



# Washington Office of Superintendent of **PUBLIC INSTRUCTION**

## **Student Mental Health/Well Being**

1. **Purpose:**

The purpose is to provide funds for school districts to provide school resource officer training as required in 2SHB 1216 (2019 session).

2. **Description of services provided:**

Training was provided, although the proviso funds were not allocated for that purpose.

3. **Criteria for receiving services and/or grants:**

Minimum Qualifications:

- Licensed to do business in the State of Washington. If not licensed, provide a written intent to become licensed in Washington within thirty (30) calendar days of being selected as the Apparent Successful Bidder.
- Expertise in topics such as juvenile brain development; restorative practices or restorative justice; social-emotional learning; civil rights; and student rights, including free speech and search and seizure.

Consultants who do not meet these minimum qualifications will be rejected as non-responsive and will not receive further consideration. Any proposal that is rejected as non-responsive will not be evaluated or scored.

Desirable Qualifications:

- Experience in law, law enforcement, pedagogy, and school resource officer program implementation.
- Knowledge of the twelve (12) mandated training requirement areas.
- Ability to develop training materials and provide both training-of-trainer and direct training opportunities.

**Beneficiaries in 2019-20 School Year:**

<b>Number of School Districts:</b>	0
<b>Number of Schools:</b>	0
<b>Number of Students:</b>	0
<b>Other:</b>	0

**Number of OSPI staff associated with this funding (FTEs):** 0.0

**Number of contractors/other staff associated with this funding:** 0.0

**FY20 Funding: State Appropriation:** \$50,000  
**Federal Appropriation:** \$0  
**Other fund sources:** \$0  
**TOTAL (FY20)** \$50,000

4. **Are federal or other funds contingent on state funding?**

No

Yes, please explain.

*If state funds are not available, the state will not be eligible...*

5. **State funding history:**

<b>Fiscal Year</b>	<b>Amount Funded</b>	<b>Actual Expenditures</b>
FY20	\$50,000	\$0

6. **Number of beneficiaries (e.g., school districts, schools, students, educators, other) history:**

None

7. **Programmatic changes since inception (if any):**

Requirements around the development of a district SRO program have all been shared and posted. Training requirements have been addressed.

An SRO Work Group has been established within the Student safety and Student Well-Being Advisory Committee.

8. **Evaluations of program/major findings:**

TBD

9. **Major challenges faced by the program:**

The budget proviso allocated a total of \$50,000 to fund grant for SRO training. Wording within the 2SHB 1216 specified potential recipients and requirements. Those specifications made it impossible for potential recipients to apply and to meet the grant requirements within the available time and budget constraints. As a result, there were no applicants for FY2020.

10. **Future opportunities:**

Given the SRO program requirements met and posted during FY 2020, and given the interest in SROs, the statewide SRO program, and the time available in FY 21 to

accomplish the work, the new fiscal year will see an opportunity to effectively expend the allocated funds.

11. **Statutory and/or budget language:**

ESSB 6168 Sec. 520 (20) - \$50,000 of the general fund—state appropriation for fiscal year 2020 and \$50,000 of the general fund—state appropriation for fiscal year 2021 are provided solely for grants to school districts to provide school resource officer training, as required in Second Substitute House Bill No. 1216 (student mental health and well-being).

12. **Other relevant information:**

It is well documented that well-done SRO trainings, nationwide, cost approximately \$500-600/individual trained. Also, the SRO Work Group has identified additional SRO-related topics which need to be addressed.

13. **Schools/districts receiving assistance:**

See [OSPI's Grantee List](#)

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