## CHILD360 QUALITY START LOS ANGELES GRANT

This Quality Start Los Angeles (QSLA) Grant ("Grant" or "Agreement") is entered into effective as of the last date of execution set forth below by and between **Bassett Unified School District** operating daycare centers under the names: ("Grantees"),

Facility Name	Facility Address
Bassett Head Start/Erwin School	943 N. Sunkist Avenue
	La Puente, CA 91746
Van Wig Head Start/State Preschool	1151 Van Wig Avenue
	La Puente, CA 91746
Bassett Head Start/Don Julian	13855 Don Julian Road
	La Puente, CA 91746

licensed California child care providers and **Los Angeles Universal Preschool**, dba Child360, a California non-profit public benefit corporation, ("Child360"), with its principal place of business at 515 S. Figueroa St., Suite 900, Los Angeles, CA 90071 (each individually a "Party", and collectively the "Parties").

#### RECITALS

WHEREAS, FIRST 5 LA and Los Angeles County Office of Education (LACOE) have awarded Child360 funding to administer the QSLA Grant to improve the quality of early childhood education programs in Los Angeles County;

WHEREAS, Child360 will provide quality improvement supports and monetary incentives to these programs to improve the overall quality as measured by certain quality elements ("Quality Rating Tier");

WHEREAS, Grantees wishes to participate in the Grant and be eligible to receive quality improvement supports and monetary incentives (collectively, "Benefits") in order to improve or maintain its Quality Rating Tier position on the CA-QRIS Quality Continuum Framework: Rating Matrix with Elements and Points for Consortia Common Tiers 1, 3, and 5 (Exhibit A).

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the foregoing, and the mutual covenants and agreements hereinafter contained, the Parties agree as follows:

#### 1. TERM AND TERMINATION

- 1.1 <u>Term.</u> This Grant and all Exhibits attached shall commence on July 1, 2019 ("Effective Date") and shall end on June 30, 2020. Either party may terminate this Agreement for any reason with written notice.
- 1.2 <u>Compliance with Agreement</u>. Upon the Effective Date, Grantees will be eligible to receive the Benefits (<u>Exhibit B</u>) rendered pursuant to this Agreement. In order to receive Benefits, Grantees must at all times be in compliance with the terms of this Agreement

including the Benefits Eligibility Requirements listed on <u>Exhibit C</u>. Child360 may suspend or terminate the Grant at any time for non-compliance with this Agreement, or any other event which Child360 deems reasonable for suspension or termination. Notice of suspension or termination will be delivered in writing.

- 1.3 <u>Reduction of Benefits</u>. Grantees acknowledge that Child360's performance under this Agreement is wholly reliant on Child360's receipt of funding from FIRST 5 LA and LACOE. Child360 may reduce Benefits to Grantees for any reason including, but not limited to, Child360's loss or reduction of funding from FIRST 5 LA or LACOE. Any changes or reductions in Benefits will be noticed to Grantees in writing. Any changes to the Benefits will supersede and replace any previous Benefits described in previous amendments to this Agreement.
- 1.4 <u>Return of Funds</u>. Child360 may request, and the Grantees shall remit within 30 days if requested, any unallowed expenditures not made in accordance with Expenditure Guidelines (<u>Exhibit E</u>) or for any non-compliance with the terms of this Agreement.
- 1.5 <u>Loss of State Preschool</u>. If applicable, Grantees shall notify Child360 in writing they lose loses their California State Preschool Program (CSPP) contract with the California Department of Education (CDE) or decides to no longer participate in the Grant. Grantees also agree that services to the affected Programs will be terminated upon written notification.

