

# PEI Community Program Planning Review Process

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The Mental Health Services Oversight and Accountability Commission (OAC) voted on 9/29/07 to approve funding of Prevention and Early Intervention (PEI) Community Program Planning funds from the Mental Health Services Act (MHSA) for any county whose funding request met review criteria.



# Review Criteria

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- Is within its FY 07/08 Maximum Community Program Planning funding estimates
- Is compatible with the “Community Program Planning Process” as described in Part II Community Program Planning Process, PEI Component of the Three-Year Program and Expenditure Plan
- Follows the application’s instructions to “briefly describe the purpose and amount for which the requested funding will be used.”



# Funding Request Review Process

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- Step 1 DMH receives PEI Community Program Planning requests; forwards copy to OAC immediately and forwards comments to OAC within one week
- Step 2 OAC reviews County's request and DMH comments within two weeks of receipt of request
- Step 3 Within three weeks, OAC notifies county that fund request is approved or that additional information or modifications are needed
- Step 4 If additional information is required, county resubmits request to DMH and OAC
- Step 5 Repeat step 3 until request is approved



# Who Can Answer Questions?

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- For questions about the review process, contact OAC: Deborah Lee, 415-386-6651, [dlglee@comcast.net](mailto:dlglee@comcast.net)
- For questions about PE Community Program Planning contact DMH: Nichole Davis, 916-651-0691, 44
- For questions about MHSA Agreement, contact County Operations liaison

OAC Website:

<http://www.dmh.ca.gov/MHSOAC/default.asp>