**Amount of State** 

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**Application ID** IA-000000799 Account **AUW Grants Management** 

**Application Status** Application Accepted Contact **Edwin Flores** 

**ACT 310 - Application for Grants DBA** 

**Legal Name of** Requesting Org/Individual

Type of Business

**Mailing Address** 

**Individual Application** 

Hawaii Family Law Clinic

501 (C)(3) Non-Profit Corporation **Existing** Yes

**Entity** Service(Presently in Operation)

4510 Salt Lake Boulevard

Honolulu, Hawaii 96818

**United States** 

Island Oahu

**Program Overview** 

**Program 1 Overview** 

**Program 2 Overview** 

**Program 3 Overview** 

**Department Notes** 

**Agency Eligbility** 

Recipient of Able to Provide No Yes Terminated Federal **Documentation** 

Funding **Evidence** 

**Serves Negatively Narrative** Yes See attached **Impacted Populations** 

Date Funding Stopped 4/30/2025

**Amount of Other Funds Available** 

**State Fund Total** \$0.00 **County Fund Total** \$0.00 Amount

**Amount** 

Private/Other Fund Federal Fund Total \$0.00 \$0.00

**Amount Total Amount** 

**Total Amount of State** \$135,000.00 **Unrestricted Assets** \$5,000.00 **Grants** 

**Contact Person for Matters Involving this Application** 

**Applicant Name Edwin Flores Applicant Title Executive Director** 

**Applicant Phone** (808) 753-7114 **Applicant Email** edkflores@yahoo.com

State of Hawaii Eligibility

Organization is Yes Licensed or

Accredited

Complies with Anti-**Discrimination Laws** 

Yes

Yes

Nonprofit has **Governing Board** 

> Is Incorporated Under **Laws of State**

Will Allow Access to Yes **Audit Records** 

Will not Use State

**Funds for Lobbying** 

Has Bylaws and

**Policies** 

City

State

**Account Information** 

**Account Phone** 

**Organization Name** Hawaii Family Law Clinichtt **Organization DBA** 

Ala Kuola

**EIN** 

**Account Email** 

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Website

To provide an evidence base violence prevention program to youth.

Street 4510 Salt Lake Boulevard

Yes

Yes

Yes

Yes

Honolulu

HI Zip 96818

**Point of Contact** 

**Mission Statement** 

**Point of Contact First** Name

Edwin

**Point of Contact Last** 

**Flores** 

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Leadership

**Leadership First Name** Edwin

**Leadership Last Name** 

**Flores** 

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**Background and Summary** 

**Applicant Background** 

Founded in 2004 the Hawaii Family Law Clinic dba Ala Kuola hereinafter Ala Kuola, was established to help victims of domestic violence with completion and filing of Petitiions For A Temporary Restraining Orderwith the Family Court of the First Circuit. Ala Kuola also provided follow up services and provided referral legal assistance and other services. Throughout the years as domestic violance together with incidents of sexual assalt and it consequent problems have become more prervalent throughout the State of Hawaii. This has led Ala Kuola since 2014 to undertake a positive proactive roles by providing a youth prevention program based on an existing nationally and internationally evidence-base program known as Coaching Boys Into Men (CBIM). It also be noted that Ala Kuola will also be introducing a program for girls based on the evidence-base platform pf CBIM. Since engaging with CBIM in many communities statewide , Ala Kuola has trained numerous athletic coaches to deliver the curriculum to youth. The training is provided by a trainer that certified by Furures Without Violence the creator for CBIM.

**Funding Request Purpose** 

A one year goal for the duration of this grant is recruitConduc male and female coaches /facilitators statewide to to participate with Coaching Boys Into Men and Leaders for Change . Conduct trainings with coaches/facilitators with the use of the curriculum to effectively deliver to yourh; Provide athletic coaches/facilitators with resources needed to promote respectful behaviors anoung thier peers and helpf prevent relationship abuse, bullying, harassment and sexual assault. Objective: Train approximately 20 - 30 coaches/facilitators both men and women to be trained with the curriculum of Coaching Boys Into Men and Leaders for Change. Have approximately 500 -1000 youth receive training of the curriculum of Coaching Boys Into Men and Leaders for Change. Approximently 20 coaches/facilitartators will fully implement the programs.