## 2. PROGRAM PAYMENTS AND BENEFITS

- 2.1 <u>Program Benefits</u>. During the term of this Agreement, Grantees shall receive Program Benefits as provided in <u>Exhibit B</u> and in accordance with the terms and conditions of this Agreement.
- 2.2 <u>Participation Stipend</u>. Grantees are eligible to receive a one-time "Participation Stipend" of \$2,000.00 as outlined in <u>Exhibit B</u> upon contract execution of a QSLA Grant but not if such Grant has been entered into previously.
- 2.3 <u>Account Funding</u>. Grantees must establish and report payments made pursuant to this Grant from an account separate from any other current or previous accounts established to receive funds from any other grant from Child360 (if any) in order to receive funds under this Grant.
- 2.4 <u>Payments</u>. Payments will be disbursed upon contract execution of this Agreement in accordance with the Quality Tier Rating achieved as of the start date of this Agreement. The Quality Tier Rating is based on the elements listed on <u>Exhibit A</u>. Payments will be made in accordance to the terms outlined in <u>Exhibit B</u>. Grantees understand that payments are contingent upon Child360's receipt of funds from LACOE or First 5 LA.

#### 3. REPORTS AND REPORTING REQUIREMENTS

- 3.1 <u>Reports</u>. Grantees must submit all reports as required by the Reporting Schedule (<u>Exhibit</u> D).
- 3.2 <u>Proof of Transactions</u>. In addition to the reporting requirements contained in this Agreement, Child360 may periodically request proof of a transaction to evaluate the appropriateness of costs to the Agreement pursuant to State guidelines (including cost allocation guidelines). This information, if requested, must be provided within 30 calendar days of such request.
- 3.3 <u>Document Requests</u>. Grantees agree to submit to Child360 any and all information and documents needed to comply with the Program, including data specifically identified by the Quality Continuum Framework Data Collection Fields (<u>Exhibit G</u>).
- 3.4 <u>Reporting Licensing Violations</u>. Grantees must submit to Child360 copies of any Community Care Licensing Division Facility Evaluation Reports or Complaint Investigation Reports within fourteen (14) days of receiving any licensing violations. Grantees must submit a Letter of Deficiency Citations Cleared for any violations received or discovered during a licensing compliance review.
- 3.5 <u>California Early Care & Education Workforce Registry</u>. Grantees agree to submit data to the California Early Care & Education Workforce Registry (CEC&WR) for the category indicated and attached here as Exhibit H, by the deadline established by (CEC&WR).

## 4. BUDGET AND EXPENDITURE GUIDELINES

4.1 <u>Allowable Expenditures</u>. All expenditures of funds disbursed pursuant to this Grant must meet the Expenditure Guidelines attached as <u>Exhibit E</u>. Expenses incurred by Grantees after suspension or termination of the Agreement are not allowable unless expressly authorized in the notice of suspension or termination. Types of expenses incurred after suspension or termination which may be authorized by Child360 include but are not limited to:

Expenses resulting from obligations which: (1) were properly incurred by Grantees before the effective date of the suspension or termination, but were not incurred in anticipation of it, and in the case of termination, are non-cancellable; AND (2) would be allowable if the Agreement expired normally at the end of the funding period in which the suspension or termination takes place.

- 4.2 <u>Expenditure Verification</u>. Within thirty (30) days of request, Grantees agree to provide sufficient information to allow Child360 to determine if expenditures were made in accordance with the Expenditure Guidelines (Exhibit E).
- 4.3 <u>Return of Funds</u>. Child360 may request, and the Grantees shall remit within 30 days if requested, any unallowed expenditures not made in accordance with Expenditure Guidelines (<u>Exhibit E</u>).

#### 5. BOOKS AND RECORDS

- 5.1 <u>Maintaining Records</u>. Grantees shall maintain books, records and documents directly pertinent to performance under this Agreement in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles consistently applied. Child360, the State or their authorized representatives shall have access to such records for audit processes during the term of this Agreement and for five years following Agreement completion. In the event any work is subgranted or subcontracted, Grantees shall similarly require each sub grantee and subcontractor to maintain and allow access for audit purposes.
- 5.2 Effect of Litigation. Grantees agree that if any litigation, claim, or audit is started before the expiration of the records retention period established above, the records shall be retained until all litigation, claims or audit findings involving the records have been resolved and final action taken.

