



## **Arts Every Day Compliance Policy**

**Background.** AED has entered into a Pre-Qualified Service (PQS) Agreement with Baltimore City Public Schools (City Schools), and all services rendered through AED funds must be in compliance with the PQS Agreement and the City Schools Fingerprinting and Criminal Background Check Policy.

**Compliance.** The Artist agrees to comply with City Schools Fingerprinting and Criminal Background Check policy, which requires, as a precondition to Artist's entry into a City School, (i) that Artist undergo a criminal background check and fingerprinting conducted by the Human Resources Department of the City Schools, (ii) that the results of the background check be acceptable to Baltimore City Schools, and (iii) that City Schools have given Artist written confirmation that the results are acceptable to it. Artist agrees that Artist will not enter upon a City School to begin the services that are to be rendered with AED funds until (i) Artist has received written confirmation that the results of the criminal background check are acceptable to City Schools, and (ii) Artist has sent AED a copy of the written confirmation. Any obligation of AED to pay Artist for Artist's services shall be conditioned upon AED's receipt of the written confirmation.

**Indemnification.** AED does not and will not take responsibility for any injury or damage caused or occurring during an AED sponsored workshop, residency or event. The Artist agrees to take full responsibility for, and defend and hold AED, its officers, the members of its Board of Directors and AED's employees and volunteers harmless from any and all losses, claims, demands, suits, injuries, or damage to property which may occur during the preparation for and the execution of the AED sponsored workshop, residency or event in which Artist is a participant, whether or not directly, or indirectly caused by the Artist. AED strongly recommends that the Artist obtain personal liability insurance.