

RFR for Independent Family Child Care Providers - NOW POSTED!!!!

The Department of Early Education and Care (EEC) is pleased to issue the following Request for Responses (RFR) to provide income eligible contracts to a limited number of independent family child care providers. The contracts will allow participating providers to offer child care financial assistance directly to income-eligible families.

The purpose of the RFR is to secure additional contract resources in specific cities and towns that have high need and relatively limited capacity. Funding for this project is limited to approximately \$200,000, which will fund an estimated 25 children on a full-day and full-year basis. To download a copy of the RFR, please visit:

<http://www.eec.state.ma.us/FamilyChildCareProviders.aspx>.

EEC will host three bidders' conferences for interested providers.

Conferences will be held in the evenings from 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. in Springfield, Worcester and Boston. Boston's Bidder's Conference is next Wednesday, June 17th at EEC's Central Office - 51 Sleeper Street.

Please review the RFR for more details and directions. The deadline for all RFR bids is July 15, 2009. Please check the website often for updates to this contract opportunity. If you have questions, please e-mail procure@MassMail.state.MA.US.

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