

# Mental Health Services Oversight and Accountability Commission

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## Questions and Answers 6

	RFA Section Reference	Questions	Responses
1	Attachment 1-1, 3-1 and 4-1	Do representatives from the entities in the existing partnerships need to sign Attachment 1-1, 3-1 and 4-1. If yes, where?	An existing grantee application only needs to be signed by one person/entity and not each member of the partnership.
2	General	What are our options if our local Behavioral Health Care Agency is declining to support us and will not sign off on the grant. The agency is stating that it will be too much work for them to follow through with and that their window for processing this request has passed. How are school districts supposed to understand/know if any timelines within the county office? What if they agree to apply with one district and not another?	<p>The MHSSA requires that the grantee is the County Behavioral Health department and also that the applicant is a partnership comprised of:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1) A county, city, or multicounty mental health or behavioral health departments, or a consortium of those entities, including multicounty partnerships and</li><li>2) One or more school districts, and</li><li>3) Either<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>a) The County Office of Education, or</li><li>b) A Charter School.</li></ol></li></ol> <p>The Commission cannot change these requirements and has no control over who is included in a partnership.</p>