Geographic Coverage Served The programs will be offered throughout the state to all communities.

#### Public Purpose or Need Served

The public purpose of Coaching Boys Into Men and Leaders For Change is reduce relationship abuse, sexual assault tnd to promote respectful behaviors. Dating violence can be physical, emotional, psychological, or sexual. It is a prevalent issue that has serious long-term and short term effects. Many teen do not report it because theu are afraid to tell friends or family or even their school administrators. It was reported by the Center for Disease Control, tht amonty of women and men first experience some form of partner viiolance between 11 and 17 years of age. Further, approximately 9% of high school students report being hit, slapped, or physically hurt on purpose by a boyfriend or girlfriend.

Those who experience dating violence dating violence can suffer negative effects in health throuughout their lifetime. Youth victims are more likely to experience systoms of depression and anxiety, engage in unhealthy behaviors, like tobacco, drugs, alcohol, or exhibit behaviors or think about suicide.

According to the Centerfor Disease Control , CDC's Youth Risk Behavior Surveillance System (YRBSS) issues such as having to be forced to have intercours, experience sexual viiolance ,electronically bullied, experiencing sexual dating violence , bullied on school property experienced physical dating violence are prevalent isssues that you indiviaual encounter. By no means is this an exhaustive list of behavios that are experienced.

#### Target Population Served

The target population is male and females adolescents and youth.

### **Summary and Outcomes**

#### Measure(s) of Effectiveness

Measure of effectiveness reported will consist of (1) amount of coaches/facilitators trained wih the curriculum, (2) number of program participants, (3) collective data form surveys determing leaning outcomes,

#### Projected Annual Timeline

Quarter 1,2,3 - Recruitment of Coaches/facilitators and traing with the use of the curriculum . Provide to coaches/facilitator distribution of opt out forms to parents/ guardians. Coaches/facilitators provide surveys via hard copy or QR code. Retrieval of administered survey to be analyzed by Ala Kuola staff. Ala Kuola will throughout implementation to provide any technical assistance , monitor engagement and have available in open line of communication.

Quarter 4, Will be similar to quarter 1,2,&3, however Ala Kuola will gather data from a post surveys upon conclusion of the delivery of the curriculum..

Note that some coaches/facilitator may concluded delivery of the program at different intervals. A final report will be provided to the agaministering agenct together with final expendetures.

Compose reports to appropriate administering agency of program data and financial expenditures.

# **Quality Assurance** and Evaluation Plans

Ala Kuola utilizes unidentifiable surveys of both coaches/facilitators and program participants. The data collected through the surveys will be analyzed synthesized by Ala Kuola in determining learning outcomes of the curriculum delivered to participants. This Data will also be used to to determine to make programatic changes. Ala Kuola conducts periodic check-ins wiht coaches/facilitator to ensure that they are support with any technical advice concerning the curriculum or the delivery of the program.

#### Scope of Work

In implementing rhe curriculum for Coaching Boys Into Men or Leaders for Change, ALa Kuola will act as the guide, leader and trainer in providing coaches and community participants with the tools and training they will require to successfully implement the program they will be engaging in. Trining provided wil be either in a group setting or on a one to one basis. Trianing may occur on the neighbor island or remotly when practicle. Training may consist of inter-active role plqy, indentifying abusive behaviors and suggested stragegies to implentment the program in their communities.

Since Coaching Boys Into Men was created. for male high school athletes the curriculum can be deliver through an adaptation for adolescents as well.

The adaptation for Leaders for Change for females will be base on the platform of the evidence-base curriculum of CBIM.

