

**GRANT ANALYSIS FORM  
OPERATING & CAPITAL GRANT PROJECTS/PROGRAMS**

Department/Division: Health Department/ Maternal and Child Division

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Category of Request	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> New Grant	
<input type="checkbox"/> Grant Continuation	Previous Council File No.
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Project/Program Title: Child Care Preventative Health Services

Grantor Agency: Department of Workforce Development through Milwaukee Public Schools (MPS)

Grant Application Date: 12/01/05

Anticipated Award Date: 03/01/06

Please provide the following information:

**1. Description of Grant Project/Program (Include Target Locations and Populations):**

Health and Safety in Child Care Program (HSCC) is a program that provides health and safety trainings to early childhood care providers serving children ages 0-5 years old. The Milwaukee Public Schools (MPS) is providing funding to the Milwaukee Health Department to provide preventative health services to high-risk, low-income children and their families through childcare programs in a 6-zip-code target area that is disproportionately affected by health problems that compromise child health and development and school readiness. The zip code areas included are 53209, 53216, 53224, 53225, 53206, and 53210. HSCC Program will deploy a Public Health Nurse to serve as a childcare health consultant to provide four levels of intervention: (1) health and safety consultation to family childcare providers, (2) parent education and support around health and school readiness, (3) direct health services to include child health assessments and screenings, and (4) advocacy in partnership with the Early Childhood Council of Milwaukee. Specific activities include training; policy development; health services; environmental remediation; health and safety consultation to childcare staff, families and children; and collaboration with other early education agencies in Milwaukee. The Program works with child care centers in Milwaukee, mainly family licensed and Milwaukee County certified child care providers. For family child care providers to be successful, they must assure a home environment that supports optimal child development.

**2. Relationship to City-wide Strategic Goals and Departmental Objectives:**

The HSCC program aligns with the MHD Maternal and Child Health Division's goal of children ages birth to age 5 are healthy, up to date with immunizations, and are ready to attend school. HSCC is committed to strengthening the connection between the health community and the early childhood community, thus establishing its ultimate goal of promoting the optimal health and well being of children in child care in order for future success in school.

**3. Need for Grant Funds and Impact on Other Departmental Operations (Applies only to Programs):**

The assessment of health, well-being, and immunizations of children has been difficult for MHD. Public health staff has been successful in reaching young children through their natural learning environments, early child care programs. The grant funds will extend the MHD's ability to provide training and consultation to high risk children in child care. Early intervention related to lead poisoning, immunizations, review of children vision and developmental screening, and environmental hazards will promote health and school readiness of preschool children.

**4. Results Measurement/Progress Report (Applies only to Programs):**

- a. Report the # of attendees at trainings, and evaluations from post tests from attendees.
- b. Report the # of hours of health consultation, and the topic of the health consultation and conduct satisfaction services for project services.
- c. HSCCP will reach between 80-100 child care programs in the identified high risk zip code area in the city of Milwaukee providing immunizations assessments for children in child care, TB skin tests for child care staff, linkages to medical assistance, dissemination of health information and resources, asthma training for staff, and asthma care plans for children, and communicable disease prevention and technical assistance.

**5. Grant Period, Timetable and Program Phase-out Plan:**

November 2005-September 30<sup>th</sup>, 2006

**6. Provide a List of Subgrantees:**

None

**7. If Possible, Complete Grant Budget Form and Attach to Back.**