#### 6. INSURANCE AND LIABILITY.

- 6.1 General Liability Insurance. Child360 and Grantees shall secure and maintain comprehensive general liability insurance in the amount of One Million Dollars (\$1,000,000) per occurrence with coverage for incidental contracts for center-based sites, and Three Hundred Thousand Dollars (\$300,000) per occurrence with coverage for incidental contracts for family child cares, for the duration of this Agreement. Grantees shall name Child360 as an additional insured under its policy. Further, the Certificate of Insurance shall provide that insurance may not be canceled, non-renewed, or the subject of material change in coverage or available limits of coverage, except on 30 days' prior written notice.
- 6.2 <u>Indemnification</u>. Grantees agree to indemnify and hold harmless Child360 and its officers, agents and employees from any and all contractors, subcontractors, laborers, employees, independent contractors, agents, or other persons, firms or corporations furnishing or supplying work, services, materials or supplies in connection with the performance of this Grant and from any and all claims and losses occurring or resulting to any person, firm or corporation that may be injured or damaged by Grantees in the performance of this Grant.
- 6.3 <u>Insurance Obligations Not a Limit on Indemnification</u>. Child360's insurance obligations set forth above are independent of Child360's indemnification and other obligations under this Agreement and shall not be construed or interpreted in any way to restrict, limit, or modify Grantees' indemnification or other obligations or to limit Grantees' liability under this Agreement.

## 7. CONFIDENTIALITY

7.1 <u>Confidentiality of Records</u>. The Parties agree to maintain the confidentiality of all records resulting from the provision of services under this Agreement in accordance with

applicable federal and state laws and regulations. Either party may disclose the records and data resulting from the provision of services under this Agreement only if the records or data presented are either in aggregate form or some other form which removes all identifying personal information.

#### 8. RELATIONSHIP OF PARTIES

8.1 No Joint Venture. It is expressly understood and agreed by the Parties that Grantees are not for any purpose employees or agents of Child360, and that all of the personnel employed by the Grantees will be employees or agents of the Grantees and will not be employees or agents of Child360. Grantees understand that they do not have the authority to do anything for or on behalf of Child360, including, but not limited to, holding themselves out as Child360, entering into agreements, notes or other instruments, purchasing, acquiring or disposing of any property, or incurring any other obligation or liability on behalf of Child360.

#### 9. GENERAL PROVISIONS

- 9.1 <u>Modifications</u>. No amendment or modification of this Grant shall be valid unless it is in writing and signed by all the Parties to this Grant.
- 9.2 <u>No Assignment</u>. Grantees may not assign any of their rights or delegate any of their duties under this Grant without prior written consent of Child360. Despite Child360's consent, no assignment will release Grantees from any of their obligations or alter any of their primary obligations to be performed under the Grant.
- 9.3 <u>Notice of Changes in Ownership of Location</u>. Any changes in ownership or location of the Grantees eligible for Benefits under this Grant must be noticed to Child360 at least sixty (60) days in advance of the proposed change. Changes in ownership or location void this Grant and Child360 has sole discretion whether to extend or modify this Grant to continue Benefits to the new owner or site.
- 9.4 <u>Choice of Law</u>. This Grant shall be governed by and interpreted in accordance with the laws of the State of California.
- 9.5 <u>No Discrimination</u>. No person, on the grounds of race, religion, color, national origin, age, sex, or disability, shall be excluded from participation in; be denied the proceeds or benefits of; or be otherwise subjected to discrimination in performance of this Agreement.
- 9.6 <u>Waiver</u>. No right under this Grant shall be waived merely by delaying or failing to exercise that right. Consent to one act shall not be considered consent to any other or subsequent acts. Any waiver of a default under this Grant must be in writing and shall not be a waiver of any other default concerning the same or any other provision of this Grant.

- 9.7 <u>Severability</u>. If any term or provision of this Grant is found to be illegal or unenforceable then, notwithstanding, this Grant shall remain in full force and effect and such term shall be deemed stricken.
- 9.8 <u>Notices</u>. Any notice or other communication given pursuant to this Grant shall be regarded as effectively delivered if delivered in writing to the address of the other party set forth below (or another address later designated by that party in a notice under this section), using one of the following methods of delivery: regular U.S. postal mail, personal delivery, Registered or Certified Mail (return receipt requested and postage prepaid), nationally recognized overnight courier and facsimile.

