

Federal Insurance and Mitigation Administration

Standard Award Package Checklist

Background Information

This job aid was created to support FEMA Mitigation eGrants Internal System users in the Awards Workflow queue to create award packages for approved subapplications. For background information, consult the following references:

- For information on the roles and processes used in the Awards Workflow queues, refer to Unit 9 of the EMI Independent Study course <u>IS-0032.a: Mitigation eGrants System for</u> <u>the FEMA Reviewer</u> available at https://training.fema.gov/is/courseoverview.aspx?code=IS-32
- For more detailed information on each screen and the steps to be completed for each task in eGrants related to award packages, refer to the *FEMA Mitigation eGrants Internal System Quick Reference Guide* on FEMA's web site.

Purpose of this Job Aid

There are three types of award packages:

- 1. **Standard Award Package:** A new award package used to obligate initial funds to approved subapplications that have not yet been funded.
- 2. Additional Obligation Award Package: An amended award package used to obligate additional funds (i.e., after the initial funds) to a subaward.
- 3. **De-Obligation Award Package:** An amended award package used to return funds from an obligated subaward.

The checklist below focuses on the first type, the Standard Award Package used for creating an initial award package and obligating initial funds. (See the FEMA Job Aids for the Additional Obligation Checklist and the De-Obligation Checklist for guidance on amending an existing award package to obligate additional funds or de-obligate existing funds.)

Done	Who	What
	Grants Management Specialist	From the Inbox, select the Awards option from the Module drop-down menu. Click Filter . Select the Check Out box for the application. Click Check Out/In . Select the Create/Amend Award Package link for the application in the Queue column.
	Grants Management Specialist	The Awards screen displays. Click Create.

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	Grants Management Specialist	The Create/Amend Award Package: Create screen displays. Select the checkbox(es) for the subapplication(s) to be included in the award package for the federal award. Enter the obligation amounts (federal share and non-federal share) for each subaward. Click Save .
	Grants Management Specialist	 Complete the FF 76-10A, Agreement Articles, and Award Letter by selecting each of the corresponding links on the sidebar menu of the Create/Amend Award Package: Create screen: For the FF 76-10A, the obligated amounts entered will be auto-populated. Select the Commitment number from the drop-down menu. If a Vendor ID is not auto-populated, select the Search link next to the Vendor ID field. Complete the remaining fields. Click Save. For the Agreement Articles, either select the Use Standard Template radio button to create the document or select the Attach Agreement Articles radio button to upload an existing document. Enter the name of the Assistance Officer. Click Save. For the Award Letter, either select the Use Standard Template radio button to create a letter or select the Attach Award Letter radio button to upload an existing letter. Click Save.
	Grants Management Specialist	From the Create/Amend Award Package: Create screen, select the Inbox link in the sidebar menu. The Inbox displays. Click the Check In box for the application. Click Check Out/In .
	Assistance Officer	From the Inbox, select the Awards option from the Module drop-down menu. Click Filter. Select the Check Out box for the application. Click Check Out/In. Select the Create/Amend Award Package link for the application in the Queue column.
	Assistance Officer	From the Create/Amend Award Package: Create screen, select the Cost Review (Grants) icon to review the subapplication budget line items, unit quantities, and unit costs for eligibility. If the review is satisfactory, click Save . If not, click Revise to return the subapplication to the Applicant for revisions.
	Assistance Officer	From the Create/Amend Award Package screen, select each of the FF 76-10A , Agreement Articles , and Award Letter links in the sidebar menu to review these documents. Click Submit .
	Assistance Officer	From the Create/Amend Award Package screen, select the Inbox link in the sidebar menu. The Inbox screen displays. Select the Check In box for the application. Click Check Out/In .
	Regional Director	From the Inbox, select the Check Out box for the application. Click Check Out/In. Select the Process Award Package link in the sidebar menu.
	Regional Director	The Awards screen displays. Select the Process Award Package link in the sidebar menu.
	Regional Director	The Process Award Package screen displays. Select the Create/Amend Award Package link in the Queue column.
	Regional Director	The Create/Amend Award Package: Create screen displays. Select each of the FF 76-10A, Agreement Articles, and Award Letter links to review these documents. If satisfactory, select the Complete checkbox next to each document link. To approve the award package and send it to GFS for obligation and the Integrated Financial Management Information System (IFMIS) for disbursement, click Submit.