

## Imagine Nonviolence - Cohort 2 RFP Frequently Asked Questions

1. We work with parenting and pregnant women in their homes and like to provide self-defense training for our staff - would this be applicable for this grant?

Imagine Nonviolence is an initiative designed to prevent harm caused by firearms. On their own, self-defense classes would not fit into the initiative. However, self-defense classes as part of a larger initiative that includes specific components that address firearm safety would be considered.

2. Our program is funded to target youth at the greatest risk for gun violence and provide case management and collaboration services. The current funding pays for the case managers' salary but lacks funding to assist the youth directly to help them achieve educational and employment goals. Would direct support be eligible for consideration?

Based on the information stated above, your organization is eligible to apply for "Close the Gap" funding, which has a maximum request of \$5,000. The funding could be used to provide direct support to your clients in ways that are not supported by your current funding.