# Dear Senator/Representative:

The Child Care and Early Learning Coalition urges you to ensure that FY 2011 appropriations are sufficient for the Child Care and Development Block Grant (CCDBG), Head Start, and Early Head Start so that 300,000 children do not lose these vital supports. We also urge you to support early intervention programs for infants, toddler and preschool-age children and to initiate the Early Learning Challenge Fund to encourage states to strengthen their early learning systems.

This will help us build a smarter, healthier, and stronger America. Together, these key programs enable low-income parents to afford the reliable child care they need to work and provide at-risk children with the early learning experiences they need for success in school and life.

Investing in early childhood education is a cost-effective strategy—even when trying to reduce the budget deficit. Deficit reduction will come only from wiser investment of public dollars. Starting early is a wise choice. Data consistently show that one of the most effective strategies for economic growth is investing in the developmental growth of at-risk children. Short-term costs are more than offset by the immediate and long-term benefits through reduction in the need for special education and remediation, better health outcomes, reduced need for social services, lower criminal justice costs, and increased self-sufficiency and productivity among families.

America can make social and economic progress with early learning programs, but only if those programs reach the growing number of low-income children. Today, only one in six eligible children receive child care assistance. Only four percent of eligible infants and toddlers participate in Early Head Start and less than half of eligible preschool-age children access the comprehensive supports of Head Start. Demand far outstrips funding. We cannot move forward as a country if we move backward in our current funding for these economically effective programs.

Maintaining funding currently available to states and communities for these important investments keeps parents working, children learning, and the economy moving. We urge you to strongly support America's commitment to the Child Care and Development Block Grant, Head Start and Early Head Start, as well as early intervention programs for infants, toddlers and preschool-age children, and establishment of an Early Learning Challenge Fund.

Sincerely,

# **National Organizations**

9to5, National Association of Working Women
American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees
American Humane Association
Center for Community Self-Help
Cherokee Nation
Children's Defense Fund
Child Welfare League of America
CLASP
Coalition on Human Needs
Community Action Partnership
Council for Exceptional Children

Division for Early Childhood of the Council for Exceptional Children (DEC)

Early Care and Education Consortium

Easter Seals

First Five Years Fund

First Focus Campaign for Children

Generations United

HighScope Educational Research Foundation

Horizons for Homeless Children

IDEA Infant Toddler Coordinators Association (ITCA)

Jewish Council for Public Affairs

Jumpstart for Young Children, Inc.

Knowledge Universe/KinderCare Learning Centers

Learning Care Group

Leviticus 25:23 Alternative Fund, Inc.

**Local Initiatives Support Corporation** 

Low Income Investment Fund

MomsRising

Ms. Foundation for Women

National Association for Child Care and Resource and Referral Agencies

National Association for Family Child Care

National Association for Regulatory Administration (NARA)

National Association of Child Care Resource & Referral Agencies

National Association of Early Childhood Specialists in State Departments of Education (NAECS-SDE)

National Association of Mothers' Centers

National Association of Social Workers

National Association of the Education for Young Children

National Black Child Development Institute

National Children's Facilities Network

National Council of Jewish Women

National Council of La Raza

National Head Start Association

National Migrant and Seasonal Head Start Association

National Organization for Women

National PTA

National Women's Law Center

NETWORK: A National Catholic Social Justice Lobby

Nonprofit Finance Fund

Pre-K Now

**RESULTS** 

Service Employees International Union

United Way Worldwide

Teaching Strategies, Inc.

Voices for America's Children

Wider Opportunities for Women

YMCA of the USA

YWCA USA

ZERO TO THREE

# **State and Local Organizations**

## Alabama

Children's Policy Council of Jefferson County Jefferson County Committee for Economic Opportunity

Jefferson County Department of Human

Resources

Johnson's Early Care & Education Lowndes County Success by 6

Oakwood University Child Development Lab

Open Door Resource Center
UAB Early Head Start Program
United Way of Central Alabama
Voices for Alabama's Children
YWCA Central Alabama

#### Alaska

Association for the Education of Young Children – Southeast Alaska Catholic Community Services – Juneau Child Care Assistance Program United Way of Anchorage

#### Arizona

Arizona Association for the Education of Young Children

Arizona Child Care Association Arizona Head Start Association

Arizona PTA

Association for Supportive Child Care

Center for Human Potential Child & Family Resources Foundation of Empowerment IDEA 619 Consortium

Maricopa County Head Start / Early Head Start

Parker Indian Health Service

Protecting Arizona's Family Coalition (PAFCO)

Queens Cakes Sunrise Preschools

United Food and Commercial Workers Union

Local 99

#### Arkansas

Arkansas Advocates for Children & Families

Arkansas Head Start Association Arkansas State HIPPY Program

Arkansas State University Childhood Services

Central's Center for Children Child Development, Inc.

