

## MAHONING COUNTY CAREER & TECHNICAL CENTER

### REQUEST FOR PROPOSALS FOR PARTNERSHIPS

Mahoning County Career and Technical Center Request for Proposal (RFP) for Partnerships for Grant Funding for Appalachian Community Innovation Centers Grant Program establishing a state-of-the-art expansion of a Healthcare and Wellness Center on our campus.

Mahoning County Career and Technical Center will be applying for the grant funding to provide a combined access point to public education, community health services, and workforce development and addressing critical access needs for the community.

#### [Media Release- Appalachia Community Innovation Centers Program](#)

Mahoning County Career and Technical Center is inviting proposals from eligible organizations to partner in addressing critical access needs in the community. This grant aims to foster partnerships that enhance access to healthcare services, workforce development and education resources at our facility for the community members, with a focus on affordability, sustainability, and community engagement.

The primary objectives of this partnership grant are as follows:

To address critical access needs within our communities.

To partner with healthcare providers, urgent care, emergency care, mental health services, counseling, rehabilitation providers and/or other healthcare services to deliver affordable health services to students and the public.

To incorporate workforce partners, preferably local Job and Family Services, libraries, or Ohio Means Jobs centers, to provide career services to students and the general public.

To provide usable meeting and wellness space for community members to perform work search, work readiness, career training, workforce development of the special needs population, or other support services for adults and youth during and outside of school hours.

We look forward to receiving innovative proposals that will help address critical access needs in the community and improve the well-being of community members. This partnership is more than an educational expansion; it's an opportunity to significantly impact the healthcare landscape and workforce development in our region. We eagerly anticipate the prospect of collaborating to create a brighter future for the Mahoning Valley.

For inquiries regarding this RFP, Mahoning County Career and Technical Center will review any or all proposals received and to negotiate modifications to any proposal submitted.

We invite interested parties to discuss this opportunity with us. Please feel free to contact John Zehentbauer, Superintendent by email at [John.Zehentbauer@mahoningctc.com](mailto:John.Zehentbauer@mahoningctc.com) or Mary Mihalopoulos, Supervisor at [Mary.Mihalopoulos@mahoningctc.com](mailto:Mary.Mihalopoulos@mahoningctc.com) or contact by phone at 330-729-4100 for more information or to arrange a campus visit. Please submit proposals by email to [Mary.Mihalopoulos@mahoningctc.com](mailto:Mary.Mihalopoulos@mahoningctc.com) no later than March 1, 2024.