If to Child360: William Sperling
General Counsel
515 S. Figueroa St., Suite 900
Los Angeles, California 90071

If to Grantees: Rosa Ducoing

Bassett Unified School District 904 N. Willow Avenue La Puente, California 91746

- 9.9 Entire Agreement. This Grant and all Exhibits contains the entire Grant and understanding between the Parties as to the subject matter hereof. Further, this Grant supersedes any and all prior or contemporaneous statements or representations by Child360 concerning the subject matter of this Grant.
- 9.10 Attorney's Fees. In any action brought to enforce or interpret any provision of this Grant, the losing party shall pay the prevailing party's reasonable attorney fees and costs.
- 9.11 <u>Survival</u>. The rights and obligations created by this Grant with respect to duties of the Grantee after termination of this Grant will survive the termination of this Grant for a period of time until those rights and obligations are met.
- 9.12 <u>Independent of Other Agreements</u>. This Grant is separate and independent of any other grants or agreements which have existed, currently exist, or may exist between the Parties ("Other Agreements"). No rights, obligations, or terms of this Grant shall be affected by any Other Agreements, nor shall any rights, obligations or terms of any Other Agreements be affected by the terms of this Grant.
- 9.13 <u>Photo/Video Authorization and Consent.</u> Grantees agree to have photo and video release forms on file for the children enrolled in the QSLA program. Grantees agree to notify Child360 if any children do not have photo consent form and have opted-out of having photos and videos images taken.

By the signatures below, each Party warrants that:

- 1. They are the authorized signatory for the Party bound by this Grant
- 2. They have read and understood the terms and conditions of this Grant and agree to abide by these terms and conditions.

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## **EXHIBIT A**

CA-QRIS QUALITY CONTINUUM FRAMEWORK: RATING MATRIX WITH ELEMENTS AND POINTS FOR CONSORTIA COMMON TIERS 1, 3, AND 5

## QUALITY COUNTS CALIFORNIA RATING MATRIX WITH ELEMENTS AND POINTS FOR CONSORTIA COMMON TIERS 1, 3, AND 4

ELEMENT	1 POINT	2 POINTS	3 POINTS	4 POINTS	5 POINTS
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	CORE I: CHILD DEVELOPMENT AND SCHOOL READINESS				
1. Child Observation	☐ Not required	☐ Program uses evidence- based child assessment/observation tool annually that covers all five domains of development	☐ Program uses valid and reliable child assessment/ observation tool aligned with CA Foundations & Frameworks¹ twice a year	☐ DRDP (minimum twice a year) and results used to inform curriculum planning	☐ Program uses DRDP twice a year and uploads into DRDP Tech and results used to inform curriculum planning
2. Developmental and Health Screenings	☐ Meets Title 22 Regulations	☐ Health Screening Form (Community Care Licensing form LIC 701 "Physician's Report - Child Care Centers" or equivalent) used at entry, then:  1. Annually OR 2. Ensures vision and hearing screenings are conducted annually	☐ Program works with families to ensure screening of all children using a valid and reliable developmental screening tool at entry and as indicated by results thereafter AND ☐ Meets Criteria from point level 2	☐ Program works with families to ensure screening of all children using the ASQ at entry and as indicated by results thereafter AND ☐ Meets Criteria from point level 2	□ Program works with families to ensure screening of all children using the ASQ & ASQ-SE, if indicated, at entry, then as indicated by results thereafter AND □ Program staff uses children's screening results to make referrals and implement intervention strategies and adaptations as appropriate AND □ Meets Criteria from point level 2
		CORE II: T	EACHERS AND TEACHING	G .	
3. Minimum Qualifications for Lead Teacher/ Family Child Care Home (FCCH)	☐ Meets Title 22 Regulations [Center: 12 units of Early Childhood Education (ECE)/Child Development (CD) FCCH: 15 hours of training on preventive health practices]	☐ Center: 24 units of ECE/CD <sup>2</sup> OR Associate Teacher Permit ☐ FCCH: 12 units of ECE/CD OR Associate Teacher Permit	☐ 24 units of ECE/CD + 16 units of General Education OR Teacher Permit AND ☐ 21 hours professional development (PD) annually	□ Associate's degree (AA/AS) in ECE/CD (or closely related field) OR AA/AS in any field plus 24 units of ECE/CD OR Site Supervisor Permit AND □ 21 hours PD annually	☐ Bachelor's degree in ECE/CD (or closely related field) OR BA/BS in any field plus/with 24 units of ECE/CD (or master's degree in ECE/CD) OR Program Director Permit AND ☐ 21 hours PD annually
4. Effective Teacher– Child Interactions: CLASS Assessments (*Use tool for appropriate age group as available)	□ Not Required	☐ Familiarity with CLASS for appropriate age group as available by one representative from the site	☐ Independent CLASS assessment by reliable observer to inform the program's professional development/improvement plan	□ Independent CLASS assessment by reliable observer with minimum CLASS scores:  Pre-K ■ Emotional Support – 5 ■ Instructional Support – 3 ■ Classroom Organization – 5 Toddler ■ Emotional & Behavioral Support – 5 ■ Engaged Support for Learning – 3.5 Infant ■ Responsive Caregiving (RC) – 5.0	☐ Independent assessment with CLASS with minimum CLASS scores:  Pre-K  ■ Emotional Support – 5.5  ■ Instructional Support – 3.5  ■ Classroom Organization – 5.5  Toddler  ■ Emotional & Behavioral Support – 5.5  ■ Engaged Support for Learning – 4 Infant  ■ Responsive Caregiving (RC) – 5.5