Global Academy

Little Angels Child Care Newport Preschool Program

School of the 21st Century - Paragould School

District

Southside Preschool Southside School District

University of Arkansas Community College at

Batesville

## California

24 Hour Oakland Parent Teacher Children

Center

4C's of Alameda County

619 Leadership 9to5 Bay Area 9to5 Los Angeles

Alameda County Child Care Planning Council Avant-Garde Foster and Adoption Agency, Inc.

BANANAS. Inc.

Bay Area Hispano Institute for Advancement,

Inc. (BAHIA Inc.)

Beach Cities Association for the Education of

Young Children

Black Child Development Institute Sacramento

Bunker Child Care

California Association for the Education of

Young Children

California Child Care Resource & Referral

Network

California Family Child Care Home Education

Network Association

California Head Start Association

California State LULAC

Child Action, Inc.

Child Care Coordinating Council of San Mateo

County, Inc. Child Care Links Children Now

Children's Council of San Francisco

Children's Hospital & Research Center Oakland

Citrus College District

Clearinghouse on Women's Issues

Community Action Partnership of San Luis

Obispo County, Inc.

Community Child Care Council of Sonoma

County

Conejo Valley Neighborhood for Learning

Creative Child Care, Inc.

Damore, Hamric & Schneider, Inc. CPAs

Del Norte Child Care Council Escuela de la Raza Unida First 5 LA

Gateway to Quality, San Francisco State

University

International Institute of Los Angeles

Jewish Family and Children's Services of the

Eastbay

Kings Community Action Organization

League of Women Voters of the Eden Area

Ledden Consulting Services

Lemay Street Early Education Center

Liaisons USA

Lotus Tribe

Merced County Office of Education

My Space to Grow Child Development Center

National Council of Jewish Women, California

North Bay Association for the Education of

Young Children

Novato Unified School District

Oakland Ready to Learn

Pacific Oaks College

Parent Voices

Parent Voices El Dorado County

Pathways LA

Pediatric Therapy Network

Philippine News

Preschool California

Push It Forward – Women's Funding Network

Regis Family Child Care RESULTS Orange County

Rose Foundation for Communities & the

Environment

Saint Vincent's Day Home

Santa Barbara Family Care Center

St. Mary's Center Preschool

Teremok Preschool

The Arc of Alameda County/First Step

Children's Center

The Tireless Tutor

Through the Looking Glass

**United Teachers Los Angeles** 

United Way of Monterey County

United Way of San Luis Obispo County

United Way of Santa Cruz County

**United Way River Cities** 

United Way Silicon Valley

United Ways of California

Vandenberg Airforce Base Child Development

Center

Ventura County Coordinator CAWA

WestEd Center for Child & Family Studies

Westside Children's Center

Wu Yee Children's Services

Ya-Ka-Ama Indian Education and Development,

Inc

#### Colorado

9to5 Colorado

Akron Head Start

All Families Deserve a Chance Coalition

Avery Parsons Early Childhood Program

Bradford Early Education

Center for Work Education and Employment

(CWEE)

Center Head Start

City of Lakewood Head Start

Colorado Association for the Education of

Young Children

Colorado Head Start Association

Colorado Organization for Latina Opportunity

and Reproductive Rights

Colorado Statewide Parent Coalition

**Denver Human Services** 

Denver's Great Kids Head Start

Early Childhood Education Association of

Colorado

Family Star Montessori Early Head Start

Jewish Family Service of Colorado

Lake County School District Head Start

Montelores Early Childhood Council

National Council of Jewish Women Colorado

Pikes Peak United Way

Rio Grande Child Development and Family

Services- Del Norte, Head Start

Salida Early Childhood Center

Salida School District

The Women and Family Action Network

Coalition

Women's Lobby of Colorado

# Connecticut

All Our Kin, Inc.

Asnuntuck Community College – Early

Childhood Education

Child & Family Agency of Southeastern

Connecticut

Children First Norwich/School Readiness

Council

Connecticut Association for Human Services

Connecticut Association for the Education of

Young Children

Connecticut Early Childhood Alliance

**Connecticut Parent Power** 

Connecticut Voices for Children

Consolidated School District of New Britain

**Danbury Public Schools** 

Derby Day Care Center, Inc.

**Education Connection** 

Family Services of Greater Waterbury, Inc.

Gesell Institute of Human Development

Greater Bridgeport Director's Group

Hampton Elementary School

Middlesex Coalition for Children

Middletown School Readiness Council

National Council of Jewish Women -

Connecticut

Norwalk Economic Opportunity Now, Inc.

Poor People's Alliance

Red Gem Educational Services

Read To Grow

**RESULTS Hartford** 

Riverfront Children's Center

Saugatuck Outreach Nutrition Program

The Diaper Bank

Torrington Early Childhood Collaborative

Wallingford Community Day Care Center, Inc.

YWCA Hartford Region

YWCA New Britain

# **Delaware**

Delaware Association for the Education of

Young Children

Kid's Dominion Family Child Care

Lil'Ankle Biters Day Care

## Florida

Academy of Learning, Inc.

Association of Early Learning Coalitions

Beautiful Beginnings Preschool

Betton Hills Preparatory School

Broward Association for the Education of

Young Children

Children of the World Preschool

Children's Forum, Inc.

