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<b>GRANTEE/ PROJECT CHARACTERISTICS</b> (i.e., goals and description of the project, environment, description of population/case load and partner organizations):	<b>TOTAL FUNDS REQUESTED:</b> (for the first year of the project): <b>\$138,000</b> <b>TOTAL PROJECT BUDGET:</b> (for the first year of the project): <b>\$138,000</b>	Wyoming Families; Children Aged 0-5		Continue to work in tandem with the Children and Families Initiative as they address stable, safe and healthy environments for Wyoming families, economic diversification, healthcare and insurance, children born healthy with fruitful early development years and students successfully educated to validate the gaps and strengths, and to leverage the effectiveness of our work and investment.	By August 2007, worked in tandem with the Children and Families Initiative as they address stable, safe and healthy environments for Wyoming families, economic diversification, healthcare and insurance, children born healthy with fruitful early development years and students successfully educated to validate the gaps and strengths, and to leverage the effectiveness of our work and investment.	Worked in tandem with the Children and Families Initiative as they address stable, safe and healthy environments for Wyoming families, economic diversification, healthcare and insurance, children born healthy with fruitful early development years and students successfully educated to validate the gaps and strengths, and to leverage the effectiveness of our work and investment.		
		Improving the State Profile of Child Well-Being		Continue to identify and work with a variety of entities, both public and private, for profit and non-profit, that can effectively fill the gaps and enhance the strengths of an early childhood development system.	By August 2007, identified and worked with a variety of entities, both public and private, for profit and non-profit, that can effectively fill the gaps and enhance the strengths of an early childhood development system.	Identified and worked with a variety of entities, both public and private, for profit and non-profit, that can effectively fill the gaps and enhance the strengths of an early childhood development system.		
The lead organization (lead fiscal agency) for the implementation project is the <b>Wyoming State Department of Health</b> . The Department's mission is to promote, protect, and enhance the health of all Wyoming citizens. The Department is the primary state agency for providing health and human services. Programs are administered for maintaining the health and safety of all citizens of Wyoming, and the primary approach utilized in solving health problems is prevention.	<b>PROJECT INPUTS</b> (i.e., personnel and non-personnel)	Public/Private, For-Profit/Non-Profit Entities						
<b>Wyoming Early Childhood Comprehensive Systems (WECCS) Project:</b> The WECCS project works to build a statewide integrated system of early childhood care and services that promotes Wyoming families living in safe, supportive and stable environments. Cross-sector, multi-agency work focused on assessment-identified needs relating to the five critical component areas has been at the heart of the work of the strategy/work groups. To meet this outcome objective, work will continue with a coordinated multi-agency task force and through the building of alliances that promote a comprehensive assessment approach for discerning the gaps and strengths in the childhood development system. Additionally, to ensure that children are born healthy and achieving their highest potential during their early development years, services in the early childhood development system will be enhanced and added upon. To ensure that Wyoming children and families live in safe, stable, supportive, nurturing and healthy environments, strategies will be incorporated to address the root causes of child maltreatment.	<b>Personnel:</b>	Young Children and Their Families		Fund the Wyoming "One Before Two" Campaign using state funds.	By August 2007, funded the Wyoming "One Before Two" Campaign using state funds.	Increased the funding available for the Wyoming "One Before Two" Campaign using state funds.		
		Healthy and Successful Children						
<b>Project Goals:</b> (1) To improve the state profile of child well-being by integrating, enhancing and supporting services that will meet the needs of Wyoming children and families; (2) Children born healthy and achieving their highest potential during their early development years; and (3) Promote Wyoming families and children by providing the opportunity to move from surviving to thriving by recognizing and utilizing the power of connected human services to positively impact all aspects of their lives.	Project Coordinator: 0.375 FTE (IN-KIND)	General Public; Children		Fund various public awareness efforts aimed at ensuring children receive one developmental screening before the age of two years, and two screenings before age five.	By August 2007, funded various public awareness efforts aimed at ensuring children receive one developmental screening before the age of two years, and two screenings before age five.	Increased the number of public awareness efforts funded that are aimed at ensuring children receive one developmental screening before the age of two years, and two screenings before age five.		

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<b>ENVIRONMENT:</b>	Equipment: \$6,734.32 (Purchase of two NEKS D-carie min-lights for Wyoming Department of Health, Children's Dental Program).	Young Children and Their Families; Health Care Providers; Child Care Facilities; School Nurses; Public Health Nurses	Healthy and Successful Children		The regional Child Development Centers act as the initial distribution point for the "Teeth to Toes" well-child awareness materials, in cooperation with area health care providers and child care facilities.	By August 2007, the regional Child Development Centers acted as the initial distribution point for the "Teeth to Toes" well-child awareness materials, in cooperation with area health care providers and child care facilities.	The regional Child Development Centers acted as the initial distribution point for the "Teeth to Toes" well-child awareness materials, in cooperation with area health care providers and child care facilities.		
