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# Local Commissioners Memorandum

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	October 1, 2009 through March 31, 2011		
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# I. PURPOSE

The purpose of this Local Commissioners Memorandum (LCM) is to inform social services districts (districts) of the second issuance of district allocations of the federal child care stimulus funds that New York State received under the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009 (ARRA), Public Law 111-5. The LCM also provides program and claiming requirements associated with these federal funds.

The ARRA allocation is a one-time award made to New York State by the federal government. The State must obligate ARRA funds by September 30, 2010 and expend these funds by September 30, 2011. There is no provision to roll over unspent ARRA funds past this time frame. Therefore, in order for the State to meet federal time-frame requirements for expenditures, districts must expend all ARRA funds by March 31, 2011 and submit final claims for expenditures by June 30, 2011.

In order to maximize the use of ARRA funds statewide, districts that receive an ARRA allocation must complete Attachment E, informing the Office of Children and Family Services (OCFS) Division of Child Care Services whether they will accept or decline the second issuance of the ARRA allocation. Districts must also report on Attachment E the amount of the second ARRA allocation they intend to use. Districts that have not fully used the first ARRA allocation must report on Attachment E the amount that they have not expended and the amount they intend to use. **Districts must complete and return Attachment E to OCFS Division of Child Care Services by July 20, 2010.** This time frame will allow OCFS to re-obligate any allocation or portion of allocations that a district has indicated it will not use.

Those districts that are receiving an ARRA allocation for the first time must submit a completed Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form to the OCFS Division of Child Care Services by July 31, 2010 even if they have not expended any ARRA funds. Thereafter, districts only need to submit a Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form when they are making a claim, or if there is a change to any of the data that the district reported on its initial Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form, even if there is no claim.

#### II. BACKGROUND

New York State has received a one-time award of ARRA child care funds in the amount of \$96,785,640. This ARRA award is a federal fiscal year (FFY) 2008-09 appropriation of supplemental discretionary funding under the Child Care and Development Fund (CCDF) that the State must obligate by September 30, 2010 and expend by September 30, 2011. Of the \$96,785,640, OCFS is allocating a total of \$84,150,757 to districts. The remainder, or \$12,634,883, is funding that has been earmarked by the federal government to support quality expansion and infant and toddler activities and, as such, is being retained by OCFS to implement those efforts on a statewide basis. The ARRA funds are part of the Child Care Cluster for Single Audit purposes. They are identified with the Catalog of Federal Assistance (CFDA) number 93.713 with the title "ARRA-Child Care and Development Block Grant" on the Statement of Expenditures of Federal Awards (SEFA).

OCFS informed social services districts of the first issuance of the ARRA allocation through 09-OCFS-LCM-14. The second issuance of the allocation to districts is \$42,896,639 for the period October 1, 2009 through March 31, 2011. Five districts that were issued the first ARRA allocation declined these funds. The declined ARRA allocations totaled \$821,261 and this amount has been included in the second issuance of the ARRA allocation.

Unlike the allocations of the New York State Child Care Block Grant (NYSCCBG) funds, which must be used for child care subsidies, districts may use some or all of their allocated ARRA child

care funds for child care quality improvement projects, provided that they first obtain approval from the OCFS Division of Child Care Services. Regardless of whether allocations are used for subsidies or for quality improvement activities, districts should give preference to activities that can be started and completed expeditiously.

#### III. PROGRAM IMPLICATIONS

#### **Allocation Information**

Attachment A sets forth the second issuance of district allocations of the ARRA child care funds for the period beginning October 1, 2009 and ending March 31, 2011.

Not all districts are receiving an allocation from the second issuance of these funds. The ARRA child care allocation methodology for this second issuance first considered a district's FFY 2008-09 New York State Child Care Block Grant (NYSCCBG) spending level as a percentage of the statewide FFY 2008-09 NYSCCBG spending level, and then applied that percentage against the ARRA funds made available in this second issuance. As a next step, the methodology reduced to \$0 the ARRA allocation to those districts that rolled forward an amount from FFY 2008-09 into FFY 2009-10 in excess of 15 percent of their SFY 2009-10 NYSCCBG allocations. As a result, approximately \$2.38 million became available for distribution to other districts. This \$2.38 million adjustment was redistributed to those districts whose FFY 2008-09 NYSCCBG claims exceeded their FFY 2008-09 NYSCCBG allocations. This methodology is the same methodology that was used for the first issuance of the ARRA allocations.

#### **Programmatic Requirements**

In order to utilize the ARRA funds allocated to its district, the commissioner of the social services district must agree to comply with the program requirements of the NYSCCBG as set forth in Title 5-C of the Social Services Law (SSL) and Title 18 of the New York State Codes, Rules and Regulations (NYCRR) Parts 358, 404, 405, 407, 415, and 628 and with other OCFS child care policy directives, including Administrative Directives (ADMs), LCMs, and Informational Letters (INFs). Districts also must agree to comply with the legal assurances of their Child and Family Services Plans, the other requirements for the federal CCDF, and the special terms and conditions for the ARRA grant award including the special claiming and reporting requirements, which are described later in this LCM.

Among the mandates for using these funds to provide child care subsidies is Section 410-x(4) of the SSL, which requires OCFS to establish, in regulation, the applicable market-related payment rates that establish the ceilings for State and federal reimbursement for payments made under the NYSCCBG. The amount to be paid or allowed for child care assistance funded under the NYSCCBG, ARRA, and Title XX shall be the actual cost of care but no more than the applicable rate established in regulations. Districts were previously advised, in 10-OCFS-LCM-01 dated March 11, 2010, OCFS issued emergency regulations establishing new market rates effective October 1, 2009. Local districts must pay the applicable market rate unless the actual cost of care is less, in which case, districts must pay the actual cost of care.

As mentioned above, each district has the option to expend these funds for quality improvement projects or other child care services activities that benefit families served under the NYSCCBG. A district that chooses to use some or all of its allocation of ARRA funds for activities other than child care subsidies must submit to the OCFS Division of Child Care Services a request for approval containing a description of the project, including the objectives, anticipated benefits, and the method of distribution of funds; a description of how the project supports the purposes of preserving and creating jobs and promoting economic recovery; a description of the types of direct jobs that will be created or retained; and the amount of funds to be allocated to the project from the district's ARRA allocation. A district may not expend funds for a quality improvement project until the project has been approved by the OCFS Division of Child Care Services.

#### **Eligible Families**

To simplify the federal and State claiming process, the State has decided that child care claims for families applying for or receiving public assistance are not eligible for reimbursement under ARRA funds. OCFS believes that each district's NYSCCBG allocation provides sufficient funding to meet the child care needs of public assistance applicants and recipients that are included in the child care guarantee. Therefore, ARRA funds cannot be used for child care subsidies for these families. The families that are eligible for child care subsidies funded under ARRA are those families other than public assistance recipients served under the NYSCCBG as stated in 18 NYCRR Section 415.2 and identified in each social services district's approved Child and Family Services Plan for 2007-2010 and Annual Plan Update. A district choosing to expand eligibility beyond the families currently identified in its plan must amend the plan in accordance with 18 NYCRR Part 407.

#### **Parental Choice**

As with all NYSCCBG funded child care services, social services districts must inform parents or caretakers requesting child care services that they may:

- choose to have care provided by one of the child day care providers with whom the social services district has contracted for the provision of child care services; or
- request a child care certificate, which enables the parents or caretakers to select from a full range of child care arrangements, including care by regulated child care providers and providers of legally exempt child care.

The child's parents or caretakers must be given discretion in selecting or arranging for the purchase of child care services from any eligible provider. The case record should document that parents or caretakers have been apprised of the full range of providers eligible for payment and of their right to elect to use a child care certificate. Districts must allow parents to select, and must have a method to pay, any and all eligible providers with whom the district does not contract. A contract with the district cannot be made a condition of a child care provider receiving payment from ARRA funds.

#### Special ARRA Federal Reporting Requirements

As previously indicated, Section 1512 of ARRA requires special reporting requirements for the use of certain ARRA funds, including the ARRA CCDF funds. The federal law includes a clear expectation that states will be held accountable for how the funds are expended. The federal ARRA statute established several federal agencies to audit and otherwise monitor the expenditure of these funds. Under Section 1512 of ARRA, OCFS must report regularly to the federal government on behalf of the State as the prime recipient of the ARRA funds and on the behalf of districts as the subrecipients of the funds. The reports must be submitted by the twentieth day following the end of each quarter and must contain information on the ARRA funds that were reimbursed by the State to the districts during the relevant quarter.

By accepting an allocation of ARRA funds, a district must follow all of the federal requirements on ARRA reporting. Social services districts are responsible for ensuring use of the most recent requirements and definitions. These requirements can be found on www.whitehouse.gov/omb. To assist districts, Attachment B-CCDF Guidance on Section 1512 Reporting Requirements provides the most recent specific guidance issued by the federal Department of Health and Human Services' Administration for Children and Families pertaining to Section 1512 ARRA reporting for the CCDF. The federal guidance includes instructions for the CCDF ARRA reporting elements, including those that OCFS will report as the recipient of the funds as well as those that districts must report to OCFS as a subrecipient of the funds. Districts must follow the provisions in this guidance along with the other federal ARRA reporting requirements when reporting on their uses of ARRA funds. Additionally, the federal Administration for Children and Families has informed the states that the Office of Management and Budget (OMB), which is administering the Section 1512 reporting requirements government-wide, has indicated that the data reporting model and elements are subject to adjustment for future cycles.

Because of the special ARRA reporting requirements, a district must submit a claim for ARRA funds on an LDSS-3922 "Reimbursement Claim for Special Projects" separately from its claims for other CCDF funds, in accordance with the Special ARRA Claiming Instructions set forth below in this LCM. When a district submits its LDSS-3922(s) to the Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance (OTDA) Bureau of Financial Services for ARRA funds, it also must complete a Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form (provided as Attachment C), in accordance with the federal ARRA reporting requirements, and submit it along with a copy of the LDSS-3922(s) to: Antonia Weidner at the OCFS Division of Child Care Services, 52 Washington Street, Room 309S, Rensselaer, NY 12144-2796. The district must certify it has reviewed and verified the information on the Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form and that the information is true and accurate.

Both the LDSS-3922(s) and Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form must be submitted no later than 20 days after the last day of the month in which the district expenditures were made. Expenditures claimed through an LDSS-3922 will not be reimbursed until a complete and accurate Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form is submitted.

Districts, as subrecipients of ARRA funds, must have a Data Universal Number System (DUNS) number and register with the federal Central Contractor Registration (CCR). Districts that do not

have a DUNS number should refer to Attachment D of this LCM, which provides instructions on how to obtain a DUNS number and register with the CCR.

In accordance with the federal ARRA reporting requirements, districts must report on the number of jobs "directly" created or retained that are funded with ARRA dollars. Additional information regarding when the federal government considers a "direct" job to have been created or retained and how to calculate and report on the number of jobs created or retained is set forth in Attachment B-CCDF Guidance on Section 1512 Reporting Requirements. In general, for the purpose of ARRA reporting, a job created includes a new position created and filled or an existing vacant position that was filled. A job retained includes an existing position that would not continue to have been filled without the use of ARRA dollars. Note that under these definitions, payment of overtime to an existing employee cannot be counted as a job retained. In addition, increased services to clients under ARRA funded programs do not result in job creation if existing staff are handling the increased workload.

The attached federal guidance on ARRA CCDF reporting requirements (Attachment B) states that the number of jobs for parents or caretakers that were created or retained through the provision of child care subsidies to families are not reportable in the Number of Jobs data element on the Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form. In addition, child care providers paid through ARRAfunded certificates or vouchers are not considered vendors, and any provider jobs created or retained through certificates or vouchers are not reportable in the Number of Jobs data element on the Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form. However, if a family whose child care subsidy is funded under ARRA chooses a child care provider that has a contract with the district to provide child care services, then the provider is considered a vendor of the district for federal ARRA jobs reporting purposes. In such cases, the district must ascertain if the provider will receive a single payment equal to or greater than \$25,000 in a month in ARRA funds. If so, the district must obtain and verify the number of direct jobs created or retained by the provider as a result of receiving payments under the provider's contract with the district for families funded with ARRA dollars, and report the jobs information in the Number of Jobs data element on the Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form. Please note however that OCFS' Division of Child Care Services will be verifying this statement with the federal government. Based on the clarifying response from the federal government, OCFS may issue further clarification or guidance with respect to this statement and job reporting requirements.

