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**Summary:** The attached FAQs provide updated policy guidance on the AmeriCorps State and National (ASN) evaluation requirements and CNCS' expectations for ASN grantee and subgrantee evaluations.

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**To:** State Service Commissions and AmeriCorps Direct Grantees

**From:** Chester W. Spellman  
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**Re:** 2020.01: Updated Evaluation FAQs for AmeriCorps State and National Evaluations

The attached FAQs provide updated policy guidance on the AmeriCorps State and National (ASN) evaluation requirements and CNCS' expectations for ASN grantee and subgrantee evaluations. Additionally, the FAQs provide information for ASN applicants and grantees/subgrantees to help them plan and conduct successful evaluations of their CNCS-supported programs. The goal of this guidance is to help ensure that the evaluations conducted by ASN grantees/subgrantees are an effective and appropriate tool to help them improve their program interventions and move forward on the evidence continuum.

Please disseminate this guidance to your subgrantees and/or operating sites.

The AmeriCorps State and National Evaluation FAQs can be found at:

<https://nationalservice.gov/documents/2019/ameri-corps-state-and-national-evaluation-faqs>