

# Qualified Critical Service Providers

For the Non-Profits/Public facilities sub-program, one way participants can be considered eligible is by being a qualified critical service provider, defined as a non-profit or public sector entity that offers essential services to low-income or environmental justice communities, including:

- Advocacy organizations
- Affordable housing providers
- After-school providers
- Childcare centers
- Community centers
- Community financial institutions (such as credit unions, non-profit lenders)
- Disability service providers
- Domestic Violence Centers
- Emergency service agencies (fire, police, Red Cross)
- Family support agencies
- Food pantries
- Homeless shelters
- Hospitals, health care facilities, and clinics
- Housing service providers
- Immigration service providers
- Job training and workforce development services
- Law/legal centers (non-profit providing pro-bono services to low-income communities)
- Libraries
- Mental and behavioral health facilities
- Municipal administration offices
- Places of worship
- Rehabilitation providers
- Public schools
- Senior centers
- Social service agencies (including unemployment and social security offices)
- Transitional or supportive housing (including for teens and LGBTQ)
- Women's or children's shelters
- Other types of potential critical service providers not found on this list can be submitted to the Program Administrator to be reviewed on a case-by-case basis.