<sup>1.</sup> Approved assessments are: Creative Curriculum GOLD, Early Learning Scale by National Institute of Early Education Research (NIEER), and Brigance Inventory of Early Development III.

Note: Point values are not indicative of Tiers 1–5 but reflect a range of points that can be earned toward assigning a tier rating (see Total Point Range).

<sup>2.</sup> For all ECE/CD units, the core eight are desired but not required.

ELEMENT	1 POINT	2 POINTS	3 POINTS	4 POINTS	5 POINTS
	CC	RE III: PROGRAM AND EN	IVIRONMENT - Administra	tion and Leadership	
5. Ratios and Group Size (Centers Only beyond licensing regulations)	☐ Center: Title 22 Regulations Infant Ratio of 1:4 Toddler Option Ratio of 1:6 Preschool Ratio of 1:12 ☐ FCCH: Title 22 Regulations (excluded from point values in ratio and group size)	☐ Center - Ratio: Group Size Infant/Toddler – 4:16 Toddler – 3:18 Preschool – 3:36	☐ Center - Ratio: Group Size Infant/Toddler – 3:12 Toddler – 2:12 Preschool – 2:24	☐ Center - Ratio: Group Size  Infant/Toddler – 3:12 or 2:8  Toddler – 2:10  Preschool – 3:24 or 2:20	☐ Center - Ratio: Group Size  Infant/Toddler – 3:9 or better  Toddler – 3:12 or better  Preschool – 1:8 ratio and group size of no more than 20
6. Program Environment Rating Scale(s) (Use tool for appropriate setting: ECERS- R, ITERS-R, FCCERS-R)	☐ Not Required	☐ Familiarity with ERS and every classroom uses ERS as a part of a Quality Improvement Plan	☐ Assessment on the whole tool. Results used to inform the program's Quality Improvement Plan	☐ Independent ERS assessment. All subscales completed and averaged to meet overall score level of 5.0	☐ Independent ERS assessment. All subscales completed and averaged to meet overall score level of 5.5 OR Current National Accreditation approved by the California Department of Education
7. Director Qualifications (Centers Only)	☐ 12 units ECE/CD+ 3 units management/ administration	☐ 24 units ECE/CD + 16 units General Education +/with 3 units management/ administration OR Master Teacher Permit	□ Associate's degree with 24 units ECE/CD +/with 6 units management/ administration and 2 units supervision OR Site Supervisor Permit AND □ 21 hours PD annually	☐ Bachelor's degree with 24 units ECE/CD +/with 8 units management/ administration OR Program Director Permit AND ☐ 21 hours PD annually	☐ Master's degree with 30 units ECE/CD including specialized courses +/with 8 units management/ administration, OR Administrative Credential AND ☐ 21 hours PD annually
TOTAL POINT RANGES					
Program Type	Common-Tier 1	Local-Tier 2 <sup>3</sup>	Common-Tier 3	Common-Tier 4	Local-Tier 5 <sup>4</sup>
Centers 7 Elements for 35 points	Blocked (7 points) – Must Meet All Elements	Point Range 8 to 19	Point Range 20 to 25	<b>Point Range</b> 26 to 31	Point Range 32 and above
FCCHs 5 Elements for 25 points	Blocked (5 points) – Must Meet All Elements	Point Range 6 to 13	Point Range 14 to 17	Point Range 18 to 21	Point Range 22 and above

<sup>3.</sup> Local-Tier 2: Local decision if Blocked or Points and if there are additional elements.

