



CFRA and CAPC Home Visitation Follow Up Webinar

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1. Will there be subcontracting?
 - a. Yes, in our conversations with CDSS and the proposal itself encourages subcontracting. However, it is not required. In the draft materials that you will receive, there is a sample of an MOU but will need to be altered to fit their own county.
2. What information has changed from the original announcement?
 - a. The information in the front of the slides will show changes. The big ones are that it is no longer a pilot program and the age restriction has been lifted. Originally, it was written that the only families eligible to receive the HV services had to fit the criteria is that it had to be a first time mother or a first time mother with a child under the age of 2. Now, the proposal is structure is that you can indicate how many eligible applicants you intend to service and how many other families you intend to serve. For example, you may be serving families with multiple children. The proposal allows you to indicate these families.
3. Can we use funds to train our staff as Parents as Teachers and to maintain the licensing fees for the program?
 - a. Yes, there is training that is an expectation. The way the current language is structured is the funding is \$500 a month for every family in your caseload that is receiving home visitation. If a county is contracting, the county may be keeping a portion of the funds for administrative funds in order to make it happen. CDSS is coming up with an allocation method that will determine how the funds should be allocated.
4. For this to be an ongoing program, is the expectation that future legislature will have to figure out the funding after the 3 years are up?
 - a. Any funding is subject to the budget that gets enacted in that year. They have not identified future funding. We encourage you to quickly come up with a program so that funds won't be taken away but increased due to the data showing that the program works.
5. Please clarify if an undocumented parent and child is eligible?
 - a. We need to clarify with CDSS but the parent must be eligible for CalWORKs.
6. Is a 3-year project or 18 months?
 - a. The 18 month is the timeline for the application funding. The 3 year was originally the funding, but is now ongoing funding.
7. Can we provide services to foster parents and children?
 - a. If they are eligible then yes, or if you have provided services to everyone in the target population, you can add them to your target population.