Additionally, as previously indicated, districts, with OCFS approval, may use ARRA funds for child care quality improvement activities. If, as a result of the quality improvement activities, a district contractor will receive a single payment equal to or greater than \$25,000 in a month in ARRA funds (including any ARRA funds received for subsidized child care services provided under a contract with the district), the district must obtain, and verify from the contractor, the number of direct jobs created or retained in accordance with federal reporting requirements. Districts must ascertain with these "vendors" whether a direct job was created or retained for each reporting period covered by the grant or contract for quality improvement activities, and report the number of jobs funded with ARRA dollars on the Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form. A Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form and LDSS-3922 must be completed when a district creates direct jobs or retains jobs for the purpose of administering ARRA funds.

The number of jobs created or retained as a direct result of the expenditure of ARRA funds is to be expressed as full-time equivalents (FTE) on the Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form. The definitions and instructions for determining FTEs are set forth in Attachment 1 that is included in the CCDF guidance in Attachment B, of this LCM. All data related to FTEs must be reported for each month that the FTE is funded. This is a change from the previous reporting requirement in 09-OCFS-LCM-14 that FTEs be reported on a cumulative basis. Districts reporting jobs created or retained must report this data using the worksheet on Attachment 1 that is included in the CCDF guidance in Attachment B, of this LCM and retain this information for audit purposes.

#### Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form

In order to be in compliance with ARRA reporting requirements, each district receiving ARRA funds as a subrecipient must compile, at a minimum, the information below and submit it to OCFS Divisions of Child Care Services. Those districts that are receiving an ARRA allocation for the first time must submit a completed Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form to the OCFS Division of Child Care Services by July 31, 2010 even if they have not expended any ARRA funds. Thereafter, districts only need to submit a Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form when they are making a claim, or if there is a change to any of the data that the district reported on its initial Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form, even if there is no claim.

**District Information** 

- Subrecipient DUNS Number
- Subrecipient Contract Number
- Subrecipient Name (legal name as registered in the CCR)
- Subrecipient Address
- Subrecipient City
- Subrecipient State
- Subrecipient Zip Code +4
- Subrecipient County
- Subrecipient Congressional District (physical location of the primary place of performance)
- If in the previous fiscal year, the subrecipient received 80 percent or more of its annual gross revenues from federal contracts (and subcontracts), loans, grants (and subgrants) and cooperative agreements; **and** it received \$25,000,000 or more in annual gross revenues from federal contracts (and subcontracts), loans, grants (and subgrants) and cooperative agreements; **and** the public does not have access to information about the compensation of the senior executives through periodic reports filed under section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78m(a), 78o(d)) or section 6104 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, then the subrecipient must report the:
  - Subrecipient Officer Name (for the five most highly compensated officers)
  - Subrecipient Officer Total Compensation (for the five most highly compensated officers)
- Subrecipient Project Status (evaluation of the status of the work that has been completed)
- Subrecipient Number of Jobs Created and Retained (an estimate of the number of jobs created and retained in the United States and outlying areas. This estimate shall include any new positions created and any existing filled positions that were retained to support or carry out Recovery Act projects, activities, or federally awarded projects.)

- Subrecipient Description of Jobs Created and Retained (a brief description of the types of jobs created and retained in the United States and outlying areas)
- Subrecipient Additional Employment Related Impacts (an estimate and description of additional employment related activities supporting the ARRA purposes of preserving and creating jobs and promoting economic recovery that did not result in the creation or retention of direct jobs)

District Information for Vendors Receiving a single payment equal to or greater than \$25,000 in a month in ARRA Funds

- Vendor Contract Number
- Vendor DUNS Number
- Vendor Primary Address (Zip Code +4)
- Vendor Name
- Description of Product or Service the Vendor provided to the district
- Amount Paid to the Vendor by the district
- Vendor Number of Jobs Created and Retained (an estimate of the number of jobs created and retained in the United States and outlying areas; this estimate shall include any new positions created and any existing filled positions that were retained to support or carry out Recovery Act projects, activities, or federally awarded projects)
- Vendor Description of Jobs Created and Retained (a brief description of the types of jobs created and retained in the United States and outlying areas)
- Vendor Additional Employment Related Impacts (an estimate and description of additional employment-related activities supporting the ARRA purposes of preserving and creating jobs and promoting economic recovery that did not result in the creation or retention of direct jobs)

# **Special ARRA Claiming Instructions**

As previously indicated, the federal government requires that the State identify and report separately on ARRA expenditures. Therefore, districts must claim their ARRA subsidies and/or quality expenditures, as well as administrative expenditures, using the LDSS-3922 "Reimbursement Claim for Special Projects." All expenditures must be claimed on the form LDSS-3922 "Reimbursement Claim for Special Projects" and submitted to the Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance (OTDA) Bureau of Financial Services, with a copy sent to the OCFS Division of Child Care Services, no later than 20 days after the last day of the month in which expenditures were made. Each district may expend no more than five percent of its ARRA allocation on administrative activities. The Fiscal Reference Manual, Volume 3 Chapter 9, (Volume 4 for New York City) identifies the allowable and unallowable expenditures under NYSCCBG, of which ARRA is a part.

For subsidy expenditures, the project name must be entered as: **ARRA Child Care Subsidy**. The subsidy costs must be claimed on line 15 (Other) and the administrative costs must be claimed on the appropriate lines 1-11. Administrative costs must be accumulated in the F-17 function of the Schedule D and transferred to the Schedule D-17. The total project costs must be entered on line 17 of the LDSS-3922 and carried to line 18 Federal Share.

Note that child care subsidy payments would normally appear on the Schedule G "Title XX Services for Recipients (LDSS-1372)" or Schedule H "Non-Title XX Services for Recipients (LDSS-4283)"

composite and claim form. Districts must develop procedures to identify the subsidy payments funded under ARRA in order to prevent submitting claims for those costs on Schedules G or H, since the costs must be claimed on the LDSS-3922.

As previously indicated, there are additional federal ARRA reporting requirements for payments for child care subsidies that are made under ARRA funding to child care providers with whom the district has a contract. These federal reporting requirements are referenced in the section of this LCM titled Special ARRA Federal Reporting Requirements. As an alternative to tracking individual cases that are paid to contract providers and reporting specific provider information and provider job creation and retention numbers, districts may want to consider applying ARRA funds only toward those payments under the NYSCCBG for low-income families not receiving public assistance that were made to non-contract providers and/or issued directly to parents or caretakers. If a district can identify, for audit purposes, that it has sufficient claims for expenditures under the NYSCCBG for low-income families not receiving public assistance for payments to non-contracted child care providers through certificates or vouchers and/or for payments issued directly to parents or caretakers that exceed the amount it intends to use for subsidies from its ARRA allocation, then the district can claim those expenditures as ARRA funds on the LDSS-3922, without separately tracking and reporting specific cases and providers for federal ARRA reporting purposes. The districts would note on the LDSS-3922 that all the claims for child care subsidies are for payments made to noncontract providers and/or parents and caretakers. A district that chooses this option, by submitting the LDSS-3922, is certifying that the information on the claim is accurate, including that it has sufficient claims for non-contracted care to cover all of the ARRA funds it is dedicating to subsidies.

If a district claims child care subsidies under ARRA but either cannot demonstrate for audit purposes that it has sufficient claims under NYSCCBG for low-income families not receiving public assistance for payments to non-contract providers and/or payments made directly to parents or caretakers in an amount that exceeds its intended claim under ARRA, or the district otherwise chooses to use its ARRA funds for expenditures for contracted providers under NYSCCBG, the district must comply with the special ARRA federal jobs reporting requirements on the Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form described above in this LCM. Also, districts must make a notation on the LDSS-3922 titled ARRA Child Care Subsidy when claims include expenditures made to contract providers. To assist in tracking cases for such purposes, districts might wish to consider using a distinct case number prefix or suffix sequence to identify such cases in the Welfare Management System, which is the method used by some districts that have had to track and claim expenditures for special child care demonstration funds separately on the LDSS-3922. For example, a district can use a case number for a child care subsidy case funded under ARRA that starts with "SARRA" followed by its regular numeric sequence. These cases will come out as a block on the BICS Case Composite Roll. Districts would then total up the expenditures for these cases, back the expenditures out of Schedule H, and report the claims on the LDSS-3922. This is one method that has been used. Districts may develop other procedures and supports, as appropriate, to fit their own systems.

A district must claim any expenditure for quality improvement activities, funded with ARRA dollars that have been approved by the OCFS Division of Child Care Services, on a separate LDSS-3922 "Reimbursement Claim for Special Projects." The project name must be entered as: **ARRA Child Care Quality**. The quality project costs must be claimed on line 15 (Other) and the administrative costs must be claimed on the appropriate lines 1-11. Administrative costs must be accumulated in

the F-17 function of the Schedule D and transferred to the Schedule D-17. The total project costs must be completed on line 17 of the LDSS-3922 and carried to line 18, federal share. As previously indicated, there are special ARRA reporting requirements for quality improvement activities that are referenced in the section of the LCM titled Special ARRA Federal Reporting Requirements, and in Attachment B.

For each district, the expenditures reported for the **ARRA Child Care Subsidy** and the **ARRA Child Care Quality** projects combined will be reimbursed by the State up to the amount of the district's ARRA allocation.

To receive reimbursement, claims for expenditures of ARRA funds for the period October 1, 2008 through September 30, 2009 must be submitted by the district by March 31, 2010. Final claims for expenditures of the district's ARRA allocation issued in this LCM for the period October 1, 2009 through March 31, 2011 must be submitted by the district by June 30, 2011.

#### Administration of ARRA Funds

Non-compliance with any of the federal requirements, including the special reporting requirement established under Section 1512 of ARRA, is considered a violation of the federal award agreement. As previously indicated, the federal government has established special oversight of ARRA funding. Should there be a finding of noncompliance, the federal agencies have several avenues of recourse including recouping or withholding funds, terminating participation in the CCDF program, or suspension and debarment, as appropriate.

As with all State and federal funding, districts must prepare and submit accurate reports and claims for reimbursement. Districts must maintain adequate claiming and reporting records, retain appropriate documentation in the recipients' case files, and make appropriate records available for audit by State and federal agencies.

OCFS will recoup from a social services district any federal disallowance or sanction that result from the failure of a social services district to comply with applicable federal or State requirements, including, but not limited to, failure to properly provide required ARRA claiming and reporting data.

# IV. REQUIRED ACTION

In order to maximize the use of ARRA funds statewide, districts that receive an ARRA allocation must complete Attachment E, informing the OCFS Division of Child Care Services whether they accept or decline the second issuance of the ARRA allocation. Districts must also report on Attachment E the amount of the second ARRA allocation they intend to use. Districts that have not fully used their first ARRA allocation must report on Attachment E the amount they intend to use. Attachment E the amount they intend to use. Attachment E must be signed by the commissioner of the social services district and returned by July 20, 2010 to: Antonia Weidner at the OCFS Division of Child Care Services, 52 Washington Street, Room 309S, Rensselaer, NY 12144-2796.

Both the LDSS-3922(s) and Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form must be submitted no later than 20 days after the last day of the month in which the district expenditures were made. Expenditures

claimed through an LDSS-3922 will not be reimbursed until a complete and accurate Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form and a copy of the LDSS-3922 is submitted to: Antonia Weidner at the OCFS Division of Child Care Services, 52 Washington Street, Room 309S, Rensselaer, NY 12144-2796.

#### V. SYSTEMS INFORMATION

Procedures for the authorization of payment in the Welfare Management System (WMS) for child care services funded under ARRA are the same as used for services funded under the NYSCCBG. There are no special claiming categories in WMS to identify ARRA funds. As noted above, districts must develop procedures to identify the subsidy payments funded under ARRA to prevent submitting claims for those costs on Schedules G or H, since they are to be claimed on the LDSS-3922.

