**These instructions are for Applicants – this page should not be included in the contract**

A standard template for the work plan is included, which identifies the objectives that need to be met and one or more associated tasks to be completed. Each task is associated to one or more performance measures.

Applicants may add Tasks or Performance Measures to the table if needed and also do not have to use all of the provided spaces for Tasks and Performance Measures.

For Multi-Year contracts, each period will have a separate work plan – a contract that has three periods established would have three separate work plans outlined here.

### SUMMARY

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| PROJECT NAME: | **Statewide Systems Advocacy Network (RFP GC24-002)** |
| CONTRACTOR NAME: |   |
| CONTRACT PERIOD NUMBER: 1  |
| CONTRACT PERIOD: | From: October 1, 2024 |
|  | To: September 30, 2025 |

**Project Summary: A high-level overview of the project, including the overall goal and desired outcomes.**

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The purpose of these projects is to conduct coordinated statewide advocacy activities in support of the New York State Independent Living Council’s (NYSILC) disability policy agenda based on statewide needs assessment results.

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| **Objective** |
| 1. **Provide a plan to establish at least five (5) local partnerships and coalitions per year (8 points)**
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| **Task** |
| **1.1** |
| **Performance Measures** |
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| **Objective** |
| 1. **Provide a plan to disseminate no fewer than 44 educational alerts from the SSAN Coordinator on behalf of the SSAN network each year (8 points)**
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| **Task** |
| **2.1** |
| **Performance Measures** |
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| **Objective** |
| 1. **Provide a plan that demonstrates coordination or participation in no fewer than 20 public education activities at the local level each year (8 points)**
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| **Task** |
| **3.1** |
| **Performance Measures** |
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| **Objective** |
| 1. **Provide a plan to engage in no fewer than six (6) local community organizing activities or events each year (8 points)**
 |
| **Task** |
| **4.1** |
| **Performance Measures** |
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| **Objective** |
| 1. **Provide a plan to deliver at least six (6) public testimonies, statements or letters each year (8 points)**
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| **Task** |
| **5.1** |
| **Performance Measures** |
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| PROJECT NAME: | Statewide Systems Advocacy Network (RFP GC24-002) |
| CONTRACTOR NAME: |   |
| CONTRACT PERIOD NUMBER: 2  |
| CONTRACT PERIOD: | From: October 1, 2025  |
|  | To: September 30, 2026  |

**Project Summary: A high-level overview of the project, including the overall goal and desired outcomes.**

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| **Objective** |
| 1. **Provide a plan to establish at least five (5) local partnerships and coalitions per year (8 points)**
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| **Task** |
| **1.1** |
| **Performance Measures** |
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| **Objective** |
| 1. **Provide a plan to disseminate no fewer than 44 educational alerts from the SSAN Coordinator on behalf of the SSAN network each year (8 points)**
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| **Task** |
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| **Performance Measures** |
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| **Task** |
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| **Performance Measures** |
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| **Objective** |
| 1. **Provide a plan that demonstrates coordination or participation in no fewer than 20 public education activities at the local level each year (8 points)**
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| **Task** |
| **3.1** |
| **Performance Measures** |
| **3.1.1** |
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| **Objective** |
| 1. **Provide a plan to engage in no fewer than six (6) local community organizing activities or events each year (8 points)**
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| **Task** |
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| **Performance Measures** |
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| **Objective** |
| 1. **Provide a plan to deliver at least six (6) public testimonies, statements or letters each year (8 points)**
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| **Task** |
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| **Performance Measures** |
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| PROJECT NAME: | Statewide Systems Advocacy Network (RFP GC24-002) |
| CONTRACTOR NAME: |   |
| CONTRACT PERIOD NUMBER: 3  |
| CONTRACT PERIOD: | From: October 1, 2026  |
|  | To: September 30, 2027  |

**Project Summary: A high-level overview of the project, including the overall goal and desired outcomes.**

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| **Objective** |
| 1. **Provide a plan to establish at least five (5) local partnerships and coalitions per year (8 points)**
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| **Task** |
| **1.1** |
| **Performance Measures** |
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| **Objective** |
| 1. **Provide a plan to disseminate no fewer than 44 educational alerts from the SSAN Coordinator on behalf of the SSAN network each year (8 points)**
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| **Task** |
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| **Performance Measures** |
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| **Objective** |
| 1. **Provide a plan that demonstrates coordination or participation in no fewer than 20 public education activities at the local level each year (8 points)**
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| **Task** |
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| **Performance Measures** |
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| **Objective** |
| 1. **Provide a plan to engage in no fewer than six (6) local community organizing activities or events each year (8 points)**
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| **Task** |
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| **Performance Measures** |
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| **Objective** |
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