Coordinated Child Care of Pinellas

**Destiny Institute** 

Early Learning Coalition Miami-Dade/Monroe

Early Learning Coalition of Duval

Early Learning Coalition of St. Lucie County

ECA of Sarasota

Fearnside Family Services Center

First Baptist Preschool

First Christian Church Day School

First Church Preschool

Florida Association for the Education of Young

Children

Florida Head Start Association

Future Stars Academy

Great Explorations Children's Museum

Mailman Segal Institute, Nova Southeastern

University

One World Learning Center, Inc.

Osceola County School District

Peppercorn Foundation

ReThink and ReUse Center

RoseSoul Tribe

Sarasota Memorial Health Care System Child

Care

St. Andrew Christian Academy

St. James Children's Center

The Farmworker Association of Florida, Inc.

The Hutton Group, Inc.

United Way of Florida, Inc.

United Way of Miami-Dade County

West Jupiter Community Group

# Georgia

9to5 Atlanta Working Women

**Babies Are Tuff** 

Childcare Network

Communities of Coastal Georgia Foundation

Community Partnership of Elbert County, Inc.

DeKalb County Child Advocacy Center

**DEW Consultants** 

Easter Seals North Georgia

GEEARS: Georgia Early Education Alliance for

Ready Students

Georgia Association on Young Children

Georgia Child Care Association

Georgia Head Start Association

Interfaith Children's Movement

Love Thy Neighbors

National Association of Social Workers –

Georgia

Quality Care for Children

Pinkston & Associates

Prevent Child Abuse Gordon County, Inc.

**Providence Community Corrections** 

Refugee Family Services

Sheltering Arms Early Education & Family

Centers

Trinity J and D, LLC

Voices for Georgia's Children

## Hawaii

Childcare Business Coalition of Hawaii Hawaii Association for the Education of Young Children

Head Start Association of Hawaii and the Outer Pacific

Institute for Native Pacific Education and Culture (INPEACE)

KCAA Preschools of Hawaii

#### Idaho

Idaho Association for the Education of Young Children Idaho Head Start Association

North Idaho Association for the Education of Young Children

**RESULTS** Boise

# Illinois

4-C: Community Coordinated Child Care A Special Place 2 Stay Family Care Center Bethel New Life Inc. - RightStart for Families

Beth Osten and Associates

Chicago Commission on Human Relations

Chicago Commons-Nia Family Center

Chicago Family Health Center

Child Care Resource & Referral

Children's Home and Aid Illinois

Educare of West DuPage

Family Focus Aurora

Illinois Action for Children

Illinois Association for the Education of Young

Illinois Maternal and Child Health Coalition

Illinois State Public Affairs Committee, National

Council of Jewish Women

James Monroe PTA

Lutheran Social Services of Illinois

Ounce of Prevention Fund

Prevent Child Abuse Illinois

Project IRENE

Sargent Shriver National Center on Poverty Law

SGA Youth & Family Services

St. Vincent de Paul Center

St. Vincent De Paul Day Care Center

The Danville Area United Way

Voices for Illinois Children

Women Employed

Woodridge School District 68

YMCA of the USA

## Indiana

Child Care Answers

East Wayne Street Center Head Start

Indiana Association for the Education of Young

Children

Indiana Association of United Ways

Monroe County Government

Prevent Child Abuse of Delaware County

St. Paul Brightwood UMC

The Child Care Consortium, Inc.

TMC - Migrant/Seasonal Head Start

United Way of Monroe County

#### Iowa

AFSCME/CCPT Local 1212

Child and Family Policy Center

Des Moines Area Community College

Des Moines RESULTS

Iowa Association for the Education of Young

Children

Iowa City Area NOW

Planned Parenthood of Southeast Iowa

Siouxland Human Investment Partnership

Tri-County Child and Family Development

Council, Inc.

United Way of Central Iowa

Upper Des Moines Opportunity, Inc.

## **Kansas**

Child Care Aware of Kansas

Johnson County Health Department

Kansas Association for the Education of Young

Children

Kansas Head Start Association

**RESULTS Lindsborg** 

**RESULTS Salina** 

Shawnee Mission School District Parents as

Teachers

The Family Conservancy

# Kentucky

Child Care Council of Kentucky

Children, Inc.

Community Coordinated Child Care

Eastern Kentucky Child Care Coalition

Family Place

Kentucky Youth Advocates

Metro United Wav

United Way of Greater Cincinnati

Warren County Public Preschool

# Louisiana

Acadian House

Alpha Lifelong Learning Center Centerpoint Community Services Community Bible Baptist Church

Family & Youth

Happy Kids Preschool

Kids of Excellence Child Development

Kingsley House

Lincoln Parish Schools Title I Family Resource Center

Louisiana Association for the Education of

Young Children

Louisiana Association of United Ways

Louisiana Partnership for Children and Families

Providence House

South Central Louisiana Human Services

The Center for Children and Families, Inc.

