

**Northwest Maricopa Regional Partnership Council**

Goal Area	Strategy	Strategy Description	Total Funds Available	Service Provider (FTF Contractor)	Awarded Amount
Quality and Access			<b>\$5,844,267</b>		
	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.		First Things First (FTF-Directed)	\$43,921
				Valley of the Sun United Way	\$4,641,323
	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	\$1,079,123
	Quality First Academy	Provides professional development to enhance high quality coaching, consultation and technical assistance practices across the early childhood system.		Southwest Human Development	\$79,900
Professional			<b>\$311,650</b>		

<b>Development</b>	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.	Arizona Board of Regents for and on Behalf of Arizona State University and its Eight - KAET, Arizona PBS	\$64,800
	Recruitment into Field	Recruit new early care and education professionals by offering scholarships for higher education. Improves the quality of early child care and education by expanding access to training and offering career counseling to potential early education workers.	Deer Valley Unified School District	\$50,000
			Glendale Union High School District	\$25,000
			Peoria Unified School District	\$130,000
<b>Health</b>			<b>\$1,344,377</b>	
<b>Health</b>	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.	Maricopa County Department of Public Health	\$375,000
	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	\$403,887

	Family Support – Children with Special Needs	Provides coaching, group activities and services to the parents of children with special needs. Services are designed to help their child reach his/her fullest potential. Improves the education and health of children with special needs who don't qualify for publicly funded early intervention programs.	Child and Family Resources Inc.	\$200,000
	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)	\$13,580
			Maricopa County Department of Public Health	\$148,598
			Pima County Health Department	\$3,312
Care Coordination/Medical Home	Provides children and their families with effective case management, and connect them to appropriate, coordinated health care. Improves children's health care and future development by ensuring they have a regular source of care.	Maricopa Integrated Health System	\$199,916	
<b>Family Support</b>			<b>\$1,775,000</b>	
	Parenting Education	Provides classes on parenting, child development and problem-solving skills. Strengthens families with young children by providing voluntary classes in community-based settings.	Chicanos Por La Causa Parenting Arizona	\$100,000
			Teen Outreach Pregnancy Services	\$200,000
Home Visitation	Provides voluntary in-home services for infants, children and their families, focusing on parenting skills, early physical and social development, literacy, health and nutrition. Connect families to resources to support their child's health and early learning. Gives young children stronger, more supportive relationships with their parents through in-home services on a variety of topics, including parenting skills, early childhood development, literacy, etc. Connects parents with community resources to help them better support their child's health and early learning.	Child and Family Resources Inc.	\$500,000	

	Family Resource Centers	Provides local resource centers that offer training and educational opportunities, resources, and links to other services for healthy child development. Strengthens families of young children by providing locally-based information and instruction on health and child development issues.	Deer Valley Unified School District	\$100,000
			Maricopa County School District 40 Glendale Elementary School District	\$200,000
			Pendergast Elementary School District	\$100,000
			Peoria Unified School District	\$100,000
			Sun City Area Interfaith Services, Inc. dba Benevilla	\$475,000
<b>Evaluation</b>			<b>\$544,878</b>	
	Statewide Evaluation	Statewide evaluation includes the studies and evaluation work which inform the FTF Board and the 31 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)	\$544,878
<b>Coordination</b>			<b>\$175,000</b>	
	Service Coordination	Through coordination and collaboration efforts, improves and streamlines processes including applications, service qualifications, service delivery and follow-up for families with young children. Reduces confusion and duplication for service providers and families. . Strengthens and improves the coordination of services and programs for children 5 and younger.	First Things First (FTF-Directed)	\$58,583
			Maricopa County Department of Public Health	\$16,667
			Southwest Human Development	\$99,750
<b>Community Awareness</b>			<b>\$173,000</b>	
	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)	\$50,000
	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)	\$40,000