					The Best Beginnings Plus program (with the enhancements of a social worker and nutritionist) expands the potential market for enrollment.	By August 2007, the Best Beginnings Plus program (with the enhancements of a social worker and nutritionist) expanded the potential market for enrollment.	The Best Beginnings Plus program (with the enhancements of a social worker and nutritionist) expanded the potential market for enrollment.		
					The social work module added to the Best Beginnings Plus program augments the substance abuse education/treatment components currently available, while providing a more intense and effective referral system.	By August 2007, the social work module added to the Best Beginnings Plus program augmented the substance abuse education/treatment components currently available, while providing a more intense and effective referral system.	The social work module added to the Best Beginnings Plus program augmented the substance abuse education/treatment components currently available, while providing a more intense and effective referral system.		
				Promoting Families and Children Through Connected Human Services	The social work module added to the Best Beginnings Plus program enables clients to seek assistance with issues such as domestic violence, parenting issues, housing, financial planning, substance abuse, and good decision-making.	By August 2007, the social work module added to the Best Beginnings Plus program enabled clients to seek assistance with issues such as domestic violence, parenting issues, housing, financial planning, substance abuse, and good decision-making.	The social work module added to the Best Beginnings Plus program enabled clients to seek assistance with issues such as domestic violence, parenting issues, housing, financial planning, substance abuse, and good decision-making.		
	Administrative Assistant: as needed (IN-KIND)								
	Indirect Charges: \$0								
	<b>Non-Personnel:</b>	Young Children Aged 0-5 and Their Families							

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Wyoming's low birth weight indicator of 9% for infants born less than 2,500 grams is consistently higher than the national average. Nearly 20,000 of those uninsured in the state (approximately 80,000 persons) are younger than age 19. 47% of infants are born to mothers receiving Medicaid (i.e., low-income). There has also been a 16.9% increase in the rate of substantiated child abuse and neglect since 2001. Early childhood services in Wyoming have compiled little to no data related to child and family outcomes, which is often not shared. Services to expectant parents, young children and their families require a clearinghouse for data, communication, technical assistance and support. The geographic layout of the state, combined with a sparse population, often limit the delivery of services.	Supplies: \$10,834.33. (All expenses related to the printing of publications and information on program activities. Training materials will also be considered as a supply as two of the strategy/work groups will require training materials for their implementation work.	Young Children Aged 0-5 and Their Families		The implementation of a 2-1-1 family information and referral line will help in alleviating the frustration encountered by individuals and families as they seek needed human services and increase the number of services accessed through the simplicity of one simple, easy to remember phone number.	By August 2007, the implementation of a 2-1-1 family information and referral line helped in alleviating the frustration encountered by individuals and families as they sought needed human services and increased the number of services accessed through the simplicity of one simple, easy to remember phone number.	The implementation of a 2-1-1 family information and referral line helped in alleviating the frustration encountered by individuals and families as they sought needed human services and increased the number of services accessed through the simplicity of one simple, easy to remember phone number.		
<b>PARTNERING ORGANIZATIONS:</b>	<b>OTHER INPUTS (contracts, other grant awards, matching funds):</b>		Promoting Families and Children Through Connected Human Services	2-1-1 will raise the awareness of services available for children and families in Wyoming.	By August 2007, 2-1-1 raised the awareness of services available for children and families in Wyoming.	2-1-1 raised the awareness of services available for children and families in Wyoming.		
<b>Head Start/Early Start</b>	Contractual: \$120,431.35. (Enable the Maternal and Family Health Division (MFH) of the Wyoming Department of Health to contract with community-based organizations and child development centers interested in initiating, developing and/or expanding community activities that directly address the priorities of WECCS, and hold a conference focusing on early childhood development).	Uninsured Children		Continue to work with the Wyoming Health Care Commission as they consider further expansion of the State Children's Health Insurance Program to include up to 20,000 additional children currently uninsured.	By August 2007, worked with the Wyoming Health Care Commission as they considered further expansion of the State Children's Health Insurance Program to include up to 20,000 additional children currently uninsured.	Further expanded the State Children's Health Insurance Program to include up to 20,000 additional children currently uninsured.		
<b>Child Development Centers</b>		Parents of Young Children; Child Care Workers		The implementation of the rating system and incentive payment component of the Quality Child Care program will offer parent access to high quality, affordable childcare while promoting a livable wage for child care workers.	By August 2007, implemented the rating system and incentive payment component of the Quality Child Care program, as well as passed the Quality Child Care Bill.	By August 2007, implemented the rating system and incentive payment component of the Quality Child Care program, as well as passed the Quality Child Care Bill.		