Union General Hospital

United Way of Acadiana

United Way of the Greater New Orleans Area

Success by 6

University of Louisiana at Monroe (ULM)

Family Matters

#### Maine

Androscoggin Head Start and Child Care

Eastern Maine Community College

Every Child Matters in Maine

Maine ACCESS

Maine Alliance for Children's Care, Education

and Supporting Services (ACCESS)

Maine Association for the Education of Young

Children

Maine Child Care Resource Development

Centers

Maine Children's Alliance

New England Consortium Regional Poverty

Reduction Initiative

Solutions Consulting Group, LLC

United Way of Mid-Maine

United Way of Oxford County

# Maryland

AIP Child Care Center

Baltimore City Child Care Resource Center

BJ's Playhouse Day Care

Carroll County Family Child Care Association

Charles County Family Day Care Association

Donna's Child Care

Family Care Resources

Family Child Care Association of Frederick

County

Family Child Care Association Montgomery

County

Howard County Family Child Care Association

Maryland Association for the Education of

Young Children

Maryland State Family Child Care Association

Maryland Family Network

Maryland School Age Child Care Alliance

Maryland State Family Child Care Association

Montgomery County Collaboration Council for

Children, Youth and Families

Ms. Sandy's Child Care

Prince George's Child Resource Center

Prince George's County Family Child Care, Inc.

Professional Child Care Association of

**Washington County** 

Queen Anne's County Childcare Association

**SMCPS** Judy Centers

United Way of Washington County

# Massachusetts

Acre Family Child Care

Ashburnham-Westminster Extended Day

Program

Associated Early Care and Education

Baird Associates, Inc.

Bessie Tartt Wilson Initiative for Children

Beverly Children's Learning Center, Inc.

Bradshaw Children's Learning Program

Cape Cod Children's Place, Inc.

Child Care Resource Center, Inc.

Children's Garden Nursery School, Inc.

Children's HealthWatch

Children's Investment Fund

Child Tools Consulting

Community Teamwork, Inc.

Early Childhood Centers of Greater Springfield

Inc.

Florence Sawyer School - Emerson Preschool

Kids Unlimited Services Inc.

Messiah Lutheran Preschool

MOC Head Start

Nashoba Regional School District

Nashoba Regional School District Community

Partnership for Children

NorthStar Learning Centers, Inc.

Pathways for Children

ReadBoston

The Kathy Herward Child Care Center

Thrive in 5 Boston

United Way of Central Massachusetts

Viet-AID Au Co Preschool

Worcester Comprehensive Education and Care

# Michigan

City of Manistee Housing Commission

**Detroit RESULTS** 

Early Childhood Investment Corporation Great Start Collaborative -Wayne County

Kent Regional 4C

**Linden Community Schools** 

Metro Detroit Special Education/Needs PTA

Michigan's Children

Muskegon Community College

**Southwest Solutions** 

**Stein Associates Consulting** 

**Teen Parent Services** 

United Way of Genesee

United Way of Washtenaw County

ValueOptions

Voices for Michigan's Children

Wayne Children's Healthcare Access Program

Zabeth's Fine Art and Graphic Design

### Minnesota

9to5 Milwaukee

A Child's Delight Too, Inc.

**Anoka County Community Action Programs** 

(ACCAP) Head Start Arrowhead Head Start Child Care WORKS

Children's Discovery Academy

Children's Home Society & Family Services

Close To Home Inc.

Corder's Pee Wee Child Care

First Children's Finance

Forever Young Childcare Learning Center

Holding Hands Childcare

Humphrey Institute of Public Affairs; Minnesota

Department of Education

Kinderberry Hill Child Development Centers

Learning Care Group

Litchfield Public Schools EC Programs

Little Folks Daycare, Inc.

Loving Arms Child Care Center

Mahube Community Council, Inc.

Midwest Supervised Visitation

Minnesota Association for the Education of

Young Children

Minnesota Child Care Association (MCCA)

Minnesota Child Care Resource and Referral

Network

Minnesota Head Start Association, Inc.

Minnesota Library Association

Mt. Carmel Child Care Center

Natural Nurture Child Care

New Horizon Academy

Parents as Teachers Minnesota Regional Office

Ready 4 K

Resources for Child Care

**RESULTS Minnesota** 

Robbinsdale Area Schools Even Start Family

Literacy Program

St. Paul City School

The Family Partnership

TutorTime

United Way of Central Minnesota

What About the Baby?, LLC

Wonderland Learning Center

# Mississippi

Center for Education Innovation

Faye's Playhouse & Learning Center

Kiddie City Childcare & Learning Center

Kountry Kids Christian Academy

Hanging Moss Road Learning Center and

Preschool

Mississippi Center for Justice

Mississippi Department of Human Services

Mississippi Low Income Child Care Initiative

Mississippi State University Early Childhood

Institute

New Generation Childcare Center

Noah's Ark Daycare Center, Inc.

Partners for Quality Child Care

Play-School Childcare Center, Inc.

Reaching Rainbows Child Care

RTT Daycare Center

SPARK

Sunflower-Humphreys Counties Progress, Inc.