The trining with the use of the curriculum will be delivered with staff/consultants of Ala Kuola who have extensive experience working with the curriculum. Coaches /facilitators will provided with all materials and containing the curricum and will be provided a solid foundation to implement the program. once per week. The materials provided offer strategies about opening the conversation about dating violence as well as techniques for helping participants develop appropriate and healthy relationships toward women and girls as will sa their peers. A Training topics consist of ,respect and personal responsibility , mental health matters, insulting language, disrespectful behaviors toward women and girls, digital disrespect, understanding consent Part 1,understanding consent part 2,bragging about sexual reputation, when aggression crosses the line,taking a stand against relationship abuse,conflict and communication, make pledge for respect and equity. Agaain, please not that the curriculum will be presented via adaptation for younger participant.

Although the presentation to participants are intended to be brief (approximately 15-20 minutes per week)., it is the consistency of the message and the repeated weekly lessons that will make the greatest impact. Although the curriculum provides the talking points to be address coaches /participants are encouraged draw up anologiess of current events and past events as it relates to the discussion.

#### **Financial Information**

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**Q1 Requested Amount** \$37,175.00 **Q3 Requested Amount** \$37,175.00

**Q2 Requested Amount** \$37.00 **Q4 Requested Amount** \$37.00

Sources of Funding City and County of Honolulu Grant In Aid State and Federal Tax N/A Credits Kaiser Foundation

**CBP** Foundation

First Hawaiian Bank Foiundation

Cooke Foundation

State and Federal Contracts and Grants State Grant IIn Aid - 2023

**Prior FY Balance of Unrestricted Assets** 

4,806.74

# **Experience, Capability, and Personnel**

Skills and Experience

Ala Kuola is currently in its eleventh year of providing Coaching Boys Into Men within the State. Throughout the years the programs has been successfully implemented on the Hawaii Island. Maui. Kauai, and Oahu high schools. Due to privacy matters when administering the program with public schools Ala Kuola continues to enter iinto a Data Shaing Agreement with the Hawaii Deparment of Education Data Governance office. This Agreemnt allows Ala Kuola to conduct unidentifiable surveys form and futher allows parents or legal guardians the opportunity to opt out of the program. This is extremely important since recent US Supreme court decisions have addressed the issues of opting out their children.

The trining of all coaches are conducted by Ed Flores who underwent training with Futures WIthout Vioiece the creator of the evidence-base curriculum and as result is a certified trainer with the currierculum. He has been reognized for the positive results and engagement of the program throughout the state and servers as as a member with the Coaching Boys Into Men National Advisory Council.

Verifiabler experience can be confirmed with former and current and former coaches throughout the state: Wendeell Say, Robin Kami, Nelson Maeda, Paul Chinen, Phillip Rapoza, Phai Lee, Robin Puahala, Jason Apilado, Jason Calderia William Ararkaki, Brian O'Connor, Vice President of Public Education Campaigns

Future Without Violence, San Francisco CA

**Facilities** 

The organization rents office space located at Stadium Mall located on Salt Lake Blvd. The facility has a spacious meeting/conference room that can seat in access of fifty plus. The facility is fully ADA compliant. The facility is ADA compliant.

Proposed Staffing and **Service Capacity** 

The program is led by the Program Administrator/Executive Director who has eleven years of experience and is certified to conduct training with the use of the program curriculum and as earlier stated is a member of the Coaching Boys Into Men National Advisory Council. The program utilizes trained contracted consultants to assist and conduct training s, and providing of technical assistance to program participants.

Staff Position(s) and Compensation Executive Director/ Program Administrator - \$80,000

#### Other Information

**Pending Litigation** None

Special Licensure or

Accreditations

None

**Private Educational** Institutions The grant will not be used to suport or benefit a sectarian of non-sectarian private education institution

#### **Confirmations**

**Documentation of Federal Impacts** 

Hawaii Compliance **Express Certificate** 

**IRS Determination** Letter

**Records Retention Policy** 

Authorized Representative Certification

Active	Status	with	the	
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Certificate of Good Standing by the DCCA

By-laws or Corporate Resolutions

> Signee Title **Executive Director**

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