

Available Federal Early Childhood Funding Opportunities FY 2010

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Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP)	Program reimburses eligible institutions for providing meals and snacks to low income children and adults receiving day care.	Department of Agriculture	Funds available in FY2010. Apply directly to state agency. List of Agencies at http://www.fns.usda.gov/cnd/Contacts/StateDirectory.htm	After-school care programs in approved low-income areas and institutions, including public or private nonprofit organizations that provide educational or enrichment activities for school-aged children in low-income areas are eligible to participate.	\$2,686.00
Children, Youth and Families At Risk Initiative (CYFAR)	To develop and deliver educational programs that equip limited resource families and youth who are at-risk of not fulfilling basic human needs to lead positive, productive, contributing lives.	Department of Agriculture	Funds available in FY2010. Contact the State or local Cooperative Extension Service	Only land-grant university Cooperative Extension Service entities can apply. Community based organizations should contact their local CES for information on how to work with their local CYFAR project.	\$8.00
Community Food Projects	To develop community food projects that provide food to low-income people; help communities	Department of Agriculture	Funds available in FY2010. Submit proposals to the Cooperative State	Nonprofits Community-Based Organizations	\$5.00

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	provide for their own needs; and promote comprehensive responses to local food, farm, and nutrition issues.		Research, Education, and Extension Service.		
School Breakfast Program	This program assists states in providing a nutritious breakfast service for school children through cash grants and food donations.	Department of Agriculture	Funds available in FY2010 Schools make application to SEAs.	Local Public Agencies Nonprofits Community-Based Organizations Other State/Territorial Agencies	\$2,867.00
Summer Food Service Program for Children	Provides free meals and snacks to low-income children during long school vacations when they do not have access to school lunch or breakfast. It supports programs for children in low-income areas when school is not in session.	Department of Agriculture	Funds available in FY2010 Organizations should contact the state agency that runs the SFSP-- usually the state educational agency. For a list of agencies visit http://www.fns.usda.gov/cnd/summer/contacts.html .	Local Educational Agencies Nonprofits Community-Based Organizations Other State/Territorial Agencies	\$378.00
Women Infants Children	Provides nutritious foods, nutrition education, and referrals to health and other social services to participants at no charge. Serves low-income	Department of Agriculture	Funds available in FY2010. Individual families contact their state or local agency. For a list, visit	Women during pregnancy and up to one year after. Infants/Children up to five years of age.	\$7,777.00

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	pregnant, postpartum and breastfeeding women, and infants and children up to age 5 who are at nutrition risk.		http://www.fns.usda.gov/wic/Contacts/statealpha.HTM		
Child Development Centers	Centers offer a safe child care environment and meet professional standards for early childhood education. Available for children of members of the military living on installations.	Department of Defense ARRA	Funds available in FY2010. ARRA provides additional money.	Money is distributed from the DOD to military installations as needed.	
Child Care Access Means Parents in Schools Program	Purpose is to provide childcare for low income parents so that they can attend postsecondary school.	Department of Education	Funds available in FY2010. Announcements published by the Federal Register	Institutes of Higher Education if the total amount of all federal Pell Grant funds awarded to students enrolled equals or exceeds \$350,000	\$16,034.00
Early Reading First/Striving Readers Program	Program supports the development of early childhood centers of excellence that focus on all areas of development that prepare children for continued school success and that serve primarily children from low-income families.	Department of Education	Funds available in FY2010 through the Striving Readers Program. SEAs apply directly to Dept of Education: http://www2.ed.gov/programs/strivingreaders-literacy/index.html	LEAs Nonprofits Community-Based Organizations	\$250.00