<sup>4.</sup> Local-Tier 5: Local decision if there are additional elements included California Department of Education, February 2014 updated on May 28, 2015; effective July 1, 2015

#### **EXHIBIT B**

## QUALITY IMPROVEMENT GRANT AND QUALITY ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

## Grantees with a Quality Tier Rating 1-2:

- 1. Child360 will provide quality improvement supports as determined by Child360 to improve Grantees' quality rating as measured by the CA-QRIS Quality Continuum Framework: Rating Matrix with Elements and Points for Consortia Common Tiers 1, 3, and 5 (Exhibit A).
- 2. Child360 will provide the following funds (Quality Improvement Grant) based on the Quality Tier Rating as follows:

Tier 1 Centers	\$1,000 per site for quality improvements in accordance with the Expenditure Guidelines (Exhibit E) and in consultation with Child360 coaching staff
Tier 2 Centers	\$2,000 per site for quality improvements in accordance with the Expenditure Guidelines (Exhibit E) and in consultation with Child360 coaching staff

## **Grantees with a Quality Tier Rating Tier 3 -5:**

- 1. Child360 will provide quality improvement supports as determined by Child360 to improve Grantees' quality rating as measured by the CA-QRIS Quality Continuum Framework: Rating Matrix with Elements and Points for Consortia Common Tiers 1, 3, and 5 (Exhibit A).
- 2. Child360 will provide the following funds (Quality Achievement Award) based on the Quality Tier Rating as follows:

Tier 3 Centers	\$4,000 per site for quality improvements in accordance with the Expenditure Guidelines (Exhibit E)
Tier 4 Centers	\$6,000 per site for quality improvements in accordance with the Expenditure Guidelines (Exhibit E)
Tier 5 Centers	\$8,000 per site for quality improvements in accordance with the Expenditure Guidelines (Exhibit E)

#### **EXHIBIT C**

## BENEFITS ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

## **Eligibility Requirements**

## Grantees agree:

- 1. To accept all services provided by Child360 or any subcontractor of Child360 including, but not limited to, quality improvement supports, and will comply with all requirement(s) of this Agreement. As part of increasing quality improvement, Grantees also agree to submit requested data and documents to help determine the appropriate levels of quality improvements supports provided by Child360. Grantees agree to comply with any data requests within 30 days of the deadlines determined by Child360.
- 2. To use reasonable best effort(s) to implement any of the action plans resulting from the quality improvement supports efforts of Child360.
- 3. To share any and all information and documents needed to comply with this Agreement.
- 4. To remain in "Good Standing" with the California Community Care Licensing Division. Good Standing is defined as a licensed child care center or family child care home that currently does not have or in the past 12 months has not had any of the following: a) a non-compliance conference; (b) an administrative action taken or in the process of being taken (includes denied application, denied exemption, temporary suspension order, expedited revocation action, revocation action, or exclusion action that is being initiated, in process, or already taken); and (c) a probationary license.
- 5. To the posting of the Grantees' "QSLA Proud Participant" sign in the public domain.
- 6. To be in reasonable condition to operate including having sufficient enrollment and attendance to benefit from the Quality Improvements being implemented.

## **EXHIBIT D**

## REPORTING SCHEDULE

Report	<b>Due Date</b>
QSLA Expenditure Report (Exhibit F)	June 30, 2020

#### **EXHIBIT E**

#### **EXPENDITURE GUIDELINES**

Acceptable Uses of the QSLA Funds, including the Participation Stipend and Quality Improvement Grants, is to support quality improvement in early learning program. Grantee will be required to submit original receipts for all expenditures.

