**Section 42.220 Program Requirements**

Projects *shall be for the purpose of*:

a) Acquiring a new physical location, which may include necessary construction, renovation and/or real property or equipment purchases, to *establish a* *new* *community health center* *site to provide primary health care services to medically underserved populations or areas* or to provide *primary health care services to the uninsured population of Illinois; or*

b) Renovating existing sites or purchasing equipment to expand the services of an existing community health center site to provide *primary health care services to medically underserved populations or areas* or to provide *primary health care services to the uninsured population of Illinois, or to* prevent or reverse the deterioration of existing community health center site structures or mechanical operations to address life, health or safety concerns for health center staff and patients. (Section 10-10 of the Act)

(Source: Amended at 48 Ill. Reg. 3732, effective February 29, 2024)