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**No Cost Extension
Addendum to CERI Allocation Letter**

Dear CERI Grant Recipient,

On September 12, 2022, the CDC approved CDPH's request for a No Cost Extension (NCE) to extend the original CERI grant end date from May 31, 2023, to May 31, 2024. CDPH informed Local Health Jurisdiction (LHJ) CERI grant recipients of the NCE being approved through an email. CERI grant recipients were given the option of accepting or declining the NCE at their discretion.

This addendum letter is a formal document re-announcing the No Cost Extension of the CERI grant period. There are no additional funds being granted for this NCE, only the additional time of one year. The NCE will allow grant recipients, stakeholders, and partners more time to implement their existing workplan and successfully carry out equity work that will reduce disparities amongst communities disproportionately impacted by COVID-19.

If you have any questions or need further clarification regarding this addendum, please reach out to your Technical Assistance (TA) Specialist via the [Equity Portal](#).

Sincerely,

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Attachments:

1. Original Allocation Letter
2. CERI Revised NOA 9.9.22