Districts may, at their option, utilize the LDSS-2970 WMS Services Authorization for child care for eligible families not applying for or receiving public assistance. There is no special coding to designate ARRA funding in WMS. Districts must use the value "R-Block Grant DC 100%" as the Purchase of Service Type Suffix Code (Data Element #23021) on the LDSS-2970 WMS Services Authorization, which designates child care services funded under NYSCCBG for non-public assistance families and reimbursed at 100 percent federal and State share up to the district's ARRA allocation. Districts have the option to authorize payments for ARRA-eligible families not applying for or receiving public assistance on the LDSS-3209 for Food Stamps and Medical Assistance only cases.

WMS Services continues to support the monitoring of the issuance and return of child care certificates. Instructions for the child care certificates are included in 92 LCM-138 and in the Benefits Issuance and Control System (BICS) Operations Manual, page A-82, BICS Production Request 32, and Request for Self-Selected Day Care Certs, in the edition dated April 1, 1993. Information is also provided in the BICS Services Payment Processing Manual, Chapter 2, Authorizations, Self-Selected Day Care Certificates.

# VI. CONTACT PERSONS

If you have any child care subsidy program or ARRA Section 1512 reporting questions regarding information contained in this LCM, please contact Antonia Weidner of the Division of Child Care Services at (518) 408-3395; e-mail: <u>Antonia.Weidner@ocfs.state.ny.us</u>

If you have any claiming questions, please contact the Office of Temporary and Disability Assistance (OTDA) Bureau of Financial Services:

Regions 1 - 4 –Edward Conway at 1-800-343-8859, ext. 4-7549, or (518) 474-7549; e-mail: <u>Edward.Conway@otda.state.ny.us</u> Region 5 - Michael Borenstein at (212)-961-8251; e-mail: <u>Michael.Borenstein@otda.state.ny.us</u>.

Region 6 - Marian Borenstein at (212) 961-8250; e-mail: <u>Marian.Borenstein@otda.state.ny.us</u>.

If you have WMS/Services questions, please contact Dan McCarthy of the OCFS IT Operations at 800-342-3727; e-mail: <u>Dan.McCarthy@ocfs.state.ny.us</u>

If you have WMS/IM questions, please contact Tully Lenihan of OTDA at (518) 474-8749; e-mail: <u>Tully.Lenihan@otda.state.ny.us</u>.

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# ATTACHMENT A

# AMERICAN RECOVERY AND REINVESTMENT ACT OF 2009

# Local District Child Care Allocations October 1, 2009 through March 31, 2011

District	Allocation	District	Allocation
Albany	\$ 783,006	Oneida	\$0
Allegany	40,805	Onondaga	806,165
Broome	247,763	Ontario	0
Cattaraugus	0	Orange	361,288
Cayuga	\$86,511	Orleans	0
Chautauqua	0	Oswego	0
Chemung	\$235,063	Otsego	0
Chenango	0	Putnam	0
Clinton	0	Rensselaer	0
Columbia	\$61,701	Rockland	\$461,442
Cortland	0	St. Lawrence	128,151
Delaware	0	Saratoga	142,904
Dutchess	407,038	Schenectady	350,602
Erie	1,695,787	Schoharie	37,806
Essex	0	Schuyler	0
Franklin	0	Seneca	34,035
Fulton	0	Steuben	193,025
Genesee	65,226	Suffolk	1,708,921
Greene	33,487	Sullivan	0
Hamilton	0	Tioga	75,791
Herkimer	0	Tompkins	124,341
Jefferson	156,494	Ulster	0
Lewis	20,026	Warren	0
Livingston	74,032	Washington	73,021
Madison	54,997	Wayne	0
Monroe	1,869,385	Westchester	1,670,450
Montgomery	0	Wyoming	0
Nassau	1,816,908	Yates	0
Niagara	0		
		New York City	\$29,080,468

State Total \$42,896,639

# Attachment B <u>CCDF Specific Guidance to ARRA Section 1512 Reporting</u>







# CCDF Specific Guidance to ARRA Section 1512 Reporting

The Child Care Bureau has developed this guidance in order to provide Lead Agencies with information to assist them in meeting the government-wide reporting requirements included in Section 1512 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) of 2009.

#### About ARRA Section 1512 Reporting

The second ARRA Section 1512 reporting deadline is **January 15, 2010**. Aimed at providing transparency on the use of ARRA funds, Section 1512 requires quarterly grantee reports that include the following information:

- Total amount of funds received; and of that the amount spent on projects and activities;
- A list of those projects and activities funded by name to include:
  - Description
  - Completion Status
  - o Estimates of jobs created and retained; and
- Details of sub-awards and other payments.

Prime recipients (States, Territories, and Tribes) of CCDF ARRA funds are responsible for reporting the information required by Section 1512. Lead Agencies with ARRA awards of less than \$25,000 are not required to file a Section 1512 report. Prime recipients may choose to delegate certain reporting requirements to sub-recipients (such as a county). If a Lead Agency chooses not to delegate sub-recipient reporting, the Lead Agency is required to report on the expenditures by their sub-recipient. Lead Agencies may not delegate jobs reporting to sub-recipients. All data elements except for Number of Jobs should be reported cumulatively.

Both prime recipients and sub-recipients must report specific data elements associated with first-level vendors receiving payments of ARRA funds greater than \$25,000. Prime recipients and sub-recipients may not delegate reporting to vendors.

Lead Agencies may aggregate and report lump sums on 1) sub-awards to sub-recipients less than \$25,000; 2) sub-awards to individuals; and 3) payments to vendors less than

\$25,000. Lead Agencies should provide a separate aggregate dollar total for each of the three categories.

Lead Agencies and those sub-recipients that have been designated reporting responsibilities must register on <u>www.FederalReporting.gov</u>. Registration is currently open, and Lead Agencies are encouraged to register early. In order to register, one must have an email address, a DUNS number, and be registered in the Central Contractor Registration (CCR). Information on obtaining a DUNS number and registering in CCR is available at <u>www.FederalReporting.gov</u>.

Lead Agencies have three options for submitting reports into <u>www.FederalReporting.gov</u>. These include:

- 1. **Online data entry in a Web browser**: The website provides a straightforward data entry form, available via the user's Web browser, for report data entry.
- Excel spreadsheet: A Microsoft Excel spreadsheet is available for report submission. The user can download this spreadsheet, open the spreadsheet in Microsoft's Excel spreadsheet program, and fill it in. The spreadsheet can then be uploaded to the website with the user's browser at <u>www.FederalReporting.gov</u>. The spreadsheet is "locked" to restrict modification of the spreadsheet and allow data entry only in the required fields.
- 3. Custom software system extract in XML: Organizations with sufficient technical experience may choose to submit a properly formatted Extensible Markup Language (XML) file for their report submission. A service for validating the structure of XML extracts will be available on www.FederalReporting.gov prior to the submission period to ensure extracts are properly formatted. Recipients are strongly encouraged to test their report structures prior to the reporting period.

This guide provides suggestions for completing the Section 1512 report through <u>www.FederalReporting.gov</u>. The quality of data and timely submission of the reports is ultimately the responsibility of the Lead Agency.

# About the CCDF Specific Guidance for ARRA Section 1512 Reporting

This Guidance provides a CCDF specific data dictionary that walks through each data element included in Recipient Reporting Data Model v3.0 issued by OMB. Each piece of the dictionary includes the data element name, the OMB definition, and the CCB guidance. Data elements that will be completed by the system are in *italics*. Data elements that will need to be completed by the reporter are in **bold**.

In addition to the data dictionary, the following documents are attached:

- Attachment A: Jobs, including a worksheet on calculating the jobs created or retained
- Attachment B: Sub-recipients and vendors
- Attachment C: Key Reporting Dates
- Attachment D: Key Reporting Terms
- Attachment E: Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

# **Recipient Data Elements - Data Dictionary**<sup>1</sup>

OMB Data Element	OMB Definition	CCB Guidance
Funding Agency Code	Numeric Code of Federal Agency that is responsible for funding/distributing the ARRA funds to recipients	ACF code: 7590
Funding Agency Name	Federal Agency name corresponding to the Federal Agency Code used.	SYSTEM PROVIDED Administration for Children and Families
Awarding Agency Code	Numeric code of the agency that awarded and administering the award on behalf of the Funding Agency.	ACF code: 7590
Awarding Agency Name	The Federal Agency name corresponding to the Awarding Agency Code used.	SYSTEM PROVIDED Administration for Children and Families
Program Source (TAS)	Agency Treasury Account Symbol (TAS) – Program Source	75-1516
Award Number	Federal Grant or Other Identifying Number Assigned by the awarding Federal Agency. For grants: agency assigned award number.	This information will be listed as the Document Number on the Notice of Grant Award Letter. This field is case, space, and special character sensitive. Do not include the 'G' at the beginning of the award number. For example, if your award number is G0901XXCCD7, you would report 0901XXCCD7.
Order Number	This data element only applies to Contract.	This is an optional field and should be left blank by CCB grantees.
<b>Recipient DUNS Number</b>	Unique Identifier of Entity (DUNS	More information, including how to get a DUNS Number is

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> OMB "Transparency, Accountability, and Oversight," Recipient Reporting Data Model V3.0, Final for Quarter Ending 9/30/2009.

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	No.) The prime recipient organization's 9 digit Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS).	available at <u>http://fedgov.dnb.com/webform</u> . The same DUNS Number can be used for multiple reports.
Parent Duns Number	Unique Identifier of Parent Organization / Company (DUNS No.)	SYSTEM PROVIDED
Recipient Type	This data element is inferred from CCR. The field inferred is "Business Type" in CCR.	SYSTEM PROVIDED
CFDA Number	The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) number is the number associated with the published description of Federal assistance program in the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance.	93.713 ARRA – Child Care and Development Block Grant
Government Contracting Office Code	The agency supplied code of the contracting office that executes the transaction.	This is an optional field that only applies to federally awarded contracts. CCB grantees should leave this field blank.
Government Contracting Office Name	The government contracting office name inferred from the government contracting office code used.	SYSTEM PROVIDED This is an optional field that only applies to federally awarded contracts. The system will leave it blank.
Recipient Legal Name	Recipient Name and Address of Organization. The legal and DBA	SYSTEM PROVIDED
Recipient DBA Name Recipient Address 1 Recipient Address 2 Recipient Address 3 Recipient City	(Doing-Business-As) name of recipient organization and address, including zip code. This should be the same name and address that appears in recipient's Central	

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Recipient State	Contractor Registration profile.	
Recipient Zip Code		
Recipient Country		
Recipient Congressional District		Lead Agencies should provide Congressional District information for address listed above. Congressional District information can be found by entering state and zip code at <u>https://writerep.house.gov/writerep/welcome.shtml</u> . The two digit number after the state abbreviation is the only thing that should be included in this data element. For example, for the 16 <sup>th</sup> District of Texas (TX-16), report 16.
Recipient Account Number (optional)	Recipient's internal account number for project/award. The account number or any other identifying number assigned by the recipient to the award. This number is strictly for the recipient's use only and is not required by the awarding Federal agency.	This field provides the Lead Agency a space to include an internal account number for their records. The field is optional.
Final Report	Final Project Report Indicator (i.e. no future reports) (Y or N) Check "Y" only if this is the final report for the project/grant period specified.	-Y, if final report (once all ARRA funds are liquidated) -N, if not final report
Award Type	Transaction Type – Grant, Loan, or Federally Awarded Contract Other types of federal financial	Grant

