

**COMMUNITY GRANTS INITIATIVE 2009-11 GRANT AWARDS**

COMMUNITY SUPPORT AWARDS				
AGENCY	SERVICE AREA	TOTAL FUNDING	DESCRIPTION OF FUNDING	
1. Bay Area Parent Leadership Action Network (PLAN)	70% North 30% South	\$37,500	Prepare parents to navigate public school systems and advocate for their children's educational success; develop a Training of Trainers curriculum to schools and early childhood agencies to implement "Parents Ready for School" trainings.	
2. Community Alliance for Special Education	30% North 25% South	\$36,100	Provide training, technical assistance consultations, advocacy, and representation at IEP and Due Process proceedings to ensure that children with special needs receive education services as required by state and federal law.	
3. Housing Rights, Inc.	95% North 5% South	\$34,500	Utilize our "Safe Home Project" staff to verify and document the need for repairs in rental units and assist tenants in securing repairs from landlords.	
4. Loved Twice	85% North 10% South 5% East	\$37,209	Create new clothing collection and distribution sites and provide free boxes of baby clothes to newborns in need.	
5. Marcus A. Foster Educational Institute	100% North	\$37,495	Provide parenting education workshops with literacy rich child care and one-on-one culturally- and linguistically- appropriate parent coaching. Parents develop short-term education plans for their children and families participate in an interactive field trip.	
6. Oakland Based Urban Gardens	100% North	\$37,492	Offer nutrition and garden-based educational classes linked to active school garden programs at two Oakland-based preschool centers (Lakeview Child Development and Saint Vincent's Day Home).	
7. Our Family Coalition	89% North 10% South 1% East	\$37,500	Provide parent education workshops, information, referrals, support groups, parent-child activities, community-building events and parent leadership trainings to LGBT families with children ages 0-5.	
8. Silva Pediatric Clinic	14% North 71% South 15% East	\$36,800	Provide uninsured toddlers with comprehensive and continuous access to dental care and improve the overall well-being of underserved children and families through outreach, primary prevention and education.	
9. Soulciety	100% South	\$37,076	Provide weekly parent-child activities focused on reading, music, dancing, and creative arts. Families will work on keepsake journals from the program.	
10. St. John's Childcare	85% North 10% South 5% East	\$33,760	Parent-toddler playgroups and parent education workshops. All children will be screened using the Ages & Stages Questionnaire. An Early Interventionist and therapists will be available to answer questions, tailor individualized intervention plans and provide developmental support.	

## TARGETED AWARDS

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1. 4C's of Alameda County	100% South	\$112,50	Provide parent education and support program for Spanish-speaking families. Program encourages parents to complete Ages and Stages Questionnaire (ASQ) and connects them with community resources.
2. Alameda Family Services	100% North	\$31,768	Build staff capacity to provide in-home, relationship-based mental health services to children and families and to integrate relationship-based principles in Head Start classrooms.
3. Alta Bates Summit Foundation	55% North 35% South 10% East	\$83,044	Expand the current NICU post-discharge parent education initiative to create a phased, coordinated effort by the NICU, the High Risk Infant Follow-up Clinic, and the Small Voice/Outpatient Pediatric Rehabilitation departments at ABSMC.
4. Asian Community Mental Health Services	100% North	\$112,500	Offer parenting education/support groups and developmental playgroups for Cambodian and Chinese immigrant parents/caretakers and their children ages 0-4 in their primary language.
5. Asian Health Services	73% North 25% South 2% East	\$112,500	Provide parenting support for low-income limited English proficient API pregnant women and families through parenting workshops, breastfeeding education, peer support opportunities, and labor/delivery support.
6. B.O.S.S.	85% North 15% South	\$107,812	Early childhood development program for homeless children. An early childhood specialist will conduct assessments of children's health and developmental needs, make referrals based on assessments, offer parent education and play-based children's activities.
7. BANANAS, Inc.	100% North	\$112,500	Provide workshops and classes on child development and parenting topics, support groups for fathers, new mothers and single parents, and Family Togetherness Nights. Events include free child care and are offered in English, Spanish, Chinese and Vietnamese.
8. Bay Area Children First	96% North 4% South	\$112,500	Expand and enhance our infant/early childhood mental health services in order to promote attachment, enhance child development, and strengthen family functioning.
9. Bay Area Hispano Institute for Advancement, Inc. (BAHIA)/Centro VIDA	100% South	\$111,400	Provide La Academia de Centro VIDA, a bilingual, multicultural Saturday kindergarten readiness program and parent education program with a specific focus on service to low-income Latino families in Southern Alameda County.
10. Berkeley-Albany YMCA	95% North 5% South	\$112,000	Provide water awareness and creative movement activities for children with special needs, followed by a parent support group with an inclusive social development session in the Childwatch facility.
11. Black Adoption Placement and Research Center	100% North	\$112,500	Conduct weekly parent education groups for homeless parents at two residential sites operated by East Oakland Community Project (EOCP).

