



April 5, 2016

TO: Potential Applicants for the Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome Investment Opportunity
RE: Amended Request for Proposal (HPC-NAS-001)

To whom it may concern:

The HPC issued an amended RFP for the Neonatal Abstinence Syndrome Investment Opportunity on April 5, 2016. **This amended RFP supersedes the RFP dated and posted on March 2, 2016.** Below is a description of the update to the RFP that we encourage you to review as you prepare proposals.

In **Attachment B.3 Budget Proposal Response**: Increased the Salary Cap from \$181,500 per FTE per year to \$185,100 per FTE per year in the instructions and in each budget template tab and clarified that the cap applies to the portion of a salary that may be eligible for HPC funding. In-kind or other funding sources may be used to augment salaries at the discretion of the Applicant or Partner(s).

Note: Applicants may submit either the original version or the revised version of Attachment B.3. The HPC will evaluate all proposals using the updated salary cap irrespective of version used.

Please contact hpc-innovation@state.ma.us for questions pertaining to this investment opportunity.

- HPC Innovation Investment Staff