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	assistance not specifically identified above should be reported under the award type of Grant.	
Award Date	Award Date (Date Signed)	April 9, 2009 04/09/2009
Award Description	<b>For Grants and Loans:</b> Award title and description with purpose of each funding action if any. The description should capture the overall purpose of the award. For example, "community development," "comprehensive community mental health services to adults with a serious mental illness," etc.	Lead Agencies should use the following standard language to complete this data element: "Title: ARRA Supplemental Funding for the Child Care and Development Fund (CCDF); Description: Provide child care financial assistance to low-income working families and fund activities to improve the quality of child care." The Project Description field will provide space to elaborate on details, goals, and measurements related to ARRA funded activities.
Project Name or Project/Program Title	The brief descriptive title of the project or activity funded in whole or in part with Recovery funds.	Child Care and Development Fund (CCDF)
Quarterly Activities/ Project Description	For Grants and Loans: A description of the overall purpose and expected outputs and outcomes or results of the award and first-tier Sub-award(s), including significant deliverables and, if appropriate, units of measure. For an award that funds	Lead Agencies should list all projects and activities funded wholly or in part using supplemental CCDF Discretionary ARRA funds. This should include policy changes that were made as a result of additional ARRA funds, such as increasing payment rates to child care providers. This field also provides Lead Agencies the opportunity to report quantitative results, such as the specific number of children who

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	multiple projects such as a formula block grant, the purpose and outcomes or results may be stated in broad terms.	did not lose subsidies or number of children removed from a waiting list. Lead Agencies should quantify the amount of ARRA funding (in dollar terms) for each activity, if possible.
		Lead Agencies are encouraged to use the "standardized" broad descriptions below and to list additional categories or add details as needed.
		Examples of how Lead Agencies might describe projects/activities/policy changes funded in whole or in part using ARRA supplemental funds include:
		<ul> <li>Serving families by:</li> <li>Decreasing parental co-payments</li> <li>Increasing income eligibility limits</li> <li>Providing child care services to families on a waiting list</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Extending job search for families receiving child care assistance</li> <li>Increasing child care provider payment rates</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>Investing in infrastructure systems, such as:</li> <li>A time and attendance system</li> </ul>
		<ul> <li>A provider training registry</li> <li>An IT database system for case management</li> </ul>
		An Electronic Benefits Transfer (EBT) system     Investing in quality initiatives, such as:
		<ul> <li>Child care provider training and professional development opportunities</li> </ul>
		• Scholarships, bonuses, and other financial incentives to child

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		<ul> <li>care providers</li> <li>A new or enhanced quality rating and improvement system (QRIS)</li> <li>Enforcement of licensing or regulation standards</li> <li>Grants, technical assistance, and supports to help providers meet standards</li> <li>Infant and Toddler network Specialists</li> <li>Increasing access to child care information by: <ul> <li>Translating child care brochures/materials for Limited-English proficient parents and provider</li> <li>Creating or updating consumer education materials</li> <li>Supporting Child Care Resource &amp; Referral agencies</li> </ul> </li> <li>Examples: <ul> <li>Served families by increasing income eligibility from 150% of Federal Poverty Level (FPL) to 200% FPL to serve 1000 additional children (\$5 million).</li> <li>Invested in quality initiatives by providing bonuses to child care providers. The dollar amount of each bonus was based on the quality rating achieved by the provider (\$500,000).</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
Project Status	Evaluation of completion status of the project or activity. The status of the work that has been completed. This evaluation should be based on performance progress reports and other relevant non- financial performance information.	Lead Agencies should indicate the completion status of the projects or activities described in the Project Description data element. The projects or activities should be considered as a package, rather than listing the completion status of each individual activity. The Lead Agency should use the categories below:

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	Options for selection: Not started; Less than 50% completed; Completed 50% or more; Fully Completed.	-Not started -Less than 50% completed -Completed 50% or more -Fully Completed
	For awards funding multiple projects such as formula block grants, provide your best estimate of completion of all projects based on any aggregate data and information.	
Activity Code (NAICS or NTEE-NPC)	Information. Description of Project or Activity (NAICS code(s) or NTEE-NPC code(s)). For awards primarily funding infrastructure projects or activities, as defined by the awarding agency, provide the North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code(s) that described the Recovery Act projects or activities under this award. A searchable code list is at <u>http://www.census.gov/naics/</u> . For all other awards, provide the National Center for Charitable Statistics "NTEE-NPC" code(s) that describe the Recovery Act projects or activities under this award. A searchable code list is <u>http://nccsdataweb.urban.org/Pub</u>	NTEE-NPC Code: P02.03- Child Care

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Activity description	Apps/nteeSearch.php?gQry=all- core&codeType=NPC Description of the Activity Code	SYSTEM PROVIDED
	for NAICS or NTEE-NPC.	(Inferred from Activity Code above.)
Number Of Jobs	Jobs created and retained. An estimate of the number of jobs created and jobs retained in the United States and outlying areas. At a minimum, this estimate shall include any new positions created and any existing filled positions that were retained to support or carry out Recovery Act projects, activities, or federally awarded contracts managed directly by the recipient or federal contractor. For grants and loans, the number shall include the number of jobs created and retained by sub recipients and vendors. The number shall be express as "full-time equivalent" (FTE), calculated as all hours worked divided by the total number of hours in a full-time schedule, as defined by the recipient or federal contractor.	Lead Agencies are asked to provide an estimate of the number of direct jobs created and jobs retained through supplemental ARRA funding. A job cannot be counted as both created and retained. Lead Agencies should include jobs created or retained at the prime recipient (State, Territory, or Tribe), sub-recipient, and vendor level whenever possible. This number should be expressed as a "full-time equivalent" (FTE). FTE is calculated as total hours worked in jobs created or retained divided by the total number of hours in a full-time schedule, as defined by the Lead Agency. See Attachment A: Jobs for more details on calculating number of jobs created or retained and more details on converting them into FTE estimates.

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	employee working half days	
	would be reported as 2.5 FTE in	
	the calendar quarter. A job cannot	
	be reported as both created and retained. As used in this	
	instruction, United States means	
	the 50 States and the District of	
	Columbia, and outlying areas	
	means- (1) Commonwealths.	
	(i) Puerto Rico.	
	(i) The Northern Mariana	
	Islands;	
	(2) Territories.	
	(i) American Samoa.	
	(i) American Sanida. (ii) Guam.	
	(iii) U.S. Virgin Islands; and	
	(3) Minor outlying islands.	
	(i) Baker Island.	
	(i) Howland Island.	
	(iii) Jarvis Island.	
	(iv) Johnston Atoll.	
	(v) Kingman Reed.	
	(v) Kingman Reed. (vi) Midway Islands	
	(vi) Navassa Island.	
	(vii) Palmyra Atoll.	
	(ix) Wake Atoll.	
Description of Jobs	A narrative description of the	Narrative Description
Created	employment impact of the	<b>P</b>
	Recovery Act funded work. This	Lead Agencies should include a brief description of the types of

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	narrative is cumulative for each calendar quarter and at a minimum, will address the impact on the recipient's or federal contractor's workforce (for grants and loans, recipients shall also	jobs directly created/retained with supplemental ARRA funding. This description may rely on job titles, broader labor categories, or the Lead Agency's existing practice for describing jobs as long as the terms used are widely understood and describe the general nature of the work.
	include the impact on the workforces of sub recipients and vendors).	Child care plays an important role as a service that supports employment for working parents (See Schaefer, Kreader, and Collins <i>Parental Employment and the Use of Child Care Subsidies</i> 2006 http://researchconnections.org/SendPdf?resourceId=8725).
	At a minimum, provide a brief description of the types of jobs created and jobs retained in the United States and outlying areas.	Lead Agencies are encouraged to include available data regarding parental employment in the Description of Jobs Created field. However, these figures should not be included in the calculation of Number Of Jobs field. Lead Agencies may also include
	"Jobs or positions created" means those new positions created and filled, or previously existing	information about the number of provider jobs supported through ARRA funded certificates/vouchers. However, these are indirect jobs and should not be included in the Number of Jobs
	unfilled positions that are filled, as a result of Recovery Act funding. "Jobs or positions retained" means those previously existing filled	field. Unlike the Number of Jobs field, the Description of Jobs Created field is cumulative <sup>2</sup> . Lead Agencies should include descriptions of
	positions that are retained as a result of Recovery Act funding. This description may rely on job	all jobs created or retained with ARRA funds. Lead Agencies may not employ a statistical method to determine
	titles, broader labor categories, or the recipient's existing practice for describing jobs as long as the terms used are widely understood	the number of jobs created or retained. See <i>Attachment A: Jobs</i> for additional information and examples.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> OMB Memorandum 10-08 "Updated Guidance on the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act- Data Quality, Non-Reporting Recipients, and Reporting of Jobs Estimates" (December 18, 2009), p.10, footnote 2. http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/assets/memoranda\_2010/m10-08.pdf

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	and describe the general nature of the work.	
Amount of Award	<b>For Grants:</b> The total amount of Federal dollars on the award	Lead Agencies should list the total ARRA federal funding amount listed on the award document.
Total Federal Amount ARRA Funds Received/Invoiced	<b>For Grants and Loans:</b> The amount of Recovery Act funds received through draw-down, reimbursement or invoice.	Lead Agencies should include the dollar amount of ARRA funds that have been drawn-down by the CCDF Lead Agency through the Payment Management System (PMS). The Lead Agency may choose to contact its fiscal office in order to complete this data element.
Total Federal Amount of ARRA Expenditure	Amount of recovery funds received that were expended to projects or activities ("Federal Share of Expenditures"). The cumulative total for the amount of Federal fund expenditures. For reports prepared on a cash basis, expenditures are the sum of cash disbursements for direct charges for property and services; the amount of indirect expense charged; the value of third-party in-kind contributions applied; and the amount of cash advance payments and payments made to subcontractors and sub-awardees. For reports prepared on an accrual basis, expenditures are the sum of cash disbursements for direct charges for property and services;	Lead Agencies should indicate the total cumulative amount of CCDF ARRA funds that have been expended (liquidated) through the end of the reporting quarter. For States and Territories, this amount should equal the amount reported on the Lead Agency's ACF-696, Column E "ARRA" fund expenditures reported for the same quarter end date. Total Federal Amount of ARRA Expenditure should not exceed the Amount of Award.

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	the amount of indirect expense incurred; the value of in-kind contributions applied; and the net increase or decrease in the amounts owed by the recipient for (1) goods and other property received; (2) services performed by employees, contractors, subcontractors, sub-awardees, and other payees; and (3) programs for which no current services or performance are required. Do not include program income expended.	
Total Federal ARRA Infrastructure Expenditure (Conditional)	This is for grants and loans only. Total federal ARRA infrastructure expenditure	<ul> <li>Lead Agencies should identify in this data element any expenditure of CCDF ARRA funds on infrastructure investments such as case management systems, professional development databases, or other IT systems costs for the CCDF program using ARRA funds. States and Territories may wish to refer to the ACF-696, Column E – 1(h)(1) Non-Direct Services "Systems" categorical line item. As with regular CCDF funds, supplemental ARRA funds can only be used for minor renovations, not construction or major renovations.</li> <li>Tribes may use funds for construction or major renovation upon application and approval.</li> <li>Lead Agencies only need to complete this data element if ARRA funds were used for infrastructure projects.</li> </ul>

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Infrastructure Purpose and Rationale	Purpose and rationale of funds received for infrastructure investment with funds made available under the Recovery Act. Identify the purpose and explain how the infrastructure investment will contribute to one or more purposes of the Recovery Act: Purposes: (1) To preserve and create jobs and promote economic recovery. (2) To assist those most impacted by the recession. (3) To provide investments needed to increase economic efficiency by spurring technological advances in science and health. (4) To invest in transportation, environmental protection, and other infrastructure that will provide long-term economic benefits. (5) To stabilize State and local government budgets, in order to minimize and avoid reductions in essential services and counterproductive state and local tax increases.	Lead Agencies should provide a narrative description and rationale for using CCDF ARRA funds to invest in infrastructure in the context of the stated purposes of the Recovery Act. For example, adopting EBT for tracking subsidies will increase economic efficiency by minimizing delays in payment to providers.
Infrastructure Contact Name Infrastructure Contact	Name, phone number, address, and email address of the appropriate contact.	