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12. Brighter Beginnings	70% North 20% South 20% East	\$109,968	Provide financial education training and support to parents of children ages 0-5.
13. CALICO Center (Child Abuse, Listening, Interviewing and Coordination Center)	35% North 55% South 10% East	\$89,811	Help caregivers of abused children connect with the informal and formal social supports the family needs to heal from trauma and increase families' awareness and connections to therapeutic interventions available in the community.
14. Children's Hospital Oakland - Parent-Infant Program	100% South	\$112,500	Provide intervention through play to young children from Spanish Speaking families who are not in early care and education settings and are experiencing some developmental or social-emotional delays.
15. City of Fremont, Youth and Family Services	100% South	\$112,500	Provide parenting classes in English and Spanish with Fremont Unified School District (FUSD) preschool teachers through the "Preschool Parent Academy" (PPA), a partnership between FUSD and ITP.
16. Emergency Shelter Program, Inc.	28% North 70% South 2% East	\$112,500	Serving children that have experienced or witnessed domestic violence, children that have been exposed to drugs and/or alcohol, monolingual non-English speaking families and homeless families.
17. Friends of Children with Special Need	5% North 90% South 5% East	\$112,500	Provide parent support and developmental playgroups for children with special needs (physical & developmental disabilities) and their families. Services are offered in Mandarin.
18. Habitot Children's Museum	85% North 15% South	\$111,805	Will provide hands-on, parent-child activities for teen parents, special needs families, non-parental caregivers, LGBTQ families, and homeless families living in transitional housing. Activities will focus on literacy, health and safety, and diet and nutrition.
19. Jewish Family and Children's Services of the East Bay	36% North 64% South	\$112,493	Provides family support services and mental health treatment to mothers and their young children at one residential recovery program, two emergency shelters and one safe house.
20. Luna Kids Dance	92% North 8% South	\$108,282	Provide parent-child dance classes at residential centers, community centers and public libraries and offer professional education and training in early childhood dance education for artists, educators, and social services providers.
21. Museum of Children's Art	70% North 30% South	\$112,500	Engage children 18 months to 5 years in creative arts experiences that promote improved school readiness and transition to kindergarten. Program activities take place on-site and through our residencies.
22. Oakland Parents Together	100% North	\$54,832	Expand "Listening to Children – and to Each Other," from 3 to 8 sites to include Washington, Emerson, Manzanita, and Jefferson Child Development Centers in Oakland.

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23. UC Regents – Lawrence Hall of Science	100% North	\$112,418	Provide parent-child science classes to families with children ages 3-5 enrolled in pre-kindergarten programs at the Alameda Family Literacy Program (AFLP) in Alameda, and De Colores Head Start Center in Oakland.
24. Through the Looking Glass	55% North 40% South 5% East	\$112,500	Provide developmental, mental health, and family support services for infants and children (0-5) and their families with disability or medical issues who are “falling through the cracks” of the intervention system.
25. Tri-Valley Haven	1% North 98% South 1% East	\$112,500	Parenting class sessions in English and Spanish (including mini-class sessions for fathers) in conjunction with one-on-one parenting consultations.
26. Tri-Valley YMCA	100% East	\$29,007	Enhance our current Kindergarten Readiness program by offering monthly guardian education workshops with a focus on child development and school readiness skills. Mentoring and coaching will be offered.
27. United Way of the Bay Area	82% North 18% South	\$109,340	Implement early literacy program with low-income and English learning young children and their families in Oakland, Berkeley, Emeryville, San Leandro and San Lorenzo.

## NEIGHBORHOOD PARTNERSHIP AWARDS

AGENCY	SERVICE AREA	TOTAL FUNDING	DESCRIPTION OF FUNDING
1. Alameda Recreation and Park Department	100% North	\$109,653	Provide socialization opportunities for children with special needs and peer support groups for their parents and caregivers; expand and enhance an early literacy program for multilingual audiences and provide parent education workshops.
2. City of Berkeley, Recreation Division	100% North	\$112,279	Provide parent education workshops, a parent-child drop-in play program, and a play-based program for children based on the “Tools of the Mind” curriculum.
3. City of Union City Leisure Services	100% South	\$72,250	Offer neighborhood playgroups in Spanish, Chinese and Hindi, parent education classes, and family literacy events.
4. Hayward Public Library	100% South	\$101,750	Expand programming to include Spanish or bilingual storytimes, increase outreach to Spanish-speaking families, and enhance Spanish language book collection and outreach materials.
5. Oakland Public Library	100% North	\$77,600	Hold a series of Saturday Family Workshops designed for working families which include bilingual storytimes, brief parenting workshops with supervised playtime for children, open community-building time, and take-home storytime kits