True Vine Christian Learning Center

United Way of Southeast Mississippi

Young World Learning Center

#### Missouri

Child Care Aware of Missouri

Child Day Care Association

Missouri Association for the Education of

Young Children

Region VII Head Start Association

St. Francois County Educare

United Way of Southeast Missouri United Way of Southwest Missouri & Southeast Kansas Success by 6 Vision for Children at Risk

#### Montana

Central Montana Head Start, Inc. Deer Lodge County Head Start F.A.I.R. Community Foundation Rosebud County Democrats Young Families Early Head Start

# Nebraska

All God's Children Child Care Answers4Families Blue Valley Community Action Building Bright Futures Early Childhood Services

**CEDARS Youth Services** 

Central Nebraska Community Services

Children's Respite Care Center

Child Saving Institute Cozad City Schools

Educare of Omaha

Educare of Omaha at Indian Hill

Educational Service Unit 10

Good Beginnings in Franklin County

Hastings Area Chamber of Commerce

Heartland CASA

Heartland Family Service

Heartland Genetics and Newborn Screening

Collaborative

Kelly's Kids

Little Lambs Daycare & Preschool, Inc.

Nared's PeeWee Palace

Nebraska Association for the Education of

Young Children

Nebraska Center for Healthy Families

Nebraska Children and Families Foundation

Nebraska Federation of Families for Children's

Mental Health

Nebraska Head Start Association Nebraska Statewide EITC Coalition

Northwest Community Action Partnership Head

Start

Provider's World Teach a Kid to Fish The Lozier Foundation

University of Nebraska at Kearney Child

Development Center

## Nevada

National Association for the Education of Young Children Nevada Head Start Association Nevada Head Start Collaboration and Early Childhood Systems Office

# New Hampshire

Ashburnham/Westminster Regional School District

Children's Alliance of New Hampshire

Every Child Matters in NH

New Hampshire Association for the Education

of Young Children

New Hampshire Community Loan Fund

NH Community Loan Fund

# **New Jersev**

Advocates for Children of New Jersey

AtlantiCare Kids

Catholic Charities, Diocese of Metuchen

Child & Family Resources New Jersey

Child Care Connection

Community Day Nursery

Egenolf Early Childhood Center

Essex-Hudson Association for the Education of

Young Children

Forever Young Child Care Learning Center

Innovations in Early Learning

Mi Casita Child Development Center, Inc.

New Jersey Association for the Education of

Young Children

New Jersey Community Capital

New Jersey Department of Children and

**Families** 

Paterson Public Schools

Plainfield Board of Education

Prevent Child Abuse-New Jersey

**PrincetonKIDS** 

Professional Impact New Jersey

RESULTS, Central NJ Domestic Chapter

Somerset Community Action Program

Tata's Kids Inc.

United Way of Passaic County

Women's Opportunity Center

## **New Mexico**

Doña Ana County Head Start

New Mexico Association for the Education of

Young Children

New Mexico Voices for Children

Serendipity Day School

Southern New Mexico Association for the

Education of Young Children

## **New York**

ACAP Inc. Head Start

Advocates for Children of New York

Agri-Business Child Development

Baxter Street Day Care Center

**BCDI-Mid Hudson Affiliate** 

**Bushwick IMPACT** 

Campus Fun and Learn Child Development

Center, Inc.

Catholic Charities of Buffalo

Chautauqua Opportunities Inc.

Child & Family Resources, Inc.

Child and Family Resources, Inc.

Child Care Council of Suffolk

Child Development Council

Child Care Council of Dutchess, Inc.

Child Care Council of Nassau, Inc.

Child Care Resources of Rockland, Inc.

Child Care Solutions

Child Development Council

Chinese American Planning Council, Inc.

Center for Children's Initiatives

Citizens' Committee for Children

Claire Heureuse Community Center, Inc.

Community Action Planning Council of

Jefferson County Inc.

Concerned Parents of Jamaica DCC

Concourse House Day Care Center

Creative Learning Center

Day Care Council of New York, Inc.

Early Care & Learning Council

Early Childhood Education Quality Council

ECE PolicyWorks

Family Enrichment Network, Inc.

Federation of Protestant Welfare Agencies

Graham Windham

Harlem Children's Zone

Head Start Sponsoring Board Council

Kindervelt Early Head Start

Leake and Watts Services, Inc.

Lenox Hill Neighborhood House

Lewis County Head Start

Local 1199 United Federation of Teachers

Mailman School of Public Health, Columbia

University

Mothers Empowered

New Life Child Development

New York State Association of Directors of Not-

For-Profit Child Day Care

Parsons Early Head Start

RESULTS of Western New York

**RESULTS Staten Island** 

Schuyler County Child Care Coordinating

Council

Seniors4Kids/EYI

Sonshine Child Development Center

Southern Adirondack Child Care Network

Sullivan County Child Care Council, Inc.

