

261—113.7 (15) Application selection criteria. Applications for community microenterprise development organization grants shall be selected based upon the following criteria:

113.7(1) *Geographic service area.* The overall geographic diversity of the applicants for grants, including both urban and rural communities.

113.7(2) *Ability to provide services.* The organization's ability to provide services to low-income and moderate-income individuals and underserved communities.

113.7(3) *Services offered.* The scope of services offered and the ability to efficiently deliver such services to low-income, moderate-income, and minority individuals.

113.7(4) *Ability to monitor progress.* The organization's ability to monitor the progress of clients and provide additional technical assistance.

113.7(5) *Ability to coordinate resources.* The organization's ability to build relationships and coordinate resources with other entities supporting microentrepreneurs.

113.7(6) *Reporting.* The organization's plan to report and evaluate outcomes.

113.7(7) *Financial resources.* The amount and sufficiency of operating funds available.

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