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Street Address 1		
Infrastructure Contact		
Street Address 2		
Infrastructure Contact		
Street Address 3		
Infrastructure Contact		
City		
Infrastructure Contact		
State		
Infrastructure State/Local		
Contact Zip Code + 4		
Infrastructure Contact		
Email		
Infrastructure Contact		
Phone		
Infrastructure Contact		
Extn		
Primary Place of	Recipient Primary Place of	The Lead Agency should list the municipality impacted by the
Performance- Street	Performance (city, state,	largest portion of the ARRA funds. In the event that it is not
Address 1 (optional)	congressional district, and	possible to determine a single place, the Lead Agency should list
Primary Place of	country) physical location of	the capitol (or headquarters) of the State, Territory, or Tribe for
Performance-Street	primary place of performance	the primary place of performance.
Address 2 (optional)	-	
Primary Place of		Street Address is optional.
Performance- State		Land Aganaiag must provide Congressional District information
Primary Place of		Lead Agencies must provide Congressional District information for Primary Place of Performance. Congressional District
Performance- Country		information can be found by entering state and zip code at
Primary Place of		https://writerep.house.gov/writerep/welcome.shtml. The two digit
Performance- Zip Code + 4		number after the state abbreviation is the only thing that should
Primary Place of		number after the state abbreviation is the only thing that should

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Performance- City	-	be included in this data element. For example, for the 16 <sup>th</sup> District
Primary Place of		of Texas (TX-16), report 16.
Performance-		
Congressional District Prime Recipient indication	Names and total companyation of	Veg on No Field. The Lood Agency should engue Veg if all of
of reporting applicability	Names and total compensation of each of the five most highly	Yes or No Field. The Lead Agency should answer Yes if all of these conditions apply. If all of them do not apply, answer No.
or reporting applicability	compensated officers of the	these conditions apply. If an of them do not apply, answer ivo.
	recipient for the calendar year in	In this field, Lead Agencies should use the criteria provided in the
	which the award is awarded if-	OMB definition to determine if they need to report the names and compensation of the five most highly compensated officers.
	(i) In the recipient's preceding	compensation of the five most nightly compensated officers.
	fiscal year, the recipient received-	
	(A) 80 percent or more of its	
	annual gross revenues from	
	Federal contracts (and	
	subcontracts), loans, grants (and	
	subgrants) and cooperative	
	agreements; and	
	(B) \$25,000,000 or more in annual	
	gross revenues from Federal	
	contracts (and subcontracts), loans,	
	grants (and subgrants) and	
	cooperative agreements; and	
	(ii) The public does not have	
	access to information about the	
	compensation of the senior	
	executives through periodic	
	reports filed under section 13(a) or	

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	15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.S. 78m(a), 780(d)) or section 6104 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.	
Prime Recipient Highly Compensated Name (5) (conditional)	Name each of the five most highly compensated officers of the recipient for the calendar year in which the award is awarded if- (i) In the recipient's preceding fiscal year, the recipient received-	This is a conditional field based on the "Prime Recipient indication of reporting applicability" data element. If the Lead Agency answered Yes in that field, then this data element must be completed. If the Lead Agency answered No, then this element can be left blank.
	<ul> <li>(A) 80 percent or more of its annual gross revenues from Federal contracts (and subcontracts), loans, grants (and subgrants) and cooperative agreements; and</li> <li>(B) \$25,000,000 or more in annual gross revenues from Federal contracts (and subcontracts), loans, grants (and subgrants) and cooperative agreements; and</li> </ul>	
	<ul> <li>(ii) The public does not have access to information about the compensation of the senior executives through periodic reports filed under section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.S. 78m(a),</li> </ul>	

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	78o(d)) or section 6104 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.	
Prime Recipient Highly Compensated Compensation (5) (conditional)	<ul> <li>For the five most highly compensated officers of the recipient: total compensation.</li> <li>"Total compensation" is defined for Grants and Loans: "Total compensation" means the cash and noncash dollar value earned by the executive during the sub recipient's past fiscal year of the following (for more information see 17 CFR 229.402(c)(2)):</li> <li>(i) Salary and bonus.</li> <li>(ii). Awards of stock, stock options, and stock appreciation rights. Use the dollar amount recognized for financial statement reporting purposes with respect tot eh fiscal year in accordance with FAS 123R.</li> <li>(iii). Earnings for services under non-equity incentive plans. Does not include group life, health, hospitalization, or medical reimbursement plans that do not discriminate in favor of executive, and are available generally to all salaried employees.</li> </ul>	This is a conditional field based on the "Prime Recipient indication of reporting applicability" data element. If the Lead Agency answered Yes in that field, then this data element must be completed. If the Lead Agency answered No, then this element can be left blank.
	salaried employees. (iv). Change in pension value. This	

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Total Number of Sub- awards to individuals	is the change in present value of defined benefit and actuarial pension plans. (v). Above-market earnings on deferred compensation which are not tax-qualified. (vi). Other compensation. For example, severance, termination payments, value of life insurance paid on behalf of the employee, perquisites or property if the value for the executive exceeds \$10,000. Total number of Sub-awards to individuals.	Enter the number of sub-awards (such as grants and contracts) to individuals. CCDF certificates/vouchers do not count as sub- awards to individuals. Therefore, in most instances the number in the field will be zero (0).
Total Amount of Sub- Awards to individuals	Total amount of sub-awards to individuals.	Enter the number of sub-awards (such as grants and contracts) to individuals. CCDF certificates/vouchers do not count as sub- awards to individuals. Therefore, in most instances the number in the field will be zero (0). However, all expenditures on certificates/vouchers must be included in the Total Federal Amount of ARRA Expenditure data element.
Total Number of payments to vendors less than \$25,000/award	For Grants and Loans Only Total number of payments to vendors less than \$25,000.	The Lead Agencies should report the total number of payments to vendors valued less than \$25,000. Multiple payments to the same vendor should count as separate awards.
		See <i>Attachment B: Sub-recipients and vendors</i> for more information on how to categorize an organization.

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Total Amount of payments to vendors less than \$25,000/award	<b>For Grants and Loans Only</b> Total amount of payments to vendors less than \$25,000/award for the reporting quarter.	The Lead Agencies should report the total dollar amount of payments to vendors valued less than \$25,000. If multiple payments were made to the same vendor, as long as they were each under \$25,000 even if the total is greater than \$25,000, should be included in this field. They do not have to be reported out separately.	
Total Number of Sub- Awards less than \$25,000/award	Total number of sub-awards less than \$25,000	Lead Agencies should report the total number of sub-awards to sub-recipients valued less than \$25,000. Multiple sub-awards to the same recipient should count as separate awards See <i>Attachment B: Sub-recipients and vendors</i> for more information on how to categorize an organization.	
Total Amount of Sub- awards less than \$25,000/award	Total Amount of sub-awards less than \$25,000/award for the reporting quarter.	Lead Agencies should report the total dollar value of sub-awards to sub-recipients valued less than \$25,000 per award in the reporting quarter. Multiple sub-awards to the same sub-recipient should count as separate awards. See <i>Attachment B: Sub-recipients and vendors</i> for more information on how to categorize an organization.	
SUB RECIPIENT DATA EI organization.)	SUB RECIPIENT DATA ELEMENTS (See Attachment B: Sub-recipients and vendors for more information on how to categorize an		
Sub Recipient DUNS number	The sub recipient organization's 9- digit Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) number.	More information, including how to get a DUNS Number is available at <u>http://fedgov.dnb.com/webform</u> . The same DUNS Number can be used for multiple reports.	
Sub-award Number	Sub-award Number or Other Identifying Number Assigned by the Recipient Entity	This number is assigned by the prime recipient, the State, Territory, or Tribe, and will likely be found on the award letter or contract.	
Sub Recipient Legal Name	The legal name of sub recipients as registered in CCR or D&B	SYSTEM PROVIDED	

OMB Data Element	OMB Definition	CCB Guidance
		This field is system provided based on what is in CCR or D&B.
Sub recipient DBA Name	The Doing-Business-As (DBA) name of sub recipient as registered in CCR or D&B	SYSTEM PROVIDED This field is system provided based on what is in CCR or D&B.
Sub recipient Address 1	Sub recipient Location. Physical	SYSTEM PROVIDED
Sub recipient Address 2	location as listed in the Central	
Sub Recipient Address 3	Contractor Registration (CCR).	
Sub Recipient City		
Sub Recipient State		
Sub Recipient Zip code+4		
Sub recipient Country		
Sub Recipient Congressional District	Congressional District of sub recipient's physical location.	Provide Congressional District information for address listed above. Congressional District information can be found by entering state and zip code at <u>https://writerep.house.gov/writerep/welcome.shtml</u> . The two digit number after the state abbreviation is the only thing that should be included in this data element. For example, for the 16 <sup>th</sup> District of Texas (TX-16), report 16.
Sub Recipient Type	This data element is inferred from CCR. The field inferred is "Business Type" in CCR.	SYSTEM PROVIDED
Amount of Sub-award	The anticipated amount of funds to be disbursed to the sub-awardee over the life of the award.	Total amount of sub-award.
Total Sub-award Funds Disbursed	<b>For Grants and Loans Only.</b> Amount of Sub-award disbursed. The cumulative amount of cash disbursed to the sub-awardee as of the reporting period end date.	Cumulative dollar value of amount that has been received by sub- recipient at time of reporting. The funds do not have to have been liquidated yet, just received.

OMB Data Element	OMB Definition	CCB Guidance
Sub-award Date	Sub-award Date. The data the Sub- award was signed (yyyymmdd).	This date is on the sub-award document. For example, July 1, 2009 would read 20090701.
Sub recipient Primary Place of Performance- Street Address 1 (optional) Sub recipient Primary Place of Performance- Street Address 2 (optional) Sub recipient Place of Performance- State Sub recipient Place of Performance- Country Sub recipient Place of Performance- Zip code+4	Sub recipient Place of Performance (city, state, congressional district and country). The physical location of primary place of performance.	Address of physical location of Primary Place of Performance. Street address is optional.
Sub recipient indication of reporting applicability	Names and total compensation of each of the five most highly compensated officers of the sub recipient for the calendar year in which the award is awarded if- (i) In the sub recipient's preceding fiscal year, and the sub recipient received- (A) 80 percent or more of its annual gross revenues from Federal contracts (and subcontracts), loans, grants (and subgrants) and cooperative agreements; and	This is a Yes or No field. Enter Yes if all of the conditions in the definition apply to the sub-recipient and report in the highly compensated field. If all of the conditions do not apply, then enter No and do not answer highly compensated field. In this field, sub-recipients should use the criteria provided in the OMB definition to determine if they need to report the names and compensation of the five most highly compensated officers.

OMB Data Element	OMB Definition	CCB Guidance
Sub recipient Highly Compensated Name (5) (conditional)	<ul> <li>(B) \$25,000,000 or more in annual gross revenues from Federal contracts (and subgrants) and cooperative agreements; and</li> <li>(ii) The public does not have access to information about the compensation of the senior executives through periodic reports filed under section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78m(a), 78o(d)) or section 6104 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.</li> <li>Names of each of the five most highly compensated officers of the sub recipient for the calendar year in which the award is awarded if-</li> <li>(i) In the sub recipient's preceding fiscal year, the sub recipient received-</li> <li>(A) 80 percent or more of its annual gross revenues from Federal contracts (and subcontracts), loans, grants (and subgrants) and cooperative agreements; and</li> <li>(B) \$25,000,000 or more in annual gross revenues from Federal contracts (and subcontracts), loans, grants (and subgrants) and</li> </ul>	This is a conditional field and only needs to be completed if reporting recipient or sub recipient answered "Yes" in the applicability data element.

OMB Data Element	OMB Definition	CCB Guidance
Sub recipient Highly Compensated Compensation (5) (conditional)	cooperative agreements; and (ii) The public does not have access to information about the compensation of the senior executives through periodic reports filed under section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78m(a), 78o(d)) or section 6104 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. For the five most highly compensated officers of the sub recipient: total compensation. "Total compensation" is defined for <b>Grants and Loans:</b> "Total Compensation" means the cash and noncash dollar value earned by the executive during the sub recipient's past fiscal year of the following (for more information see 17 CFR 229.402(c)(2)): i. Salary and bonus. ii. Awards of stock, stock options, and stock appreciation rights. Use the dollar amount recognized for financial statement reporting purposes with respect to the fiscal year in accordance with FAS 123R.	Total value of compensation. This is a conditional field and only needs to be completed if reporting recipient or sub recipient answered "Yes" in the applicability data element.