Syracuse Association for the Education of

Young Children

The Early Years Institute

The Children's Aid Society

Uniondale Early Childhood Center

United Way of Greater Rochester

Westchester Early Childhood Directors

Association

Women of Color Policy Network, NYU Wagner

YWCA NorthEastern New York

YWCA of Schenectady

YWCAs of the Northeast

#### **North Carolina**

Action for Children North Carolina

Avery County DSS

Be Healthy Ministries, Inc.

Buncombe Technical Community College

Child Care Resources Inc.

Child Care Services Association

Children & Family Resource Center

**DHHS-Division of Child Development** 

Durham's Partnership for Children

First United Methodist CDC

Guilford Child Development

Harnett County Partnership for Children

Lee County Partnership for Children

Mitchell County Dept of Social Services

North Carolina Association for the Education of

Young Children

North Carolina Partnership for Children

North Carolina Rural Economic Development

Center

Sylvan Learning Centers Eastern North Carolina

United Way of Wilkes

Wake County Human Services

Wilkes County Department of Social Services

Work Family Resource Center

# North Dakota

Children's Defense Fund - North Dakota Fight Crime: Invest in Kids - North Dakota North Dakota Association for the Education of Young Children North Dakota Head Start Association

#### **Northern Mariana Islands**

Dept. of Community and Cultural Affairs

## Ohio

Canton Area Association for the Education of Young Children Child Care Resource Center - Ohio Corporation for Ohio Appalachian Development

Early Childhood Resource Center Early Education and Care Consulting

Finance Fund

Hand In Hand

Help Me Grow Brighter Futures J. R. Coleman Family Services, Corp.

Ohio Association for the Education of Young

Ohio Child Care Resource and Referral

Association

Ohio Head Start Association

Ohio State University at Lima Department of Psychology

Personal and Family Counseling Services, Inc.

**RESULTS Columbus** 

The Early Childhood Quality Network United Way of Greater Cincinnati United Way of Greater Toledo **Visions Community Services** 

### Oklahoma

Cleveland Kiddie Corral Bright Beginnings Oklahoma Delaware Child Development

Early Childhood Association of Oklahoma Great Plains Youth & Family Services, Inc. Latino Community Development Agency

Oak Tree Academy

Oklahoma Institute for Child Advocacy

Ottawa Tribe of Oklahoma Potts Family Foundation Terry's Tots Daycare Center

Tulsa Community College Child Development

Wheat Capital Early Childhood Association

# Oregon

AFSCME Local 132 Children First for Oregon Confederated Tribes of Umatilla First Christian Church Eugene Head Start of Lane County Innovative Senior Care Oak Tree Academy

ONE Voice for Child Care Coalition of Oregon Oregon Association for the Education of Young Children

Oregon Head Start Association

Older Women's League

Pearl Buck Center

United Way of Greater Portland

Washington County Commission on Children & **Families** 

# Pennsylvania

Aa to Zz Child Care and Learning Center ABC Academy

Active Learning Centers Fogelsville

All Aboard Day Care& Learning Center

Allegheny Children's Initiative

Allegheny County Office of Community Service

Allegheny Intermediate Unit

Allegheny Lutheran Social Ministries Alliance for Infants and Toddlers Amy Pyshers Child Care Center

Armstrong County Community Action Agency

Head Start

Barb's Care-A-Lot

Beaver County Early Care & Education Council

Beechwood Elementary Pre-K

Berks County Intermediate Unit Pre-K Counts

Berwick Area United Way Blair County Head Start Brightside Academy **Bristol Township School** Bucks County Head Start, Inc.

Butler County Early Care & Education Council

Capital Area Head Start Carlisle Early Education Center Catasauqua Area School District

Cen-Clear Child Services

Child Advocates of Blair County

Child Care Information Services of Fayette

Child Care Information Services of Montour

County

Child Care Providers United

Child Development and Family Council of

Centre County, Inc.

Child Development Council of NEPA, Inc.

Child Development, Inc.

Children's Adventure Learning Center

Children's Playhouse

Children's Village at Doylestown Hospital

Children's Village Day Care Center

Christ Church Pre-School Church of the Loving Shepherd Cleary Family Child Care Comfort Consults, LLC

Community Action Partnership of Cambria

County Head Start

Community Services for Children, Inc.

Community Services of Venango County, Inc.

Council of Three Rivers American Indian

Center, Inc.

Creative Learning Environments Inc.

Danville Head Start

Delaware County Intermediate Unit Head Start Delaware Valley Association for the Education

of Young Children Dickinson Inc. Dignity Housing

**Directions Early Childhood Consulting** 

**Diversified Community Services** 

Dixon Learning Academy

Donna L. Lynn Family Day Care Home Early Care and Education Coalition of

Northumberland County Early Connections, Inc.

Early Learning Investment Commission

Elizabeth Seton Center, Inc.

Erie County Office of Children and Youth

Erie Family Center

Ethel Mason Child Development Center Family Connection of Easton, Inc.

FLOC - For Love of Children George School Children's Center

Gounaris Family Daycare

Govern for Kids

Grandma Mary's Daycare Center

Greater Susquehanna Valley United Way

Growing Up Greene Preschool Hand N Hand Early Education

HAP Enterprises, Inc.

