

**SUMMARY:** The Administration for Children and Families (ACF), Children's Bureau (CB) announces the award of a single-source expansion supplement to the University of Oklahoma, National Resource Center for Youth Services, Tulsa, OK, to support expanded technical assistance to address emerging technical assistance needs for States and Tribes as they seek to implement legislation and changing programs dedicated to former foster youth. The grantee is the recipient of a cooperative agreement to administer the National Resource Center for Youth Development (NRCYD). The grantee has been providing technical assistance services through a cooperative agreement since September 30, 2009, pursuant to the legislative authority of the Promoting Safe and Stable Families Program, Section 435(d), Title IV-B, subpart 2, of the Social Security Act [42 U.S.C. 629e].

In February 2008, the National Youth in Transition Database (NYTD) final regulation was promulgated. NYTD requires States to begin collecting information from youth in foster care and young adults formerly in foster care every six months, beginning October 1, 2010. State representatives continue to identify implementation of NYTD as a significant challenge, particularly since it will require State agencies to remain in contact with youth who may no longer be receiving services from the agency. The implementation of NYTD over the next four years will require the NRCYD to continue to provide additional technical assistance to States to implement this regulation effectively.

Additionally, many States see the implementation of NYTD as a method to engage youth and to strengthen youth involvement in services at the State and local level. This type of youth engagement work involves long-term systemic technical assistance. The expansion grant will allow the NRCYD to support these State initiatives over the long term.

Another significant development affecting the provision of services to youth and young adults was the passage of the Fostering Connections to Success and Increasing Adoptions Act of 2008, Public Law 110-351, signed into law October 7, 2008. Among other provisions, the law added a provision requiring States to develop a transition plan for all youth emancipating from foster care. The law also provides States and Tribes an option to receive Federal reimbursement under title IV-E of the Social Security Act to extend foster care to older youth until age 21. In addition, the law for the first time provides an opportunity for certain Indian Tribes to receive direct funding for independent

living services and education and training vouchers under the Chafee Foster Care Independence Program. The supplement will allow the NRCYD to provide more intensive technical assistance and on-site consultation to States and Tribes to continue to assist them in implementing these provisions.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Administration For Children and Families

#### Award of a Single-Source Program Expansion Supplement to Chapel Hill Training Outreach Project, Inc.

**AGENCY:** Children's Bureau, ACYF, ACF, HHS.

**ACTION:** Notice.

*CFDA Number:* 93.505.

*Legislative Authority:* Social Security Act, Title V, Section 511 (42 U.S.C. 701), as amended by the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act of 2010 (ACA) (Pub.L. 111-148).

*Amount of Award:* \$90,000.

*Project Period:* September 30, 2010 to September 29, 2011.

**SUMMARY:** The Administration for Children and Families (ACF), Children's Bureau (CB) announces the award of a single-source program expansion supplement to Chapel Hill Training Outreach Project, Inc. in Chapel Hill, NC, the administrator of the FRIENDS National Resource Center for the Community-Based Child Abuse Prevention Program (NRCCBCAP), to support technical assistance and support for the implementation of the new home visiting program by ACF and Health Resources Services Administration (HRSA) grantees under the Maternal, Infant and Early Childhood Home Visiting program, authorized by the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act.

Supplemental funding will assist in the initial planning and implementation of this new program. Award funds will be used to:

- Provide logistical support for outreach, planning, executing, and

follow-up with prospective applicants, ACF and HRSA grantees, and other stakeholders;

- Support consultation time with various experts on evidence-based home visitation and implementation science;

- Convene meetings/calls/webinars with ACF and HRSA grantees and various experts and stakeholders including national program model developers;

- Provide staff time for support for general communication, other meetings, transition information to new TA contractor; and,

- Develop a temporary Web site or other electronic tools for the program that would make key information available in a timely and accessible manner.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Administration for Children and Families

#### Award of a Single-Source Grant to Chapin Hall at the University of Chicago, Chicago, IL

**AGENCY:** Office of Planning, Research, and Evaluation, ACF, HHS.

**ACTION:** Notice.

*CFDA Number:* 93.595.

*Statutory Authority:* This award is authorized under section 1110 of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 1310).

*Amount of Award:* \$448,618.

*Project Period:* 9/30/2010 through 9/29/2011.

**SUMMARY:** The Administration for Children and Families (ACF), Office of Planning, Research and Evaluation (OPRE) announces the award of a single-source grant to Chapin Hall at the University of Chicago, Chicago, IL, to study the characteristics, dynamics, and context of the child-only Temporary Assistance for Needy Families (TANF) client population. Chapin Hall's application was received at ACF as an unsolicited proposal and underwent objective review on December 17, 2009,