- 1. Learning Materials (Indoor & Outdoor) that support the classroom environment, strengthen teacher-child interactions and raise diversity awareness such as:
  - Books, blocks, art supplies, musical instruments, games, puzzles, dramatic play props, nature items, gardening equipment, science materials, and manipulatives
  - Numeracy materials that introduce numbers, patterns, shapes, measurement, and problem solving
  - Language materials that support receptive and expressive language, comprehension, and literacy
  - Materials and/or equipment to address diversity and individual needs of children including dual language learners, those with disabilities and/or special needs
  - Curriculum guides, assessment tools, and other teacher resources
  - Water and Sand Tables
  - Costs for educational field trips
- 2. Furnishings that are accessible and create a developmentally appropriate environment for learning for learning in alignment with the Environmental Rating Scale (ERS) such as:
  - Sufficient furniture for children in care
  - Child-sized tables and chairs
  - Adaptive furniture for children with disabilities and/or special needs
  - Mats, cots, and/or cribs for a restful naptime
  - Area rugs and soft furniture for relaxation/comfort areas
  - Child-sized shelves and storage units
  - Cubbies/lockers to store children's personal belongings
  - Outdoor sheds
  - Store benches
  - Table risers: Large and small
  - Outdoor handwashing sinks
  - Large form mats
  - Cot sheets/liners
  - Changing tables
- 3. Gross Motor Equipment that promotes safe, active play areas such as:
  - Sufficient equipment to engage children
  - Equipment that stimulates a variety of skills including balancing, climbing, ball play, steering and pedaling wheel toys
  - Playground equipment
  - Improvements or adaptations to active play areas (indoors and outdoors)

- Equipment that promotes the inclusion of children with disabilities and/or special needs (ramps, etc.)
- 4. Minor Renovations to address indoor/outdoor space improvements to meet quality health and safety standards and/or licensing regulations such as:
  - Painting
  - Replacing faucets
  - Flooring/carpeting
  - Accessibility equipment (ramps, etc.)
  - Landscaping
  - Plants

## 5. Technology

- Computer and technology equipment dedicated to planning, assessment, reporting, professional development, and other key items associated with quality improvement
- Software to support business practices (payroll, accounting, etc.)
- Software for child reporting (DRDP Tech, etc.)
- Printers/Scanner
- Wireless speaker
- Projector
- 6. Trainings/Professional Development that support the growth of early learning providers such as:
  - Fees associated with attending a training, professional development opportunity, or a conference (registration fee, travel expenses, etc.)
  - Substitute time to allow a teacher to attend a training or professional development opportunity
  - CLASS recertification fees
  - Professional membership fees
  - Consultant and material fees to offer onsite training opportunities

## 7. Student Wellness

- Fees associated with onsite screenings, including developmental, health, vision, audiology, and dental
- 8. Parent Engagement that promotes home-school connection
  - Parent trainings and resources
  - Expenses associated with hosting a parent meeting
  - Materials to enhance communication with parents
  - Child care during a parent event
- 9. Health and Safety
  - A/C wall units
  - Professional steaming services
  - Termite/pest control services

- Professional cleaning service
- Air Filtrating/Purification Systems
- Cleaning and disinfecting supplies that are OSHA compliant
- First aid and natural disaster supplies

# QSLA Grant Funds may not be used to supplant other public funding sources including, but not limited to, any state or federal funding. Prohibited expenses include, but are not limited to, the following:

- 1. Travel expenses (except local mileage costs for QSLA Grant Fund Activities)
- 2. Purchase of vehicles or other transportation equipment;
- 3. Bad debts, including losses arising from uncollectible accounts and any related legal costs;
- 4. Costs of amusement or entertainment that do not benefit children
- 5. Costs incurred after the Contract has been terminated;
- 6. Fundraising costs;
- 7. Personal or business loans including finance charges;
- 8. Non-sufficient funds/overdraft and ATM usage bank charges;
- 9. Investment management costs;
- 10. Costs of organization of a nonprofit corporation such as incorporation fees or consultant fees;
- 11. Public relations consultant fees;
- 12. Costs of legal, consulting and accounting services incurred in prosecution; and
- 13. Compensation to the members of the board of directors, if applicable

## **EXHIBIT F**

## **EXPENDITURE REPORT**



## **Instructions for Expenditure Report**

There are 2 pages in this report. Click on the tabs at the bottom of the file to change pages. YELLOW BOXES are required input fields.