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Even Start: Family Literacy Programs	Purpose is to help break the cycle of poverty and illiteracy by improving the educational opportunities available to low-income families with limited educational experiences.	Department of Education	Funds available in FY2010. Apply directly to SEAs.	Formula Grants go to SEAs, other organizations(IHEs; LEAs; Nonprofits; Community Based Organizations; Partnerships) are subgrantees	\$66.45
IDEA Infants and Toddlers Grants	To enhance the development of infants and toddlers (birth to three) with disabilities and support families in meeting the special needs of their child.	Department of Education	Funds available in FY2010 For more information including the state coordinators list visit, http://www.nectac.org/partc/partc.asp	Primary recipients are “Lead Agencies” appointed by the governor of each state, who then distribute funds to LEAs and other agencies.	\$439.42
IDEA Preschool Grants	To provide preschool children with disabilities, special education and related services that result in increased skills that enables them to succeed in school.	Department of Education	Funds available in FY2010 For more information including the state coordinators list visit, http://www.nectac.org/Sec619/Sec619.asp	Primary Recipients are SEAs, which distribute it to Education Service Agencies (in MI). [In other states, LEAs and/or charter schools are eligible]	\$374.01
Inexpensive Book Distribution Program	This program provides books and promotes reading in children ranging in age from	Department of Education	Funds available in FY2010 Nonprofit private groups organizations and	Reading Is Fundamental, Inc., which enters into partnerships with local	\$24.80

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(Reading Is Fundamental)	infancy through high school age.		public agencies can contact RIF about participating in the program.	nonprofit private groups or organizations and public agencies to administer free book distributions and reading motivation activities	
Parental Information and Resource Centers	These grants assist nonprofit organizations in establishing school-linked or school-based parental information and resource centers that provide comprehensive training, information, and support to needy people and organization, including parents of children from birth through age 5.	Department of Education	Funds available in FY2010. The application guidelines are published in the Federal Register. Contact the program office for more information.	Local Educational Agencies Nonprofits Community-Based Organizations Partnerships	\$39.25
Safe and Drug-Free Schools and Communities Act: National Programs	National Programs, through grants, contracts, and interagency agreements, support a variety of initiatives designed to create safe and drug-free learning environments and promote healthy childhood development.	Department of Education	Funds available in FY2010 Applicants can submit applications using www.grants.gov .	Local Educational Agencies Local Public Agencies Nonprofits Community-Based Organizations “Other”	\$244.05

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Safe Schools/Healthy Students Initiative	Grants are used to promote healthy childhood development and prevent violent behaviors through fully-linked education, mental health, law enforcement, juvenile justice, and social services systems.	Department of Education	Funds available in FY2010. Grants given directly to LEAs or Partnerships. Applications available at: www.sshs.samhsa.gov	LEAs; Partnerships	\$145.72
Special Education: Parent Information Centers	Program ensures children with disabilities, and parents of children with disabilities receive training and information on rights and protection under the IDEA, and can effectively participate in planning and decision making related to early intervention, special education, and transitional services.	Department of Education	Funds available in FY2010. An applicant should consult the office or official designated as a single point of contact in his or her state to be followed in applying for assistance	Institutions of Higher Education Local Educational Agencies Local Public Agencies Other State Educational Agencies	\$28.03
Teacher Quality Partnership Grants	New opportunity for federal funding to improve early childhood educator preparation and compensation. Grants are awarded competitively to partnerships between institutions of higher	Department of Education	Intent to apply for grants by June 26 & an application by July 23.	Local programs and school districts should contact IHE with early childhood educator programs and create partnerships that include early education programs.	\$43.00

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	education (IHE) and high-needs school districts.				
Community-Based Job Training Grants	To support workforce training for high-growth/high-demand industries.	Department of Labor	Funds available in FY2010 www.grants.gov CDFA (17.269)	Community Colleges and Local/State Community College Districts.	\$125.00
Abandoned Infants Assistance	To reduce instances of infant abandonment and increase support for abandoned infants, particularly those with HIV/AIDS or affected by substance abuse.	Department of Health and Human Services	Funds available in FY2010 www.grants.gov (CDFA: 93.551).	State and Local Governments IHEs Nonprofits	\$12.00
Community Health Centers (Part of Consolidated Health Centers)	Grants support the development and operation of community health centers that provide preventive and primary health care services, supplemental health and support services and environmental health services to medically underserved areas/populations.	Department of Health and Human Services ARRA	Funds available in FY2010. Nonprofit organizations must complete Form PHS-5194, Grant Application for Health Services, documenting the need for and the proposed amount of the grant. State and local governments must prepare a Form DHHS 5161, Application for Federal Assistance, fully documenting the need for the grant and	Local Public Agencies Nonprofits Community-Based Organizations State Agencies Territorial Agencies	\$2,000.00

