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| **NAME OF GRANT PROGRAM:**  | MassSTEP ABE and MassSTEP ESOL Planning | **FUND CODE:** 0671/0661/0359 |
| **FUNDS ALLOCATED:**  | $25,000 (State and Federal) |
| **FUNDS REQUESTED:** | $19,144  |
| **PURPOSE:** MassSTEP ABE and MassSTEP ESOL programs are funded in two phases: planning and implementation. Planning Grants are optional. |
| **NUMBER OF PROPOSALS RECEIVED:**  | 4 |
| **NUMBER OF PROPOSALS RECOMMENDED:**  | 4 |
| **NUMBER OF PROPOSALS NOT RECOMMENDED:**  | 0 |

**RESULT OF FUNDING:** MassSTEP ABE provides adult education (AE) concurrently and contextually with workforce preparation activities and workforce training (occupational skills training) to accelerate learning outcomes, including student attainment of a high school credential and one or more relevant industry-recognized credentials (IRCs) and employment. MassSTEP ESOL provides ESOL instruction concurrently and contextually with civics education in addition to workforce preparation activities and workforce training (occupational skills training) to accelerate learning outcomes, including student attainment of one or more relevant IRCs and employment.

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| **RECIPIENTS** | **AMOUNTS** |
| Boston Chinatown Neighborhood Center | $5,000 |
| Community Action, Inc. | $4,244 |
| Healthy Minds DBA Holbrook Adult Learning Center | $4,900 |
| Pathways Adult Education and Training | $5,000 |
| TOTAL STATE AND FEDERAL FUNDS | **$19,144** |