OMB Data Element	OMB Definition	CCB Guidance
	iii. Earnings for services under	
	non-equity incentive plans. Does	
	not include group life, health,	
	hospitalization or medical	
	reimbursement plans that do not	
	discriminate in favor of	
	executives, and are available	
	generally to all salaried	
	employees.	
	iv. Change in pension value. This	
	is the change in present value of	
	defined benefit and actuarial	
	pension plans.	
	v. Above-market earnings on	
	deferred compensation which are	
	not tax-qualified.	
	vi. Other compensation. For	
	example, severance, termination	
	payments, value of life insurance	
	paid on behalf of the employee,	
	perquisites or property if the value	
	for the executive exceeds \$10,000.	
	TS (See Attachment B: Sub-recipient	ts and vendors for more information on how to categorize an
organization.)	1	
Award Number-Prime	For Grants and Loans Only:	Complete this field if submitting Prime Recipient (State,
Recipient Vendor	Identifying Number Assigned by	Territory, or Tribe) vendor information.
	the prime recipient	
Sub-award Number-Sub	For Grants and Loans Only:	Complete this field if submitting sub recipient vendor
recipient Vendor	Award Number or other	information.
	identifying number assigned by	

OMB Data Element	OMB Definition	CCB Guidance
	the sub-recipient	
Vendor DUNS Number	For Grants and Loans Only:	More information, including how to get a DUNS Number is
	Vendor Duns Number. The	available at <u>http://fedgov.dnb.com/webform</u> . The same DUNS
	vendor's 9 digit Data Universal	Number can be used for multiple reports. If DUNS is unavailable,
	Numbering System (DUNS)	must provide vendor's zip code and vendor name.
	number.	
Vendor HQ Zip Code+4	For Grants and Loans Only: The	Vender Headquarters zip code is required if DUNS number is
	zip code of the Vendor's	unavailable.
	headquarters	
Vendor Name	For Grants and Loans Only: The	Vendor Name if DUNS number is unavailable.
	name of the vendor.	
Product and Service	For Grants and Loans Only: A	Very brief description of product and/or service provided by
Description	description of the product and/or	vendor. Sub recipients are not required to report this information
	service provided by the vendor.	for their vendors.
	This field is optional for vendors	
	of sub-recipients.	
Payment Amount	For Grants and Loans Only:	Aggregate dollar amount invoiced to the vendor. Sub-recipients
	The amount invoiced to the	are not required to report this information for their vendors.
	vendor (aggregated) that will be	
	paid with ARRA funds. This	
	field is optional for vendors of	
	sub-recipients.	

# Attachment 1: Jobs

This attachment provides detailed information about counting and reporting the number of jobs created or retained due to funds provided by the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) of 2009.

# Jobs Created or Retained

In the data elements **Number of Jobs** and **Description of Jobs Created**– Lead Agencies are asked to report on jobs *directly* created or retained as a result of ARRA funding. These may include:

- Staff positions within the State, Territorial, or Tribal government; and
- Jobs created or retained directly through subawards to sub-recipients and vendors.

A job cannot be counted as both created and retained. Lead Agencies do not need to differentiate between jobs created and jobs retained for the **Number of Jobs** field. Instead, Lead Agencies should report the total number of jobs funded through ARRA.

Lead Agencies should not report under the **Number of Jobs** data element the number of jobs for parents that were created or retained through the provision of child care subsidies to families. While subsidies often support a parent's ability to obtain/maintain employment, OMB guidance instructs that this data element is not intended to capture indirect or induced job creation/retention. However, Lead Agencies may report any available information on parental jobs in the **Description of Jobs Created** narrative data element.

Lead Agencies should not report under the **Number of Jobs** data element the number of child care provider jobs that were created or retained through payments of certificates/vouchers. These jobs are considered indirect jobs. However, Lead Agencies may report any available information on child care provider jobs funded by certificates/vouchers in the **Description of Jobs Created** narrative data element.

Examples of job descriptions that may be counted in the **Number of Jobs** data element and may be used in the **Description of Jobs Created** data element are:

- Administrative jobs
- Eligibility determination workers
- Licensors/inspectors
- Trainers
- Technical assistance providers
- Child care providers
- Other

# **Full-Time Equivalents (FTE)**

Jobs must be reported in terms of Full-Time Equivalents (FTE).

FTE is calculated by adding the total ARRA funded hours worked by all employees in the quarter, and dividing by the total hours in a full-time schedule.

# FTE Example

- Assume that a recipient is preparing its quarterly report and the recipient's ARRA dollars funded two full-time employees and one part-time employee working half days for the quarter.
- Also assume that the recipient's full-time schedule for the quarter is 520 hours (2080 hours in a work-year divided by 4).
- To convert hours worked to number of FTE for the quarterly report, aggregate all hours worked and divide by the number of hours in a full-time schedule for the quarter.
- In this example, full-time hours worked (520 hrs x 2 employees = 1040) + part-time hours worked (260) / number of hours in a full-time schedule for the quarter (520 hours) = 2.5 FTE reported in the first quarterly report ((1040+260)/520=2.5).

The table below shows the FTE calculations through the lifecycle of the above example.

Year	2009		2010			
Period	3 <sup>rd</sup> Qtr	4 <sup>th</sup> Qtr	1 <sup>st</sup> Qtr	2 <sup>nd</sup> Qtr	3 <sup>rd</sup> Qtr	4 <sup>th</sup> Qtr
Full-time	520	520	520	520	520	520
schedule						
Full-time employee 1	520	520	520	520	520	520
Full-time employee 2	520	520	520	520	520	520
Part-time employee (half time)	260	260	260	260	260	260
Temporary employee (650 hours)	0	0	130	130	130	0
Total hours worked	1300	1300	1430	1430	1430	1300
FTE (Total hours worked/full- time schedule)	2.50	2.50	2.75	2.75	2.75	2.50

#### Table 1. Full-Time Equivalents (FTE) Table

Additional Notes regarding FTE

- As shown in the example above, temporary employees should be included in the calculations.
- Paid vacation and sick time should also be included in the calculation, as long as the person would have been on the ARRA funded project.

• Per revised OMB guidance, Lead Agencies should not cumulate hours worked across several quarters<sup>1</sup>. Lead Agencies should enter the **FTEs** in the **Number of Jobs** data element for only the quarter covered by the report being submitted.

## State, Territorial, and Tribal Government Positions

States, Territories, or Tribes may choose to hire or retain staff with funds provided through ARRA. Any staff work hours funded with ARRA dollars should be included in the direct jobs count reported in the **Number of Jobs** data element. Tribes should also include child care work hours at tribally-operated child care centers. Work hours used for administering parts of ARRA but not funded by ARRA should not be included in the **Number of Jobs** data element.

## Sub-recipients and Vendors

On a quarterly basis, the Lead Agency needs to collect information from sub-recipients and vendors about jobs created and retained and has discretion for determining the method of collection. Lead Agencies cannot delegate jobs reporting to sub-recipients<sup>2</sup>.

To collect information on the number of jobs created or retained through ARRA funds, the Lead Agency may choose to:

- Contact a sub-recipient or vendor directly;
- Require sub-recipients and vendors to provide information as a condition of funding;
- Use personnel records from Counties and other sub-recipients; and/or,
- Use invoices from vendors which include the number of hours worked during the invoice period.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> OMB Memorandum 10-08 "Updated Guidance on the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act- Data Quality, Non-Reporting Recipients, and Reporting of Jobs Estimates" (December 18, 2009), p.14.

http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/assets/memoranda\_2010/m10-08.pdf

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> OMB Guidance Memorandum 09-21 "Implementing Guidance for the Reports on Use of Funds Pursuant to the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009" (June 22, 2009), p. 34 states, "Recipients of grants, cooperative agreements, and loans, must include in the aggregate number and their narrative description an estimate of the number of jobs created or retained on projects and activities managed by their funding recipients."

http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/assets/memoranda\_fy2009/m09-21.pdf

# Worksheet for Calculating Jobs Created or Retained

The purpose of this worksheet is to provide Lead Agencies with a tool for calculating the number of jobs created or retained with ARRA funds, as well as to collect information on the types of jobs created or retained. The use of this worksheet is optional, and Lead Agencies may modify it to fit their needs.

## Quarter Ending: \_\_\_\_

MM/DD/YYYY

**Section 1. Calculating Full-Time Equivalents (FTE).** Complete each field to calculate the Full-Time Equivalents (FTE) of the estimated number of jobs created and retained for each job type.

#### Table 1. State, Territory, and Tribal Government Jobs

А.	Number of ARRA funded State, Territory, or	
	Tribal government work hours.	
В.	Number of hours in a full-time schedule for	
	State, Territory, or Tribal jobs.	
C.	Number of State, Territory, or Tribal FTEs.	
	Divide the value in Line A by the value in Line B	
	of this table.	

#### Table 2. Child Care Provider Jobs from Grants/Contracts

А.	Number of Child Care Provider work hours from ARRA funded grants/contracts.	
В.	Number of hours in a full-time schedule for child care providers funded by grants/contracts.	
C.	Number of Child Care Provider FTEs funded by grants/contracts. Divide the value in Line A by the value in Line B of this table.	

#### **Table 3. Local Government Jobs**

<b>A.</b>	Number of local government work hours.	
В.	Number of hours in a full-time schedule for local government jobs.	
C.	<b>Number of local government FTEs.</b> Divide the value in Line A by the value in Line B of this table.	

#### Table 4. Resource and Referral Agency Jobs

<b>A.</b>	Number of resource and referral agency work	

	hours.	
В.	Number of hours in a full-time schedule for	
	resource and referral agency jobs.	
C.	Number of resource and referral agency FTEs.	
	Divide the value in Line A by the value in Line B	
	of this table.	

# Table 5. Eligibility Determination and Administration Jobs

<b>A.</b>	Number of eligibility determination and	
	administration work hours.	
В.	Number of hours in a full-time schedule for	
	eligibility determination and administration	
	jobs.	
C.	Number of eligibility determination and	
	administration FTEs. Divide the value in Line A	
	by the value in Line B of this table.	

#### **Table 6. Quality Improvement Jobs**

А.	Number of quality improvement work hours.	
<b>B.</b>	Number of hours in a full-time schedule for	
	quality improvement jobs.	
С.	Number of quality improvement FTEs. Divide	
	the value in Line A by the value in Line B of this	
	table.	

#### Table 7. Research, Evaluation, and Other Related Jobs

<b>A.</b>	Number of work hours for research, evaluation, and other related activities. One	
	example would the market rate survey.	
В.	Number of hours in a full-time schedule for	
	research and evaluation jobs.	
C.	Number of research and evaluation FTEs.	
	Divide the value in Line A by the value in Line B	
	of this table.	

#### **Table 8. Other Jobs**

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<b>A.</b>	Other work hours not included in any of the above categories.			
В.	Number of hours in a full-time schedule for			
	other jobs.			
C.	Number of other FTEs. Divide the value in Line			
	A by the value in Line B of this table.			

**Section 2. Calculating Number of Jobs Created or Retained.** Complete the fields with the FTEs calculated in Section 1. The final sum should be entered in the **Number of Jobs** data element.