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Community Mental Health Services (CMHS) Block Grant	Grants provide financial assistance to states and territories to enable them to carry out the state's plan for providing comprehensive community mental health services to adults with a serious mental illness and to children with a serious emotional disturbance.	Department of Health and Human Services: SAMHSA	Funds available in FY2010. The Chief Executive Officer of the state or territory must apply annually for an allotment.	State/Territorial Agencies	\$1,489.00
State Partnership Program to Improve Minority Health Grant Program	Grants support minority community health coalitions develop, implement, and conduct demonstration projects.	Department of Health and Human Services	Funds available in FY2010.	State/territorial Office of Minority Health	\$6.45
Community Services Block Grant (CSBG)	Funds are intended to alleviate the causes and conditions of poverty in communities.	Department of Health and Human Services ARRA	Funds available in FY2010. Each state desiring to receive an allotment for a fiscal year is required to submit an application to the Secretary of Health and Human Services (HHS).	State/Territorial Agencies	\$700.00

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Community Services Block Grant Discretionary Awards	Grants support programs to alleviate the causes of poverty in distressed communities that promote various beneficial activities including programs designed to provide character building, sports and physical fitness activities for low-income youth.	Department of Health and Human Services	Funds available in FY2010. Grant announcements are published in the Federal Register. Applications are sent to the Division of Discretionary Grants, Administration for Children and Families.	Local Public Agencies Nonprofits Community-Based Organizations State/Territorial Agencies	\$72.67
Community-Based Child Abuse Prevention Grants (CBCAP)	To assist States to support community-based efforts to develop, operate, expand, and enhance, and where appropriate to network, initiatives aimed at the prevention of child abuse and neglect.	Department of Health and Human Services	Funds available in FY2010. States and Territories respond to Annual Program Instruction which announces availability of funds.	State/Territorial Agencies	\$41.69
Community Economic Development Projects	Provides funds to Community Development Corporations (CDCs) for well-planned, financially viable, and innovative projects to enhance job creation and business development in low-income communities.	Department of Health and Human Services	Funding available in FY2010 http://www.grants.gov / (CDFA: 93.570).	Private, non-profit CDC with 501(c)(3) IRS status experienced in planning, developing, or managing low-income housing or community development activities	\$32.5

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Child Care and Development Block Grant	Purpose is to make grants to states and tribes to assist low- income families with child care.	Department of Health and Human Services ARRA	Funds available in FY2010. Apply directly to SEAs. For a list of state lead agency contact information, see: http://nccic.acf.hhs.gov/statedata/dirs/index.cfm	SEAs	\$2,127.00
Early Head Start	Expand Early Head Start Programs	Department of Health and Human Services ARRA	July 2010	Local child & family serving organizations; existing Head Start Programs	\$1,092.00
Emergency Medical Services for Children	To improve the health status of children through improved primary prevention, treatment and rehabilitation.	Department of Health and Human Services	Funds Available in FY2010 www.grants.gov (CDDA: 93.127A, 93.127C, 93.127D, 93.127H)	State Organization Schools of Medicine	\$.22

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Head Start	Provides comprehensive education, health, nutrition, and parent involvement services to low-income children and their families. (Head Start provides Dental Examinations).	Department of Health and Human Services ARRA	Funds available in FY2010. To find local and state offices, visit http://eclkc.ohs.acf.hhs.gov/hslc/HeadStartOffices	Local child & family serving organizations; existing Head Start Programs	\$7,234.78
Healthy Start	Provides services tailored to the needs of high-risk pregnant women, infants and mothers in communities with exceptionally high rates of infant mortality (1.5x National Average).	Department of Health and Human Services	Funds Available in FY2010. Sign Up at www.grants.gov (CDFA is 93926) to receive a notification when an application process becomes available.	Any public or private entity	\$105.00
Healthy Tomorrows Partnership for Children	To stimulate innovative community-based programs that employ prevention strategies to promote access to health care for children and their families nationwide. HTPC funding supports direct service projects, not research projects.	Department of Health and Human Services	Funds available in FY2010. www.grants.gov (CDFA: 93.110)	Any public or private entity	\$2.40

