

Refugee Childcare Microenterprise Development Program (DHHS) - upcoming

Grant Program Title	Refugee Childcare Microenterprise Development Program NOTE: This grant is not out yet. Historically, it has come out annually between March-May. This QS is based on the 2015 competition, for planning.
Funding Source	DHHS
Who is Eligible	Public and private nonprofit agencies
Application Due Date	In 2015, this was due 6/15
Submission Method	Grants.gov
Budget Information	Categories: Personnel, Fringe Benefits, Travel, Equipment, Supplies, Contractual, Other, Indirect Charges. No construction.
Match Required?	no
Purpose of the Grant Program	The RFCCMED Program is an anti-poverty strategy which aims to generate employment and economic self-sufficiency for economically and socially vulnerable refugees by funding organizations to establish partnerships that will train eligible clients to develop culturally and linguistically competent, licensed FCC businesses.
Project Period	36 months
Available Funding	In 2015, 8 awards were projected, ranging from \$150k-\$187.5k per budget period.
Program Deliverables	Grantees must provide intensive case management, training, technical assistance, and cash assistance as necessary to assist refugees in becoming licensed family child care (FCC) businesses. Must provide refugee clients with sufficient FCC and MED training to become licensed FCC businesses, as well as a Client Cash Assistance stipend not to exceed \$3,000 to each enrolled refugee client to assist in the startup costs of their FCC business.
Evaluation Requirements	Evaluation is required. Does not specify external, but this is listed as a potential cost in the Contractual budget section. Must collect data related to indicators about number of clients who complete program activities. Must submit a logic model. Evaluation plan worth 5 points.
Other Pertinent Info	Grants.gov: http://www.grants.gov/web/grants/view-opportunity.html?oppld=275865
Link to RFP	http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foa/view/HHS-2015-ACF-ORR-RG-0987