

Navajo Nation Regional Partnership Council

Goal Area	Strategy	Strategy Description	Total Funds Available	Service Provider (FTF Contractor)	Awarded Amount
Quality and Access	Quality First Scholarships	Provides scholarships to children to attend quality early care and education programs. Helps low-income families afford a better educational beginning for their children.	\$2,618,401	First Things First (FTF-Directed)	\$24,028
				Valley of the Sun United Way	\$1,694,906
	Quality First Coaching & Incentives	Expands the number of children who have access to high quality care and education, including learning materials that are developmentally appropriate, a curriculum focused on early literacy and teachers trained to work with infants, toddlers and preschoolers. Supports provided to early care and education centers and homes to improve the quality of programs, including: on-site coaching; program assessment; financial resources; teacher education scholarships; and consultants specializing in health and safety practices.		Valley of the Sun United Way	\$425,968
	Quality First Academy	Provides professional development to enhance high quality coaching, consultation and technical assistance practices across the early childhood system.		Southwest Human Development	\$23,500
Professional Development	Registry and College Scholarships	Both Statewide and Regional Funding are used. Statewide funding supports: 1. Administrative operation and implementation of the Registry and software customizations, and; 2. College tuition, cost of books, college fees, and education achievement bonus for early care and education professionals to achieve a Child Development Associate Credential (CDA) or Associate degree. Regional funding may support college tuition, cost of books, college fees, and education achievement bonus for early care and education professionals to achieve a Child Development Associate Credential (CDA) or Associate degree, and/or Bachelor's degree. Improves the professional skills of those providing care and education to children 5 and younger through a web-based system that enables early childhood professionals and those interested in a career in early education to: 1. Keep a record of their experience, education, professional development and credentials in a central location; 2. Apply for college scholarships and track their certificate/degree achievement, and; 3. Find and register for community-based professional development opportunities.	\$626,471	Arizona Board of Regents for and on Behalf of Arizona State University and its Eight - KAET, Arizona PBS	\$54,000
				Dine College	\$51,975
				Northland Pioneer College	\$327,650

	FTF Professional REWARDS	Improves retention of early care and education teachers through financial incentives. Keeps the best teachers with our youngest kids by rewarding longevity and continuous improvement of their skills.	Valley of the Sun United Way	\$40,500
Health				\$1,167,040
	QF Child Care Health Consultation	Provides qualified health professionals who assist child care providers in achieving high standards related to health and safety for the children in their care. Improves the health and safety of children in a variety of child care settings.	First Things First (FTF-Directed)	\$6,093
			Maricopa County Department of	\$1,486
			Navajo County Public Health	\$65,185
			Pima County Health Department	\$1,486
	Oral Health	Provides oral health screenings and fluoride varnish in a variety of community-based settings; provide training to families on the importance of oral health care for their children; and provide outreach to dentists to encourage service to children for a first dental visit by age one. Decreases preventable oral health problems in young children.	Navajo County Public Health Services District	\$405,828
Nutrition/Obesity/Physical Activity	Provides health education focused on obesity prevention to children, families and early care and education professionals. Improves the health and safety of young children by providing community-based health education on a variety of topics including: healthy food choices and appropriate physical activity.	Navajo County Public Health Services District	\$582,930	
Mental Health Consultation	Provides mental health consultation to teachers and caregivers, and other early childhood professionals. Helps early childhood program staff to support the social-emotional development of young children.	Southwest Human Development	\$104,032	
Family Support				\$1,489,966
	Parenting Outreach and Awareness	Provides families with education, materials and connections to resources and activities that promote healthy development and school readiness. Improves child development by educating parents and connecting them to resources and activities that promote healthy growth and school readiness.	American Academy of Pediatrics - AZ Chapter	\$72,589
	Home Visitation	Provides voluntary in-home services for infants, children and their families, focusing on parenting skills, early physical and social	Chicanos Por La Causa Parenting	\$389,966
	Food Security	Distribute food boxes and basic necessity items to families in need of assistance who have children birth to 5 years old. Improves the	Navajo Nation Department of Dine	\$770,000
St. Jude Food Bank			\$90,000	
Evaluation				\$199,085
	Statewide Evaluation	Statewide evaluation includes the studies and evaluation work which inform the FTF Board and the 28 Regional Partnership Councils, examples are baseline Needs and Assets reports, specific focused studies, and statewide research and evaluation on the developing early childhood system. -.	First Things First (FTF-Directed)	\$199,085

Community Awareness			\$178,000	
Media	Increases public awareness of the importance of early childhood development and health via a media campaign that draws viewers/listeners to the ReadyAZKids.com web site. -.	First Things First (FTF-Directed)	\$65,000	
Community Outreach	Provides grassroots support and engagement to increase parent and community awareness of the importance of early childhood development and health. .	First Things First (FTF-Directed)	\$83,000	
Community Awareness	Uses a variety of community-based activities and materials to increase public awareness of the critical importance of early childhood development and health so that all Arizonans are actively engaged in supporting young kids in their communities. -.	First Things First (FTF-Directed)	\$30,000	