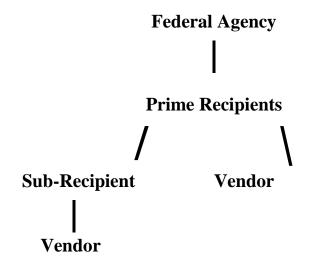
# Table 9. Total FTEs

<b>A.</b>	Number of State, Territory, or Tribal FTEs.				
	From Table 1, Line C.				
В.	Number of Child Care Provider FTEs funded				
	by grants/contracts. From Table 2, Line C.				
C.	Number of local government FTEs. From Table				
	3, Line C.				
D.	Number of resource and referral agency FTEs.				
	From Table 4, Line C.				
Е.	Number of eligibility determination and				
	administration FTEs. From Table 5, Line C.				
F.	Number of quality improvement FTEs. From				
	Table 6, Line C.				
G.	Number of research and evaluation FTEs.				
	From Table 7, Line C.				
H.	Number of other FTEs. From Table 8, Line C.				
I.	Total Number of ARRA funded FTEs. Sum				
	Line A through Line I of this table.				
	*This value should be entered in the Number of				
	Jobs data element.*				

#### **Attachment 2: Sub-recipients and Vendors**

Prime Recipients (States, Territories, and Tribes) of ARRA funds may provide funds through grants or contracts to **sub-recipients**, **vendors**, and **individuals**. This attachment provides an explanation of each type of awardee and differentiates each for purposes of Section 1512 reporting.

The illustration below demonstrates the basic framework for prime recipient and sub-recipient reporting.



## **Sub-Recipients**

A **sub-recipient** is a non-Federal entity that expends Federal awards received from another entity to carry out a Federal program but does not include an individual who is a beneficiary of such a program<sup>1</sup>.

The terms and conditions of the Federal award are carried forward to the **sub-recipient**. It is possible that a sub-recipient for one award may also be a prime recipient of another Federal award provided directly from the Federal Government.<sup>2</sup> **Sub-recipients** that receive all or a portion of Recovery funding from a prime recipient may be delegated the responsibility by the prime recipient to report information into the central reporting solution at <u>www.FederalReporting.gov</u>. This reporting requirement only extends to first-level **sub-recipients** that receive a contract or grant directly from the Lead Agency. Second-level **sub-recipients** that receive contracts or grants from first-level **sub-recipients** are not subject to Section 1512 reporting requirements.

Per OMB Circular A-133 Section 210, the following characteristics indicate that an award was received by a **sub-recipient**<sup>3</sup>. The organization:

1. Determines who is eligible for Federal financial assistance;

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> OMB Guidance Memorandum 09-21 "Implementing Guidance for the Reports on Use of Funds Pursuant to the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009" (June 22, 2009), p. 7.

http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/assets/memoranda\_fy2009/m09-21.pdf <sup>2</sup> Ibid.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> OMB Circular Number A-133 "Audits of States, Local Governments, and Non-Profit Organizations" (June 27, 2003). http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/rewrite/circulars/a133/a133.html#b

- 2. Has its performance measured against whether the objectives of the Federal program are met;
- 3. Has responsibility for programmatic decision making;
- 4. Has responsibility for adherence to applicable Federal program compliance requirements; and
- 5. Uses the Federal funds to carry out a program of the organization as compared to providing goods or services for a program of the pass-through entity.

An example of a **sub-recipient** of ARRA funds is a county that receives money from the Lead Agency to administer CCDF certificates/vouchers. Another example would be a child care provider contracted with the Lead Agency that is responsible for determining CCDF eligibility of applicants.

**Sub-recipients** of sub-awards greater than \$25,000 are subject to Section 1512 reporting requirements. Lead Agencies may choose to report for **sub-recipients** or delegate reporting to some or all of their **sub-recipients**. However, Lead Agencies may not delegate reporting of jobs created or retained at the **sub-recipient** level. Refer to the *Attachment A: Jobs* for more information on **sub-recipient** job reporting.

Lead Agencies may aggregate reporting on sub-awards of less than \$25,000 to sub-recipients.

# Vendors

A **vendor** is defined as a dealer, distributor, merchant, or other seller providing goods or services that are required for the conduct of a Federal program<sup>1</sup>. Also, a vendor:

- 1. Provides the goods and services within normal business operations;
- 2. Provides similar goods or services to many different purchasers;
- 3. Operates in a competitive environment;
- 4. Provides goods or services that are ancillary to the operation of the Federal program; and
- 5. Is not subject to compliance requirements of the Federal program.

**Vendors** are not subject to Section 1512 reporting requirements. However, Lead Agencies and their sub-recipients are required to report certain data elements about **vendors** receiving payments of greater than \$25,000. Specifically, prime recipients (States, Territories, and Tribes) are required to provide vendor DUNS number, zip code of the vendor headquarters, vendor name, a product and service description, and the payment amount.

Lead Agencies may aggregate reporting on payments to **vendors** of less than \$25,000. **Sub-recipients** do not need to report on payments to **vendors** of less than \$25,000.

An example of a **vendor** would be a child care center that the Lead Agency contracts with to provide slots to CCDF eligible children if the center does not determine eligibility and has slots available to other children, regardless of family income. Another example of a **vendor** would be a software company contracted to create a provider database for the Lead Agency.

# Individuals

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> OMB Guidance Memorandum 09-21 "Implementing Guidance for the Reports on Use of Funds Pursuant to the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009" (June 22, 2009), p. 7.

http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/assets/memoranda\_fy2009/m09-21.pdf

In general, **individuals** receiving benefit payments or other types of Federal awards are excluded from reporting information under Section 1512. Only **individuals** that are considered sole-proprietorships are subject to Section 1512 reporting<sup>1</sup>.

Lead Agencies must report an aggregate dollar total for awards (such as grants and contracts) made to **individuals**. Because families receiving CCDF certificates/vouchers are not considered **individual** awardees, the dollar amount used for certificates/vouchers should not be included in the aggregate dollar total for awards made to **individuals**. The dollar amount used for certificates/vouchers must be included in the value reported in the **Total Federal Amount of ARRA Expenditure** data element.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Ibid, p.8.

<b>Attachment 3: Key Dates for ARRA Reporting</b>
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Date	Activity	
January 1	Reporting begins at FederalReporting.gov	
January 15	<ul> <li>Section 1512 report due at 11:59:59 PST through FederalReporting.gov</li> </ul>	
January 16-22	<ul> <li>Lead Agencies review data submitted by sub-recipients</li> <li>Lead Agencies and delegated sub-recipients make corrections to data</li> <li>Federal Agencies may review data in "read-only" mode</li> </ul>	
January 23-29	<ul> <li>Federal Agency review and comment period</li> <li>Lead Agencies and delegated sub-recipients make corrections</li> </ul>	
January 30	• Final reports published on Recovery.gov	
February 2- March 30	<ul> <li>Lead Agencies and delegated sub-recipients make corrections to last quarter's reports</li> <li>Lead Agencies review data submitted by delegated sub- recipients</li> <li>Federal Agency reviews and comments</li> </ul>	

# Attachment 4: Section 1512 Key Terms

**Indirect Jobs:** Positions created or retained at materials suppliers and central service providers. Indirect jobs cannot be counted in the **Number of Jobs** data element.

**Inferred Jobs:** Positions created or retained elsewhere in the economy as increases in income from the direct government spending lead to additional spending by workers and firms. Inferred jobs cannot be counted in the **Number of Jobs** data element.

**Job, Created:** A new position created and filled, or an existing unfilled position that is filled, that is funded by the Recovery Act.

Job, Retained: An existing position that is now funded by the Recovery Act.

**Prime Recipient:** Non-Federal entities that receive Recovery Act funding as Federal awards in the form of grants, loans, or cooperative agreements directly from the Federal government. A CCDF Lead Agency is a prime recipient.

**Sub-recipient:** A non-Federal entity that expends Federal awards received from another entity to carry out a Federal program but does not include an individual who is a beneficiary of such a program. The terms and conditions of the Federal award are carried forward to the sub-recipient.

**Vendor:** A dealer, distributor, merchant, or other seller providing goods or services that are required for the conduct of a Federal program. Also, a vendor:

- 1. Provides the goods and services within normal business operations;
- 2. Provides similar goods or services to many different purchasers;
- 3. Operates in a competitive environment;
- 4. Provides goods or services that are ancillary to the operation of the Federal program; and
- 5. Is not subject to compliance requirements of the Federal program.

# **Attachment 5: Frequently Asked Questions**

This attachment provides frequently asked questions (FAQs) that CCB has received from Lead Agencies, as well as information that has come from OMB regarding Section 1512 reporting. For additional FAQs regarding ARRA, visit http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/recovery\_faqs/.

# **Certificates/Vouchers**

Q: Should certificates/vouchers to families be reported in the **Total Number of Sub-awards to** individuals and the **Total Amount of Sub-awards to individual** data elements? A: No. Certificates/vouchers are not considered sub-awards. Lead Agencies are not required to report the number or aggregate dollar amount of certificates/vouchers funded with ARRA dollars. In most cases, it is unlikely that a Lead Agency will make sub-awards (such as grants and contracts) to individuals. Please note that the dollar amount spent on certificates/vouchers must be included in the value reported in the **Total Federal Amount of ARRA Expenditure** data element.

# **Targeted Funds**

Q: Do prime recipients (States, Territories, and Tribes) or sub-recipients need to report Targeted Funds (Quality and Infant/Toddler Quality Funds) separately as part of the Section 1512 report? A: No. The use of the infant/toddler funds and quality funds can be combined with any other ARRA funded activities in the same report. The prime recipient or sub-recipient may choose to separately discuss or distinguish spending from the Targeted funds in the narrative sections of the 1512 report.

## **General Reporting**

Q: Are CCDF Lead Agencies required to submit Section 1512 reports about ARRA expenditures? A: Yes. CCDF is listed in the Appendix of the OMB Guidance Memorandum 09-21 as a program that is subject to Section 1512 reporting. The complete list of programs subject to Section 1512 reporting is available here: <u>http://www.whitehouse.gov/omb/assets/memoranda\_fy2009/m09-21-supp1.pdf</u>.

Q: Can multiple individuals within our organization register as FederalReporting.gov users? A: Yes, multiple individuals within a Recipient organization can register as FederalReporting.gov users.

Q: Are prime recipients (States, Territories, or Tribes) receiving awards under \$25,000 required to submit Section 1512 recipient reports into the FederalReporting.gov reporting solution? *A: No. Prime recipients of ARRA funds for awards below the \$25,000 threshold are not required to submit recipient reports.* 

## Jobs

Q: Staff are administering and reporting on an ARRA project, but they are not being paid using ARRA funds. Do these jobs count as jobs created or retained through ARRA? *A: No. Only jobs funded by ARRA should be included as jobs created or retained for purposes of 1512 reporting.* 

Q: When considering which jobs have been retained or created, do we count the parent who has been able to retain her job because she received the child care certificate/voucher? *A: No. This would be considered an indirect job and should not be included in the Number of Jobs data element.* 

Q: Is there a data element where the number of parental jobs created or retained should be reported? A: There is not a specific data element asking for indirect jobs. However, Lead Agencies are encouraged to report whatever information they have regarding parental employment in the **Description** of Jobs Created data field.

# Sub-recipients and Vendors

Q: Is a child care provider receiving ARRA funds through a grant or a contract directly with the Lead Agency (State, Territory, or Tribe) considered a sub-recipient or vendor subject to 1512 reporting? A: First, the Lead Agency makes a determination regarding whether the child care provider is a sub-recipient or a vendor in accordance with OMB Circular A-133, Section 210. For example, if the child care provider determines CCDF eligibility of applicants, then the provider likely would be classified as a sub-recipient. If the child care provider does not determine CCDF eligibility and has slots available to private-pay children, then the provider likely should be classified as a vendor.

If the child care provider is a sub-recipient, the provider is subject to 1512 reporting as a first-level sub-recipient.

If the child care provider is a vendor, then the limited data elements that apply to vendors must be included in the Section 1512 reports. Lead Agencies are required to report certain data elements about vendors receiving payments of greater than \$25,000, but may aggregate reporting on payments to vendors of less than \$25,000.

Q: Is a child care provider receiving ARRA funds through a grant or a contract with a County (or other sub-recipient of the State, Territory, or Tribe) considered a sub-recipient or vendor subject to 1512 reporting?

A: <u>If the child care provider is a sub-recipient (under criteria in OMB Circular 133, Section 210),</u> the provider is not subject to 1512 reporting. Only first-level sub-recipients are subject to 1512 reporting. In this instance, the provider is a second-level sub-recipient.