Required information (please answer all questions)	
Program Year	Enter the program year.
Agency Name and Provider	Enter the agency name and provider(s)
Tier Rating	Enter your tier rating at contract start date
Grant Amount	Please see table below for amounts

Centers
Quality Improvement Grant - Tier 1 \$1,000 per site
Quality Improvement Grant - Tier 2 \$2,000 per site
Quality Achievement Award - Tier 3 \$4,000 per site
Quality Achievement Award - Tier 4 \$6,000 per site
Quality Achievement Award - Tier 5 \$8,000 per site

Required information (please answer all questions)	
FYxx Actual	Enter actual expenses incurred for fiscal year.
Participation Grant	Enter the participation grant award.
Quality Achievement Award/Quality Improvement Award	Enter the total estimated incentive grant funding.



QSLA Grant		
For Program Year Ending		
Agency		
Provider/Site	Tier Rating	Grant Amount
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#### **EXHIBIT G**

## QUALITY CONTINUUM FRAMEWORK DATA COLLECTION FIELDS

## **Category 1: Comprehensive Assessment System**

- 1. Use of child assessment/observation tool
- 2. Use of DRDP
- 3. Use of DRDP Tech
- 4. Child assessment/observation tool if not DRDP
- 5. Health screening used at entry
- 6. Health screening used annually after entry
- 7. Annual vision screening
- 8. All children screened for vision
- 9. Annual hearing screening
- 10. All children screened for hearing
- 11. Health Screening Tool
- 12. Health Screening Name
- 13. Health Screening Company
- 14. Health Screening Year/Version
- 15. Work with families for health screening
- 16. Use of ASQ
- 17. Work with families on ASQ
- 18. Use of ASQ-SE
- 19. Work with families on ASQ-SE
- 20. Health screening results used to implement intervention strategies/adaptations as appropriate

#### Category 2: Teachers and Teaching

- 1. Title 22 Satisfaction
- 2. Copy of Teacher's Postsecondary Transcript
- 3. Copy of class rosters
- 4. Teacher's highest degree
- 5. Teacher's major
- 6. Teacher permit information (number and type)
- 7. Number of Core 8 ECE units completed
- 8. Number of ECE units completed
- 9. Number of GE units completed
- 10. CLASS training completion
- 11. Staff indicated CLASS informed program's PD plan
- 12. Copy of Program's Professional Development Plan
- 13. Number of Hours PD
- 14. CLASS scores

## For Category 3: Program and Environment

- 1. Teacher: Child ratio (Center only)
- 2. FCC Title 22 Ratio regulations met
- 3. ERS subscales
- 4. ERS average
- 5. Director familiarity with ERS
- 6. Director's highest degree (Center only)
- 7. Director's Postsecondary transcripts (all colleges attended)
- 8. Director's core ECE units (Center only)
- 9. Director's GE units (Center only)
- 10. Director's management/administration units (Center only)
- 11. Director's supervision units (Center only)
- 12. Director has administrative credential
- 13. Director's professional growth hours
- 14. Director's permit information (number and type)

#### **EXHIBIT H**

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Grantee agrees to submit data for the category listed here in order to rate Element 3 – Minimum Qualifications for Lead Teacher/Family Child Care home (FCCH) and Element 7 – Director Qualifications of the CA-QRIS Quality Continuum Framework.

## **Category 2: Teachers and Teaching**

- Copy Teacher's Postsecondary Transcript
- Teacher permit information (number and type)
- Number of Core 8 ECE units completed
- Number of ECE units completed
- Number of GE units completed
- Staff indicated CLASS informed program's PD plan
- Copy of Program's Professional Development Plan
- Number of Hours PD

## **Category 3: Program and Environment**

- Director's highest degree (Center only)
- Director's Postsecondary transcripts (all colleges attended)
- Director's core ECE units (Center only)
- Director's GE units (Center only)
- Director's management/administration units (Center only)
- Director's supervision units (Center only)
- Director has administrative credential
- Director's professional growth hours
- Director's permit information (number and type)