mercer, Morton, Mountrail, Oliver, Renville, Sheridan, Stark, Ward, Williams counties.

Award Amount: $30,000
**Home Instead**

**Grant Funds Utilization:**

- Pay for salary and benefits for one full time employee in the Bismarck office for up to four months to assist with QSP Agency services, staff education, and compliance. Background checks and work attendance awards.
- Purchase equipment for their office and QSP Agency service staff training and delivery.
- Implement marketing plan activities that will make the public aware of QSP agency and the services including activities such as TV/radio/billboard advertisement and signage.

**Grant Funded Services Provided:** Expand their QSP Agency by providing Medicaid State Plan-Personal Care Services and the 1915(c)-waiver services of Personal Cares, Respite Care, Transitional Living, Chore-Labor, Extended Personal Cares, Extended Personal Care Nurse, Nurse Education, Residential Habilitation, and Community Supports.

**Service Area:** Adams, Bottineau, Burke, Burleigh, Dunn, Grant, Hettinger, McHenry, McKenzie, McLean, Mercer, Morton, Mountrail, Oliver, Renville, Sheridan, Stark, Ward, and Wells counties.

**Award Amount:** $30,000

**Integrity of Support Services /Adetope Alabi**

**Grant Funds Utilization:**

- Compensation for staff who provide after hours, overnight, and emergency/intermittent services for referrals, and/or benefit costs of a payroll/office manager and a nurse.
- Staff recruitment and training costs and employee background checks.
- Development of marketing projects including website development and printing costs.
- Secure the services of an attorney to support agency operation.
- Purchase of office supplies and equipment.

**Grant Funded Services Provided:** Expand their QSP Agency by enrolling and providing Expended Personal Care, Nurse Education, Non-Emergency Medical Transportation, and Case Management. The Agency will continue to provide Medicaid State Plan-Personal Care Services and the 1915 (c) waiver services of Respite Care, Homemaker, Supervision, Companionship, chore, Non-Medical Transportation.

**Service Area:** Burleigh, Morton counties.

**Award Amount:** $29,390.91
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Grant Funds Utilization:

- Background checks, staff compensation, benefit, and travel costs.
- Marketing plan activities that will make the public aware of QSP agency services and advertising related costs.
- Consult with ND Assistive or other entities needed to expand service capacity.

Grant Funded Services Provided: Expand their QSP Agency by enrolling and providing Medicaid State Plan-Personal Care Services and the 1915(c) waiver services of Residential Habilitation and Community Support, Community Transition Services, and Transitional Living Services.

Service Area: Ward, Rolette counties.

Award Amount: $26,000

Prairie Home and Health

Grant Funds Utilization:

- Marketing plan activities that will make the public aware of QSP agency services.
- Purchase of the household furniture and appliances needed to establish the Foster Home.
- Complete structural improvements or modifications to the property secured.
- Pay for accreditation related costs to Council on Quality and Leadership.
- Office equipment, bookkeeping software, and medical supplies and equipment.

Grant Funded Services Provided: Enroll as a QSP Agency to establish an Agency Foster Care Home and provide the 1915(c) waiver services of Residential Habilitation, Community Support Services, Extend Personal Care Services, Respite Care, Homemaker Services, Non-Medical Transportation, Companionship Services and Medicaid State Plan-Personal Care Services.

Service Area: Renville, Bottineau counties.

Award Amount: $30,000

Prudent Home Care

Grant Funds Utilization:

- Implement marketing plan activities that will make the public aware of QSP agency services.
- Complete structural improvements or modifications to the property secured to provide Agency Foster Care to assure accessibility and long-term use.
- Sign on bonus, salary and/or benefit related costs for full time nurse to oversee medication, function as a care coordinator, on-call support, and training costs.
- Travel and consultation fees related to securing and establishing the Agency Foster home.
Grant Funded Services Provided: Enroll with the ND Department of Human Services to establish an Agency Foster Care Home and continue to provide the 1915(c) waiver services of Residential Habilitation, Community Support Services, Extend Personal Care Services, Respite Care, Homemaker Services, Non-Medical Transportation, Companionship Services and Medicaid State Plan-Personal Care Services.

Service Area: Burleigh, Morton counties.

Award Amount: $29,600

Somnar Home Care a/b/a Right at Home

Grant Funds Utilization:

- Sign on bonus, background checks and drug screening, and training costs.
- Office rent, signage, and travel costs related to opening the new office in Grand Forks area.
- Compensation, benefit, and travel costs for a Care Coordinator.
- Office supplies, computer and office equipment, and furniture.
- Marketing plan activities that will make the public aware of QSP agency services.

Grant Funded Services Provided: Expand their QSP Agency by opening an office in the Grand Forks area and providing Medicaid State Plan-Personal Care Services and the 1915(c) waiver services of Residential Habilitation and Community Support, Homemaker and Companionship Services.

Service Area: Grand Forks, Nelson, Walsh, Cass, Richland, Traill, Sargent, Ransom, Steele, Barnes counties.

Award Amount: $28,079

VCT/Vocational Training Center

Grant Funds Utilization:

- Pay 20% of salary and benefits for one full time employee and onboarding costs of new staff.
- Global Endorsement Training contract costs to train staff.
- Purchase office furniture.
- Implement marketing plan activities that will make the public aware of QSP agency services.

Grant Funded Services Provided: Enroll as a QSP Agency to provide the 1915(c) waiver services of Residential Habilitation, Community Support Services, Supported Employment, Respite Care, Transitional Living and Medicaid State Plan-Personal Care Services.

Service Area: Cass County

Award Amount: $27,035.09