On the other hand, <u>if the child care provider is a vendor (under criteria in OMB Circular A-133</u>, Section 210), then the limited data elements that apply to vendors must be included in the Section 1512 reports. Sub-recipients (in this case, a County) are required to report certain data elements about vendors receiving payments of greater than \$25,000. Sub-recipients do not need to report on payments to vendors of less than \$25,000.

Q: Is a child care provider funded through ARRA certificates/vouchers considered a sub-recipient or vendor?

A: No. Child care providers funded through certificates/vouchers are not considered sub-recipients or vendors.

Q: Are families that receive certificates/vouchers considered sub-recipients? A: No. Families that receive certificates/vouchers for child care are not considered sub-recipients.

# ATTACHMENT C Subrecipient Report Form Section 1512 of the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009, Public Law 111-5

\*This form is draft and subject to change based on final Federal Requirements

(revised 5/2010)

This form is designed by New York State Office of Children and Family Services (OCFS) to capture data required for compliance with American Recovery and Reinvestment Act (ARRA) Reporting Requirements as set forth in Section 1512 of the ARRA of 2009 (Public Law 111-5). Please refer to the 'Implementing Guidance for the Reports on Use of Funds Pursuant to the American Recovery and Reinvestment Act of 2009', the corresponding supplements and the CCDF Guidance on Section 1512 Reporting Requirements for more detailed instructions. To facilitate this effort, a reference to the corresponding data element in the federal Recipient Reporting Data Model v3.0 is included as the title for each item. Social services districts are responsible for ensuring the use of the most recent federal reporting requirements and the documents mentioned above can be found on www.whitehouse.gov/omb.

Reporting Period		
	MONTH	2009
Enter the month and select the year of the reporting period.		
		2010
		2011

1. Subrecipient DUNS Number Provide your organization's 9-digit Data Universal Numbering System (DUNS) number.

DUNS Number:

2. Subaward Number Provide the Contract Number of your organization's ARRA Funded Contract.

Subaward Number: "ARRA-

(County Name)

3. Subrecipient Legal Name Provide the Legal Name of your organization as registered in the Central Contractor Registration (www.ccr.gov).

CCR Legal Name:

4a. Subrecipient Primary Place of Performance Provide the physical location of primary place of performance.

Address 1:

Address 2:

City:

State:

Zip+4:

County:

Congressional District:

4b. Subrecipient Congressional District

Provide the Congressional District of your organization's primary headquarters, if different from the primary place of performance.

Congressional District:

- 5. Subrecipient Indication of Reporting Applicability
  - a. In the preceding fiscal year, the organization received—

(A) 80 percent or more of its annual gross revenues from Federal contracts (and subcontracts), loans, grants (and subgrants) and cooperative agreements; **and** 

(B) \$25,000,000 or more in annual gross revenues from Federal contracts (and subcontracts), loans, grants (and subgrants) and cooperative agreements;

True	False

b. The public does not have access to information about the compensation of the senior executives through periodic reports filed under section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (15 U.S.C. 78m(a), 78o(d)) or section 6104 of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986.

🗌 False

If 'False' was selected for either or both 5a and 5b, please continue to question 6 of this form.

If 'True' was selected for both 5a and 5b, provide the names and total compensation of each of the five most highly compensated officers of the sub recipient for the calendar year in which the award is awarded.

"Total Compensation" means the cash or noncash dollar value earned by the executive during the subrecipient's past fiscal year of the following (for more information see 17 CFR 229.402(c)(2)):

- a. Salary and bonus.
- b. Awards of stock, stock options, and stock appreciation rights. Use the dollar amount recognized for financial statement reporting purposes with respect to the fiscal year in accordance with FAS 123R.
- c. Earnings for services under non-equity incentive plans. Does not include group life, health, hospitalization or medical reimbursement plans that do not discriminate in favor of executives, and are available generally to all salaried employees.
- d. Change in pension value. This is the change in present value of defined benefit and actuarial pension plans.
- e. Above-market earnings on deferred compensation which are not tax-qualified.
- f. Other compensation. For example, severance, termination payments, value of life insurance paid on behalf of the employee, perquisites of property if the value for the executive exceeds \$10,000.

Officer Name	Officer Compensation
Total Compensation:	

If a district has more than one project, identify each project separately and respond to questions 6 through 10 specifically for each project. For example, if a district uses ARRA funds for child care subsidies and also funds a quality improvement activity, enter information on child care subsidies as Project 1 and the quality improvement activity as Project 2.

PROJECT 1: Name\_

6. Project Status

Evaluate the status of the work that has been completed. This evaluation should be based on performance progress reports and other relevant non-financial performance information. For awards funding a single project or activity, please choose one of the following options: Not Started; Less than 50% completed; Completed 50% or more; Fully Completed.

Select Project Completion Status:

- □ Not Started
- Less than 50% Completed
- Completed 50% or more
- □ Fully Completed
- 7. Number of Jobs Created and Retained

Provide the number of jobs created<sup>1</sup> and jobs retained<sup>2</sup> in the United States and outlying areas funded with ARRA dollars<sup>3</sup>. At a minimum, this calculation shall include any new positions created and any existing filled positions that were retained to support or carry out Recovery Act projects or activities managed directly by your organization; this includes any jobs created and/or retained by Vendors listed in question 10 'Vendor Information'.

The number of jobs created or retained as a direct result of the expenditure of ARRA funds is to be expressed as full time equivalents (FTE) on the Subrecipient Section 1512 Report Form. The definitions and instructions for determining FTE are set forth in Attachment 1 that is included in the CCDF guidance in Attachment B, of this LCM.

The required methodology for reporting jobs is based on a calculation used to avoid overstating the number of other than full-time, permanent jobs. This calculation converts part-time or temporary jobs into "full-time equivalent" (FTE) jobs. FTE's are calculated per month as all ARRA Funded hours worked in the month divided by the total hours in a full-time schedule for that month. For instance, two full-time employees and one part-time employee working half-days would be reported as 2.5 FTE in each month.

The formula for reporting can be represented as:

<u>Total Number of Hours Worked and Funded by Recovery Act within Month</u> = FTE Monthly Hours in a Full-Time Schedule

Reporting is not cumulative across the project lifecycle. The calculation should take into account only those staff employed during the month.

Your Organization:

Number of Jobs Created:

Number of Jobs Retained:

Vendors:

Number of Jobs Created:

Number of Jobs Retained:

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> "Jobs or a position created" means those new positions created or filled, or previously existing unfilled positions that are filled, as a result of Recovery Act funding.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> "Jobs or a position retained" means those previously existing filled positions that are retained as a result of Recovery Act funding.

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#### 8. Description of Jobs Created and Retained

Provide a narrative description of the employment impact of the Recovery Act funded work on your organization, this includes any jobs created and/or retained by Vendors listed in question 10 'Vendor Information'. This narrative should be for each month and at a minimum, address the impact on your workforce. At a minimum, the recipient shall provide –

- a. A brief description of the types of jobs created and jobs retained in the United States and outlying areas. This description may rely on job titles, broader labor categories your existing practice for describing jobs as long as the terms used are widely understood and describe the general nature of the work; and
- b. A job cannot be reported as both created and retained.

#### 9. Additional Employment Related Impacts

Provide an estimate and narrative description of additional employment related activities supporting the ARRA purposes of preserving and creating jobs and promoting economic recovery that did not result in the creation or retention of jobs as defined in question 7 'Number of Jobs'. This estimate and description includes any additional employment related activities by Vendors listed in question 10 'Vendor Information'.

#### 10. Vendor Information

A Vendor is any entity or individual from which your organization procures goods or services needed to carry out the program. Please provide the DUNS number or the name and zip code of any Vendor from which your organization procured a good or service where a single payment is equal to or greater than \$25,000.00 in a month in ARRA funds.

DUNS Number	Vendor Legal Name	Vendor Headquarters Zip Code + 4	Amount Paid to Vendor

PROJECT 2: Name\_

6. Project Status

Evaluate the status of the work that has been completed. This evaluation should be based on performance progress reports and other relevant non-financial performance information. For awards funding a single project or activity, please choose one of the following options: Not Started; Less than 50% completed; Completed 50% or more; Fully Completed.

Select Project Completion Status:

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- 7. Number of Jobs Created and Retained

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#### <u>Total Number of Hours Worked and Funded by Recovery Act within Reporting Month</u> = FTE Monthly Hours in a Full-Time Schedule

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Your Organization:

Number of Jobs Created:

Number of Jobs Retained:

Vendors:

Number of Jobs Created:

Number of Jobs Retained:

#### 8. Description of Jobs Created and Retained

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DUNS Number	Vendor Legal Name	Vendor Headquarters Zip Code + 4	Amount Paid to Vendor

PROJECT 3: Name\_

6. Project Status

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Your Organization:

Number of Jobs Created:

Number of Jobs Retained:

Vendors:

Number of Jobs Created:

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#### CERTIFICATON

I (name)\_\_\_\_\_\_, (title)\_\_\_\_\_\_for the (Local Social Services District Name)\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ certify that, as part of my official duties, I have reviewed, compared, and verified the information listed in this attachment, which was collected for and detailed in this reporting form by the social services district for ARRA reporting purposes , and that such information is both true and accurate and matches the original data collected and verified by the social services district for ARRA reporting purposes.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand, (insert date) \_\_\_\_\_\_

(Enter Name and Enter Title)

State of New York)

)ss.

County of)

On this \_\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_\_, before me personally appeared \_\_\_\_\_\_, the subscriber to me known and known to me to be the person in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and he/she acknowledged to me that he/she executed the same.

Notary Public - State of New York

#### ATTACHMENT D Steps to Obtain a Duns Number and Register in the Central Contractor Registration

# **STEP 1: Obtain DUNS Number**

If your organization does not have a Data Universal Number System (DUNS) number, you will need to obtain one. You can go to the Dun & Bradstreet website at <u>http://fedgov.dnb.com/webform</u> to obtain the number; the process takes 1 - 2 business days. However, if requested by phone (1-866-705-5711), a DUNS is provided immediately.

## **STEP 2: Register with CCR**

Ensure that your organization is registered with the Central Contractor Registration (CCR) at <u>http://www.ccr.gov</u>. If your organization is not, an authorizing official of your organization must register. Your organization will need a TIN/EIN in order to register in the CCR. If you already have a TIN/EIN, your CCR registration will take 1-2 business days to process. If you have to apply for a TIN/EIN, you should expect it to take 2-5 weeks to obtain the TIN/EIN before you can begin the CCR registration process.

## STEP 3: Username & Password

Complete your AOR (Authorized Organization Representative) profile on Grants.gov and create your username and password at <u>http://apply07.grants.gov/apply/OrcRegister</u>. You will need to use your organization's DUNS Number to complete this step.

## **STEP 4: AOR Authorization**

The E-Business Point of Contact (E-Biz POC) that was designated in your CCR registration must login to Grants.gov to confirm you as an Authorized Organization Representative (AOR). Please note that there can be more than one AOR for your organization. In some cases the E-Biz POC is also the AOR for an organization. Completion time for this step depends on responsiveness of your E-Biz POC.

## **STEP 5: TRACK AOR STATUS**

At any time, you can track your AOR status by logging in with your username and password at <u>www.grants.gov/applicants/applicant\_profile.jsp</u>. Login as an Applicant (enter the username & password you obtained in Step 3).

## Attachment E Acceptance or Declination of ARRA Allocation

Social Services District:

Our social services district has **accepted** the ARRA allocation and will comply with all federal and State program and reporting requirements.

Indicate the dollar amount of the ARRA allocation that your social services district intends to use \$\_\_\_\_\_.

Our social services district has **declined** the ARRA allocation.

Our social services district has not fully expended the first ARRA allocation.

Our social services district has claimed \$\_\_\_\_\_ of the first allocation and intends to use \$\_\_\_\_\_ amount of the remaining ARRA allocation.

Commissioner's signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# Attachment E must be completed and returned by July 20, 2010 to:

Ms. Antonia Weidner **OCFS** Division of Child Care Services 52 Washington Street, Room 309 S Rensselaer, N.Y. 12144-2796