

SFY 2009-2011

Training and Technical Assistance Proposal

Agency	7/1/09-6/30/10	7/1/10-6/30/11	Purpose
Child Care Information Center	\$120,000	\$120,000	<p>CCIC is a mail-order lending library and information clearinghouse serving anyone in Wisconsin working in the field of child care and early childhood education. CCIC offers:</p> <p>Free brochures, tip sheets and magazine article reprints and the CCIC Newsletter are mailed automatically to all licensed child care centers in Wisconsin.</p> <p>Books, CDs and videos are available to borrow for problem-solving, continuing education, mentoring, in-service programs, workshops and classes. Customized learning packets on topics requested.</p> <p>Books available to purchase include: <i>Wisconsin Model Early Learning Standards</i> and <i>Family Child Care Handbook</i>.</p>
The Registry	\$140,000	\$140,000	<p>Assure accuracy and real-time availability of verified educational qualifications of the child care workforce and link this data with the Wisconsin Department of Children and Families.</p> <p>Add additional demographic information on individual early care and education direct care providers, through the increased use and update of the Center Program Profile Form. Offer an enhanced on-line application processes. Encourage full workforce participation on the Registry Career Ladder.</p> <p>Promote, support and encourage child care workers to complete credit based instruction through professional development planning. Identify training opportunities available to advance professional development of the workforce.</p> <p>Continue to support and promote the Professional Development Approval System (PDAS) through information sharing, and training opportunities to ensure Approved Trainers and Approved Technical Consultants are available statewide. Continue enhancement of the automated system to collect data and create usable, real-time reports that reflect Wisconsin specific information. Continue to work collaboratively and supportively with other interested statewide agencies and interested stakeholders.</p>

SFTA – Technical Assistance	\$150,000	\$150,000	TA to support child care programs working towards improving quality including: Quality improvement observation and follow up quality improvement planning. Curriculum and Assessment practices. Professional Practices. Learning Environments.
SFTA – Staff Training and Reliability	\$50,000	\$50,000	Selection and development of a pool of SFTA Staff reliability in Environmental Rating Scale Observation. Specific ECERS/ITERS/FDCERS Tool Training, and follow-up necessary to demonstrate across state reliability and validity.
SFTA – QI grants/resources	\$61,000	\$61,000	Quality improvement grant fund to support programs that successfully complete identified quality improvement efforts supported by SFTA T/TA.
SFTA – Tribal	\$40,000	\$40,000	This project is responsible for improving the quality of Tribal Child Care Programs in Wisconsin and increasing collaboration among Tribal Child Care, Tribal Head Start, and Wisconsin Head Start programs. The project is funded through a subcontract between the SFTA and Northwest Connections Family Resources in Hayward.
SFTA – WMELS	\$50,000	\$50,000	Facilitation and/or delivery of WMELS training opportunities and CSEFEL training opportunities, including follow-up technical assistance support to training participants, including coaching, mentoring and modeling.
Total	\$611,000	\$611,000	