

**Pacific Islanders Organizing, Nurturing, and
Empowering Everyone to Rise and Serve (PIONEERS)
Program
QUESTIONS & ANSWERS**

The following are answers to questions that were posed by prospective applicants:

1. Will the Developer/Evaluator be involved in the program at the beginning or later “mid-stream” and will the Evaluator be helping in developing the tools?
We already have an Evaluation Consultant onboard, and they will work together with the selected agency from the beginning to develop the tools. It will be very collaborative.
2. Who owns the data that is collected, and will the selected agency have access to it?
We expect the selected agency to be involved in collecting the data. The County will own the data, but both the evaluator and selected agency will have access to it.
3. Is there a specific timeline or dates for startup and services to begin?
We are hopeful that startup and services can begin as soon as the contract is executed (estimated to be July 2023). There will be a time for startup, and it will be helpful to incorporate the startup phase into your proposal.
4. Will these services be awarded to one agency?
We will select one Lead Agency to contract with, but we encourage collaboration amongst organizations and to identify such collaboration in your proposal.