

New York State (NYS) Charities Registration Requirement

Article 7-a of the Executive Law requires, with certain exemptions, that non-profit organizations that receive funding of \$25,000 or more in total from governmental agencies must register with the Office of the Attorney General (OAG) as a charitable organization. The Office of Mental Health (OMH) is required to provide proof of active filing status when submitting contracts to the Office of State Comptroller (OSC) for approval. Failure to maintain updated filing with the Charities Bureau will result in a delay in approval of your contract.

If your organization is exempt from filing with the Charities Bureau, you must submit a written statement that the organization is exempt pursuant to one of the categories indicated on the OAG's Request for Registration Exemption (Schedule E) located on the OAG's [website](#) .