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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Administration for Children and Families**

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**Announcement of the Award of 43 Single-Source Low-Cost Extension Supplement Grants within the Office of Refugee Resettlement's Unaccompanied Alien Children's (UAC) Program**

**AGENCY:** Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR), Administration for Children and Families (ACF), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

**ACTION:** Notice of award of 43 single-source low-cost extension supplement grants under the Unaccompanied Alien Children's (UAC) Program.

**SUMMARY:** ACF, ORR, announces the award of 43 single-source low-cost extension supplement grants for a total of \$34,847,803 under the Unaccompanied Alien Children's (UAC) Program.

**DATES:** Low-cost extension supplement grants will support activities from January 1, 2017 through January 31, 2017.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The following supplement grants will support the immediate need for additional capacity of shelter services to accommodate the

increasing number of UACs referred by DHS into ORR care. The increase in the UAC population necessitates the need for expansion of services to expedite the release of UAC. In order to be prepared for an increase in referrals for shelter and post release/ home studies services, ORR will solicit proposals from forty three grantees to accommodate the extensive amount of referrals from DHS.

Location	Grantee	Amount
U.S. Multi-City	BCFS Health and Human Services	\$1,145,366.00
U.S. Multi-City	Southwest Key, Inc.	\$349,114.00
U.S. Multi-City	United States Conference of Catholic Bishops	\$238,188.00
U.S. Multi-City	Crittenton	\$100,522.00
	Children's Village	\$96,438.00
U.S. Multi-City	MercyFirst	\$41,171.00
U.S. Multi-City	United States Committee for Refugee and Immigrants	\$530,760.00
U.S. Multi-City	His House, Inc.	\$24,414
U.S. Multi-City	Heartland	\$111,211.00
U.S. Multi-City	Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Service	\$270,959.00
Staunton, VA	Shenandoah	\$330,255.00
Lincolndale, NY	Lincoln Hall	\$1,280,435.00
San Antonio, TX	St. Peter-St. Joseph Children's Home	\$574,485.00
Corpus Christi, TX	Upbring	\$216,543.00
Chicago, IL	Heartland Human Care, Inc.	\$3,169,960.00
National	United States Conference of Catholic Bishops	\$507,397.00
Mesa, AZ	A New Leaf	\$248,248.00
La Verne, CA	David & Margaret	\$518,699.00
Fullerton, CA	Florence Crittenton	\$1,017,271.00
Manvel, TX	Shiloh	\$429,079.00
Houston, TX	Catholic Charities Houston-Galveston	\$563,040.00
Miami, FL	His House	\$742,246.00
Corpus Christi, TX	Upbring	\$2,004,628
U.S. Multi-City	BCFS Health and Human Services (102)	\$8,156,483.00
National	Lutheran Immigration and Refugee Service	\$1,450,002.00
Seattle, WA	Youth Care	\$129,580.00
Portland, OR	Morrison Child and Family Services	\$883,727.00

Phoenix, AZ	Tumbleweed Child and Family Services	\$177,104.00
Philadelphia, PA	KidsPeace	\$875,670.00
San Antonio, TX	BCFS Health and Human Services (110)	\$159,870.00
San Antonio, TX	Seton Home	\$275,474.00
Fairfield, CA	BCFS Health and Human Services (112)	\$316,623.00
Bristow, VA	Youth for Tomorrow	\$1,005,950.00
Woodland, CA	Yolo County	\$235,636.00
Miami, FL	Catholic Charities Boystown	\$442,406.00
San Antonio, TX	BCFS Health and Human Services (116)	\$1,018,000.00
Bronx, NY	Cardinal McCloskey	\$148,056.00
Syosset, NY	Mercy First	\$515,025.00
Kingston, NY	Children's Home of Kingston	\$146,681.00
New York, NY	Lutheran Social Services of Metropolitan New York	\$369,231.00
New York, NY	Cayuga Home for Children DBA Cayuga Centers	\$2,703,131.00
New York, NY	Catholic Guardian Services	\$560,869.00
Yonkers, NY	Leake and Watts Services, Inc.	\$767,856.00

ORR has specific requirements for the provision of services. Award recipients must have the infrastructure, licensing, experience, and appropriate level of trained staff to meet those requirements. The expansion of the existing shelter services and post-release/ home studies programs through this supplemental award is a key strategy for ORR to be prepared to meet its responsibility of safe and timely release of Unaccompanied Alien Children referred to its care by DHS and to provide services for vulnerable youth post release. This will allow the US Border Patrol to continue its vital national security mission to prevent illegal migration, trafficking, and protect the borders of the United States.

**Statutory Authority:** This program is authorized by –

(A) Section 462 of the Homeland Security Act of 2002, which in March 2003, transferred responsibility for the care and custody of Unaccompanied Alien Children from the Commissioner of the former Immigration and Naturalization Service (INS) to the Director of ORR of the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

(B) The Flores Settlement Agreement, Case No. CV85-4544RJK (C. D. Cal. 1996), as well as the William Wilberforce Trafficking Victims Protection Reauthorization Act of 2008 (Pub. L. 110-457), which authorizes post release services under certain conditions to eligible children. All programs must comply with the Flores Settlement Agreement, Case No. CV85-4544-RJK (C.D. Cal. 1996), pertinent regulations and ORR policies and procedures.

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