Hart to Hart Childcare Center Hempfield School District Hiland Child Care Center Hildebrandt Learning Centers Garcia Family Daycare Grands As Parents Inc. Greene County United Way

Harrisburg School District Head Start Learning Tree

Hempfield Family Child Development Center

Heritage Community Initiatives Hildebrandt Learning Centers Holcomb Behavioral Health Systems

Indiana County Child Day Care Program, Inc.

Indiana County Head Start

Jewish Community Center of Greater Pittsburgh

JoAnna Connell Elementary School PTA

Juniata County Head Start Kaplan ELC - Pennsylvania Kate Sorber's Child Care

Kentucky Avenue Children's Center Keystone Childcare Association

Keystone College

Kids Connection Learning Center, LLC

Kids Korner Children's Center Kidsville Learning Center, Inc.

Kittyland Child Care Lancaster Day Care Center

Lancaster-Lebanon Intermediate Unit 13 Lancaster Recreation Commission Law Office of Margaret Boyce-Furey

Lebanon County Head Start

Lehigh Career & Technical Institute Lehigh Valley Hospital Cedar Crest

Lela's Day Care

Lisa Buchwitz Family Child Care Little Angels Family Childcare

Little Rays Day Care Lock Haven Child Care

Long Run Children's Learning Center

Luthercare

Luzerne County Head Start, Inc. Lycoming Clinton Head Start Mahdiyyah Islamic KAEL, LLC Marion Center School District Maternity Care Coalition Mease Family Day Care Mercer County Head Start

Millcreek Township School District Miss Ida's Child Care Center, Inc Montgomery Early Learning Centers Montour County Advocates for Children

Mt. Carmel Area Elementary Mt Washington Children's Center National Council of Jewish Women

Pennsylvania

Neighborhood Interfaith Movement

Next Step Therapy

Noah & Company Daycare

Northampton Community College

North Penn YMCA

Oil City Area School District One Childhood Consulting Otterbien Early Education Center

Owl Hill Learning Center Parent-Child Home Program

Parent Infant Center

Parents, School Community Partnership

Patsy's Child Care

PENNCREST Child Development Center

Penn Manor School District Penn Pals Child Care Center

Pennsylvania Association for the Education of

Young Children

Pennsylvania Chapter, American Academy of

**Pediatrics** 

Pennsylvania Child Care Association Pennsylvania Council of Churches Pennsylvania Head Start Association Pennsylvania Partnership for Children

People for People Child Development Center

Philadelphia Reads

Pittsburgh Association for the Education of

Young Children

Pittsburgh Public School District Pittston Area Family Center

Pixie Paradise

Playworld Systems, Inc.

Pocono Services for Families & Children

Monroe County Head Start

Porter's Day Care & Education Center

**Providence Connections** 

Public Citizens for Children and Youth Public Health Management Corporation

Queen Lane Montessori School

Reach For The Stars

Resources for Children's Health Riverview Children's Center Roaring Spring Blank Book Co.

Schuylkill United Way

Scranton-Lackawanna Human Development

Agency, Inc.

Seton Hill Child Services, Inc. Shiloh Development Academy, Inc. SLHDA New Milford Head Start Small Wonders In-Home Childcare, LLC Small World Early Learning and Development

Centers

Smethport Elementary School Sonia Liskoski's Group Daycare South Central PA RESULTS SPARK Learning Center

Special People in Northeast, Inc. (SPIN Inc.)

Spring Academy

Steel Valley Family Center Step By Step Center Step By Step, Inc. Stepping Stones Preschool

Stepping Stones Trest

Steps to Success

St. James Lutheran Child Care Sto-Rox Family Center

St. Paul's Child Development Center

Street Family Daycare

Sue's House

Sunflower Child Care Center

Sunshine & Rainbows Day Care Center

Tender Care Learning Center

Terri Lynne Lokoff Child Care Foundation

Titusville Area School District

The Goddard School

The Kreig Institute for Early Childhood

Education

The Play Academy

Tompkins' Tots Family Daycare Tyrone Area School District Union School District

United Way of Allegheny County United Way of Beaver County United Way of Carbon County United Way of Lackawanna County United Way of Lancaster County

United Way of Lancaster County Success By 6 United Way of Southeastern Pennsylvania

United Way of the Capital Region United Way of the Flint Hills

United Way of the Laurel Highlands, Inc. United Way of Westmoreland County

United Way of York County United Ways of Pennsylvania

University of Pittsburgh School of Education Voluntary Action Center of Northeastern PA

Warren & Forest EOC Head Start Warwick Child Care Center, Inc.

Waveline Direct, LLC Wayne Presbyterian Church

Wee R the World Early Learning Center, Inc.

West Chester University College of Education

Westminster Nursery School

Westmoreland Community Action Head Start

Wisdom Facet Adoptive Support Group

Women's Community Revitalization Project

Wonder Years Child Development Center, Inc.

