



# FIRST THINGS FIRST

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## HUALAPAI TRIBE REGIONAL PARTNERSHIP COUNCIL RENEWAL RECOMMENDATIONS

First Things First is in the process of renewing grant contract awards for State Fiscal Year 2012, which begins July 1, 2011 and runs through June 30, 2012.

A renewal process was conducted with organizations awarded grants in State Fiscal Year 2010 and 2011 for the following strategies:

- MATERNAL CHILD HEALTH -HOME VISITATION
- FOOD ASSISTANCE AND NUTRITION EDUCATION

| <i>Strategy Name</i>                           | <i>FY 2010 and 2011 Grant Award(s)</i>  | <i>Program Performance</i>   | <i>FY 2012 Recommendation</i>   |
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| <b>Maternal Child Health - Home Visitation</b> | <p><b>Organization awarded:</b><br/><u>Hualapai Tribe Health Department</u></p> <p><b>FY2010 Award Amount: \$114,185</b><br/><b>FY2011 Award Amount: \$116,542</b></p> <p><b>Brief Program Description:</b> This program provides education, assessment and referrals for prenatal, post-partum, newborns and children ages 0-5. A maternal and child health advocate will assist the program in educating families on the importance of prenatal care and early childhood development, and a community health nurse, who is a registered nurse and is experienced in pediatric care, will provide home visitation, community classes, and additional health and development education to families who may not be able to travel for routine screening exams.</p> | <p><b>Original contract started July 1, 2009.</b></p> <p>All Implementation targets were met or exceeded, including: developed resources, marketing materials, and data collection forms; obtained and implemented a developmental screening tool; collaboration with many organizations to bring services and resources to the community; and development of an algorithm to be used community-wide when addressing developmental concerns in children. Parents are engaged through ongoing recruitment and facilitation of parent education groups and home visits. In order to better serve the community, the MCH program is involved with ongoing support for breastfeeding mothers, partnering with the elementary school, Head Start and Child Care, and increased coordination with Indian Health Service.</p> | <p><b>FTF Staff Recommendation:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Renewal is recommended</li> </ul> <p><b>Renewal Amount:</b><br/><b>\$106,713</b></p> |

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| <p><b>Food Assistance and Nutrition Education</b></p> | <p><b>Organization awarded:</b><br/> <u>Hualapai Tribe Health Department</u></p> <p><b>FY2010 Award Amount:</b> none<br/> <b>FY2011 Award Amount: \$2,499</b></p> <p><b>Brief Program Description:</b> To ensure that all guardians will have access to infant formula. This program will be offered to children in the Hualapai community who are newborn to one year of age. The program will ensure the promotion of breastfeeding while also making infant formula available.</p> | <p><b>Original contract started February 1, 2011.</b><br/> The implementation of this program has just begun, and targets are expected to be met.</p>  | <p><b>FTF Staff Recommendation:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Renewal is recommended</li> </ul> <p><b>Renewal Amount:</b><br/> <b>\$2,499</b></p> |
| <p><b>Food Assistance and Nutrition Education</b></p> | <p><b>Organization awarded:</b><br/> <u>St. Mary's Food Bank Alliance</u></p> <p><b>FY2010 Award Amount:</b> none<br/> <b>FY2011 Award Amount: \$5,831</b></p> <p><b>Brief Program Description:</b> The Emergency Food Assistance Program makes available a three day supply of nutritionally balanced food for families, with children birth through age five, in need.</p>  | <p><b>Original contract started November 1, 2010.</b><br/> Implementation targets for this program are currently being met. The program partners with the Hualapai Tribe Education and Training Department to distribute food to families in the Hualapai community. Since November of 2010, over 8,000 pounds of food have been provided to the community's families with young children.</p> | <p><b>FTF Staff Recommendation:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Renewal is recommended</li> </ul> <p><b>Renewal Amount:</b><br/> <b>\$5,831</b></p> |