RFP GC22-001, 21st Century Community Learning Centers

Clarification on the $1.2M application cap in the Amount of Funding Section
(pages iii and 2 of the RFP)

Any district -- but in particular this applies to the Big Four districts of Buffalo, Rochester, Yonkers, and Syracuse, and the various Community School Districts of New York City -- can apply for up to $1.2M in a grant or grants. The grant(s) would be for particular schools within those districts. **In those cases, it is allowable for a community-based organization (CBO) to also partner with different schools in one of the Big Four or NYC Community School Districts that has already applied for $1.2M.** The CBO, as the lead, would not be partnering with the district as a whole, but with individual schools within the district. The superintendent of the district does have to sign the partnership agreement for that grant, but the partnership is with the school.

The CBO is limited to the $1.2M cap. The CBO could have a $700,000 grant as the lead agency, for example, and also be a partner in grants of say $100,000 on one grant and $200,000 on another, as long as it is under $1.2M for them as an entity. And **those partnerships could be with schools in districts that already have applied for $1.2M as the lead agency,** as long as the partnerships are with different schools.