

Center for Economic Opportunity

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CEO & Mayor's Fund to Advance New York City Announce Final SIF Providers Programs to Be Launched with Social Innovation Fund (SIF) and Private Support

The Center for Economic Opportunity (CEO) and Mayor's Fund have announced that selection of providers for CEO's five Social Innovation Fund programs is complete. Each SIF program will be implemented in partnership with seven cities in order to build a national body of evidence in support of successful programs. The following competitively selected providers will receive \$5.7 million in federal grants, to be matched by private funds. Programs and providers include:

SaveUSA, a tax time matched savings initiative

- Food Bank for New York City (New York City, NY)
- Newark Now (Newark, NJ)
- United Way of San Antonio & Bexar County (San Antonio, TX)
- o Community Action Project of Tulsa (Tulsa, OK)

Jobs-Plus, a site-based workforce program

- BronxWorks (New York City, NY)
- San Antonio Housing Authority (San Antonio, TX)

WorkAdvance, a sector-focused employment program

- o PerScholas (Bronx, NY)
- o St. Nicks Alliance (Brooklyn, NY)
- o Towards Employment (Cleveland & Youngstown, OH)
- Madison Strategies Group (Tulsa, OK)

Young Adult Program, an education-conditioned paid internship program

- o FEGS (Bronx, NY)
- Henry Street Settlement (New York, NY)
- o Kingsborough Community College (Brooklyn, NY)
- o Catholic Charities of Kansas City-St. Joseph (Kansas City, MO)
- Full Employment Council (Kansas City, MO)
- o Rutgers University T.E.E.M. Gateway (Newark, NJ)

Family Rewards, a conditional cash transfer program

- Seedco, BronxWorks, and Children's Aid Society (Bronx, NY)
- Seedco, Porter-Leath, and Urban Strategies (Memphis, TN)

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