YMCA Pre-k Counts

YWCA Greater Erie

YWCA Greater Pittsburgh

YWCA Lancaster

YWCA York

# **Rhode Island**

Brown/Fox Point ECEC

Children's Friend

**Explorations Unlimited** 

National Association of Social Workers - Rhode

Island

Ready to Learn Providence

Rhode Island KIDS COUNT

The Poverty Institute

## **South Carolina**

**Beaufort County First Steps** 

Coastal Carolina University College of

Education

First Steps

First United Methodist Church Child

**Development Ministry** 

Georgetown County Early Childhood Education

Partnership

Greater Bethel AME Church

Hampton District One

Levin Consultants

Mitchell Congregational United Church of

Christ

South Carolina Appleseed

South Carolina Early Childhood Association

South Carolina State Head Start Association,

Inc.

Southern Early Childhood Association North

Greenville University Chapter

The Learning Station Child Development Center

Travelites Inc.

Whittaker Elementary School

## **South Dakota**

South Dakota Association for the Education of

Young Children

South Dakota Head Start Association

Volunteers of America, Dakotas

## Tennessee

Educational Designs Unlimited

First STAR Learning Academy

Healthy Families East Tennessee

Just For Little People Learning Center

Lancaster Preschool

Mt. Vernon Christian Academy Early Childhood

Development

Tennessee Association for Childhood Education

International

Tennessee Association for the Education of

Young Children

TreeHouse Learning Academy

United Ways of Tennessee

Women's Foundation for a Greater Memphis

#### Texas

Aldine ISD

Austin's Educational Services

Balloons Day Care & Learning Center

ChildCareGroup

Child Care Solutions

Collaborative for Children

College Station Independent School District

Donnie's Day Care

**Educational First Steps** 

El Paso Community College

Fannin County Head Start

Gethsemane United Church of Christ

Hinojosa Early Childhood/Pre-K Center

Holly Hill Day School

Institute for Healthy Relationships

Jewish Community Council Preschool

Kickapoo Traditional Tribe of Texas

La Fe Policy Research and Education Center

Lakeview Montessori on the Hill

LCC Camilo Prada Child Development Center

Learning Stages, Inc.

Our Lady of the Lake University

Panola College Teacher Education Department

**RESULTS Houston** 

Spirit's Call Ministries

Texas Early Childhood Education Coalition

United Way of Southern Cameron County

Voices for Children of San Antonio

Williamson County Justice Alliance

#### Utah

Salt Lake Community Action Program

United Way of Salt Lake

Voices for Utah Children

## Vermont

Building Bright Futures of Southeastern Vermont

Gateway Family Institute Trinity Children's Center

Vermont Community Loan Fund

Voices for Vermont's Children

# Virginia

Burke Presbyterian Preschool

CHIP of Virginia

Coalition for Justice

Emory & Henry College

Law Office of Margaret Thomson

Lord Fairfax Association for the Education of

Young Children

Norfolk Even Start Family Literacy Program

Seven Corners Children's Center

Smart Beginnings South Hampton Roads

Tidewater Association for Early Childhood

Education

Tigger Childcare Learning Center LLC

Virginia Association for Early Childhood

Education

Virginia Association for the Education of Young

Children

Voices for Virginia's Children

Women's Center Advisory Committee at

Northern Virginia Community College

Wytheville Community College

United Way of Central Virginia

## Washington

Action for Media Education

Child Care Resources

Children's Alliance

Children's Home Society of Washington

League of Education Voters

League of Women Voters of Washington

Little Hearts

Olympic Community Action Programs

Phoenix Institute for Human Development

Seattle NOW

Seattle Public Schools Family Support

SOAR

United Way of King County

United Way of Snohomish County

United Ways of Washington

Washington Association for the Education of

Young Children

Washington State Association of Head Start and

Early Childhood Education and Assistance

Program (ECEAP)

Washington State Family Childcare Association

Washington State Child Care Resource &

Referral Network

White Center Early Learning Initiative

# West Virginia

Christian Appalachian Project

Concord University Division of Education and

**Human Performance** 

King's Daughter Day-care

Little People Place Child Care and Learning

Center

Precious Memories Kid Care

Tiny Tots Village LLC

West Virginia Association for the Education of

Young Children

West Virginia Association of Young Children

West Virginia Head Start Association

West Virginia KIDS COUNT Fund

WVU Healthcare Child Development Center

#### Wisconsin

Celebrate Children Foundation

Child & Family Center of Excellence Inc.

Child Care Connection, Inc.

Family & Childcare Resources of NEW

Madison Teachers, Inc.

National Centers for Learning Excellence

Northeast Wisconsin Technical College

Penfield Children's Center

Safe Haven Child Care Development and

Parents Center Inc.

Supporting Families Together Association

United Way Fox Cities

Wisconsin Alliance for Infant Mental Health

Wisconsin Alliance for Women's Health

Wisconsin Council on Children and Families

Wisconsin Division for Early Childhood

Wisconsin Early Childhood Association

Wisconsin Head Start Association

Wisconsin Technical College

# Wyoming

AppleTree Learning Center

Wyoming Head Start Association