



Sole Source Provider Statement

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This letter certifies The Urban Assembly (UA) as the Sole Source Provider for the UA Resilient Scholars Portal and UA Resilient Scholars Program (UARSP). The UARSP is uniquely designed to support schools in effectively addressing the comprehensive needs of students through the development and enhancement of Multi-Tiered System of Supports (MTSS), in alignment with the New York State RECOVS grant requirements.

UARSP Key Components:

- **Our guided implementation model**, combined with the specialized features of the UA Resilient Scholars Portal, offers unparalleled support for the phased implementation, integration, and sustainability of high-quality educational programming.
- **MTSS Framework Development:** UA conducts a thorough inventory and organization of current supports, clearly defines entry and exit criteria for interventions, and assesses the capacity of each support. This foundational work ensures a well-structured MTSS framework that meets the grant's focus on comprehensive support systems.
- **Professional Development and Coaching:** UARSP provides targeted professional development sessions and ongoing consultations. Our expert team equips educators with essential skills for effective MTSS implementation, covering topics such as MTSS principles, data analysis for intervention selection, and strategies for ongoing monitoring and adjustment of interventions.
- **Communication and Accessibility:** The program designs robust communication structures to enhance awareness of available supports, streamline referral processes, and ensure equitable access to interventions. This component aligns with the grant's emphasis on accessibility and inclusivity in support services.
- **Visualization and Capacity Tools:** UARSP develops advanced tools for visualizing the utilization and capacity of supports. These tools aid in the effective management and adjustment of the MTSS framework, facilitating data-informed decisions to optimize support strategies.

The UA Resilient Scholars Program, with its comprehensive approach to SEL programming and instructional support cataloging, is uniquely positioned to assist districts in meeting the specific requirements of the New York State RECOVS grant. For further information or to discuss how the UA Resilient Scholars Program can align with your district's objectives under the grant, please contact our Managing Director of Programs, Habib Bangura, at (703) 254-6433.

Thank you,

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