



Q&A

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Children System of Care

2026 RFP Children's Interagency Coordinating Council (CIACC) for Atlantic County

Written questions related to the *content* of this RFP were due on **Friday, July 24, 2026.**

A non-mandatory conference was held on **Wednesday, July 22, 2026.**

Written *technical* questions about forms, documents, and format may be emailed at any time up to the due date to dcf.askrfp@dcf.nj.gov.

All responses must be submitted ONLINE.

To submit online, respondent must **first** complete and submit an Authorized Representative (AOR) registration form.

[Click here to access the AOR Registration Form.](#)

AOR Registration forms must be received by **Tuesday, August 4, 2026.**

All responses must be received by **Tuesday, August 11, 2026 (by 12:00 NOON)**

QUESTIONS

1. The RFP outlines the required response components as three PDF submissions; however, we did not see a requirement to include a proposed budget or budget narrative as part of the proposal submission. We noted that the Annex B Budget Form is listed under the Post-Award Documents Prerequisite to Contract Execution. Could you please confirm whether respondents are required to submit a proposed budget and/or budget narrative with the RFP response, or if those documents will only be requested from the selected awardee after the Notice of Award?

Answer: The response to this RFP does not require the submission of a proposed budget or proposed budget narrative. If awarded, an Annex B Budget form will be required to execute the contract.

2. What is the age eligibility criteria for CSOC services?

Answer: Youth who are eligible for CSOC services are primarily between the ages of 5 and 21 (up to the 21st birthday). Special consideration for services is given to youth under the age of 5. Also, in extenuating circumstances when transition to adult services is delayed, CSOC will continue to serve a young adult into their 21st year.