



What is the Organizational Wellness Project?

Center for Council's Organizational Wellness Project is a grant-funded training program designed to offer, at no cost to participating organizations, skills and training that strengthens and supports those working on the front lines of social justice and community engagement. The project offers participating organizations a series of community-building experiences and immersive Council training for a select internal team, individualized mentoring, and hands-on support with integrating the practice of Council into their organizational culture and operations.

Program Overview

The program begins in Summer 2019 and will conclude in Spring 2020, during which each participating organization will receive the following at no cost:

- **Ten hours** of on-site community-building Council sessions for staff (sessions may include board members and/or stakeholders) tailored for each organization and designed to introduce the Council process.
- **Immersive 16-hour** Council training workshop for 3-6 participants from your organization. Participants will attend the two-day workshop experience at an offsite location with staff designees from other participating organizations.
- **Individualized follow-up mentoring and consulting**, based on the needs of your organization. Trainers will work with those participants who have completed the training workshops to help integrate Council practice within your organization.
- **A networking event** for all project sites in Spring 2020. This half-day event will be an opportunity to forge alliances with similar organizations working to integrate Council into their organizational culture.

Eligibility Requirements

- A social justice-oriented mission; willingness to commit your organization to explore and integrate Council practice; and ability to commit the personnel and time required to implement the project.
- Ability to designate 3-6 representatives to complete a full two-day Council Training workshop in the fall: September 21-22 (Saturday/Sunday) or October 11 and 18 (two Fridays).

For more details, and to apply, please visit centerforcouncil.org/apply.