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Maternal and Child Health Services Block Grant	Grants enable states to maintain and strengthen their leadership in managing health care for pregnant women, mothers, infants, children and children with special health care needs, and to provide health services for mothers and children who do not have access to adequate health care.	Department of Health and human Services	Funds available in FY2010 State governments and territories must submit an annual application and annual report.	State/Territorial Agencies	\$662.00
Maternal, Infant, and Early Childhood Home Visiting Program	To provide families in at-risk communities with comprehensive evidence-based home visiting services; to strengthen and improve programs and activities under Title VI; to improve coordination for families in at-risk communities; and to improve outcomes for such families.	Department of Health and Human Services	Funds available in FY2010. State applies.	State Agencies	\$1,500.00 (over 5 years)
Mentoring Children of Prisoners	Supports the creation and maintenance of one-on-one mentoring relationships between children of incarcerated parents and caring,	Department of Health and Human Services	Funds available in FY2010 http://www.grants.gov (CDFS: 93.616).	State and Local Governments Public IHEs Independent School Districts Nonprofits	\$49.31

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	supportive adult volunteer mentors.				
Project LAUNCH	Create a systematic approach to child wellness (0-8) in one site; Create state infrastructure to support; then sustain and spread.	Department of Health and Human Services	Submitted May 20, 2009; Five years @ \$850,000.00/year	DCH-PH	\$.850
Promoting Safe and Stable Families	To enable each state to operate a coordinated program of family preservation services, community-based family support services, time-limited reunification services, and adoption promotion and support services.	Department of Health and Human Services	Funds available in FY2010. Funds are distributed to states based on the state's share of children in all states receiving food stamp benefits.	State/Territorial Agencies	\$63.31
Social Services Block Grant (SSBG)	SSBG provides services directed toward various goals as defined by law, including preventing neglect, child abuse, or exploitation of children and adults.	Department of Health and Human Services	Funds available in FY2010 State Applies. Funds flow on a quarterly basis.	“Other” State/Territorial Agencies	\$1,700.00
State Children's Health Insurance Program (S-CHIP)	Grants enable states to initiate and expand child health assistance to uninsured, low-income children.	Department of Health and Human Services	Funds available in FY2010. State Applies	State/Territorial Agencies	\$989.50

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Strengthening Communities Fund	To stimulate grassroots organizations, whether secular or faith based, to maximize their social impact as they provide services to address economic recovery issues present in their communities. Funding is to help low-income individuals secure and retain employment, earn higher wages, obtain better-quality jobs, and gain greater access to State and Federal benefits and tax credits.	Department of Health and Human Services	Funds Available in FY2010 Request and Application Package from: Eduardo Hernandez Building 1515 Wilson Boulevard, Suite 100 Arlington, VA 22209 Phone: 800-281-9519 Email: OCS@lcn.net	State/Territorial Agencies IHEs Nonprofits For-profit Organizations	\$50.00
Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF)	TANF is designed to help needy families achieve self-sufficiency.	Department of Health and Human Services	Funds available in FY2010. Block grant to States. Citizens apply at the respective agency administering the program	State/Territorial Agencies	\$17,058.63

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Traumatic Brain Injury State Demonstration Grant Program	To conduct expanded studies and establish innovative programs pertaining to traumatic brain injury. (Some programs directed specifically at children).	Department of Health and Human Services	Funds available in FY2010. www.grants.gov (HRSA-09-132)	State government.	\$ 0.10
Universal Newborn Hearing Screening	To provide funds for grants to States for the implementation of universal newborn hearing screening prior to hospital discharge with linkage to a medical home, and diagnostic evaluation and enrollment in a program of early intervention.	Department of Health and Human Services	Funds available in FY2010 To apply visit www.grants.gov (CDFA: 93.251)	States, One organization to provide technical assistance to states.	\$0.19
Community Development Block Grant (CDBG): Entitlement Grants	These grants are used to develop viable urban communities by providing decent housing, a suitable living environment, and expanding economic opportunities for persons of low and moderate income.	Department of Housing and Urban Development	Funds available in FY2010. Several plans must be submitted both to HUD and localities. Contact information available at http://www.hud.gov/offices/cpd/communitydevelopment/programs/contacts	Local Public Agencies	\$3,990.07