<b>University of Wyoming Children's Action Alliance Division</b>		Potential Best Beginnings Pilot Areas		Determine market areas to participate in Best Beginnings pilots and completion of the internal assessment for implementation to have the highest potential for impact while securing tools to increase the success of the program.	By October 2007, determined market areas to participate in Best Beginnings pilots and completion of the internal assessment for implementation to have the highest potential for impact while securing tools to increase the success of the program.	Determined market areas to participate in Best Beginnings pilots and completion of the internal assessment for implementation to have the highest potential for impact while securing tools to increase the success of the program.		
<b>Community Colleges</b>			Project Parenthood	Determine the location of pilots for nutritionist and social worker enhancements.	By September 2006, determined the location of pilots for nutritionist and social worker enhancements.	Determined the location of pilots for nutritionist and social worker enhancements.		
<b>Wyoming Department of Health</b>		WIC Program; Best Beginnings		Complete details on the tracking and referral plan for WIC and Best Beginnings.	By September 2006, completed details on the tracking and referral plan for WIC and Best Beginnings.	Completed details on the tracking and referral plan for WIC and Best Beginnings.		
<b>Maternal and Family Health (MFH)</b>		Public Health Nurses		Arrange training for Best Beginnings staff in motivational interviewing.	By October 2006, arranged training for Best Beginnings staff in motivational interviewing.	Increased the number of trainings for Best Beginnings staff in motivational interviewing.		
<b>Public Health Nursing (PHN)</b>		Legislators	Quality Child Care	Complete the details needed in the proposed plan to address legislative concerns in order to gain access to implementation dollars.	By February 2007, completed the details needed in the proposed plan to address legislative concerns in order to gain access to implementation dollars.	Completed the details needed in the proposed plan to address legislative concerns in order to gain access to implementation dollars.		

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Primary Care Association (PCA)		State-Level Employees Involved in Certifying Child Care Providers	Quality Child Care	Complete criteria for the quality rating system, professional development incentives, support grants and formulae for incentive payments.	By January 2007, completed criteria for the quality rating system, professional development incentives, support grants and formulae for incentive payments.	Completed criteria for the quality rating system, professional development incentives, support grants and formulae for incentive payments.		
Wyoming Health Council		Legislative Committee Members		Provide public awareness training for committee members.	By January 2007, provided public awareness training for committee members.	Increased the amount of public awareness training provided for committee members.		
Wyoming Medicaid Department		General Public		Conduct public awareness meetings.	By January 2007, conducted public awareness meetings.	Increased the number of public awareness meetings conducted.		
Covering Kids		Committee Members		Finalize draft Quality Child Care rules.	By February 2007, finalized draft Quality Child Care rules.	Finalized draft Quality Child Care rules.		
Department of Family Services		Early Childhood Child Care Providers and Staff; Department of Workforce Services		Hire staff and begin year of assessing facilities for ratings.	By July 2007, hired staff and begin year of assessing facilities for ratings.	Hired staff and begin year of assessing facilities for ratings.		
Wyoming Department of Education (WDE)				Initiate incentive payments.	By April 2008, initiated incentive payments.	Initiated incentive payments.		
Department of Developmental Disabilities (DDD)			Child Development Training System	Develop a menu and process to guide implementation based on pilot study data.	By September 2006, developed a menu and process to guide implementation based on pilot study data.	Developed a menu and process to guide implementation based on pilot study data.		
Healthy Childcare America (HCCA)				Review data from first year of pilot.	By September 2006, reviewed data from first year of pilot.	Reviewed data from first year of pilot.		
University of Wyoming				Develop an outline for the second year based on a review of the first year.	By September 2006, developed an outline for the second year based on a review of the first year.	Developed an outline for the second year based on a review of the first year.		
Wyoming's Child Care Action Alliance (WCAA)		Early Childhood Child Care Providers		Identify funding and fiscal management for the project's second year.	By September 2006, identified funding and fiscal management for the project's second year.	Identified funding and fiscal management for the project's second year.		
Early Childhood Association		Potential Child Development Training System Pilot Sites		Identify pilot sites for 2nd year.	By October 2006, identified pilot sites for 2nd year.	Identified pilot sites for 2nd year.		
Child Development Services		Child Development Training System Oversight Committee		Pilot sites develop individual implementation plans & submit to oversight committee.	By January 2007, pilot sites developed individual implementation plans & submit to oversight committee.	Pilot sites developed individual implementation plans & submit to oversight committee.		
Licensing and DayCare		Potential Child Development Training System Pilot Sites	Develop oversight committee implementation plan for supporting and guiding year two pilot sites.	By February 2007, developed oversight committee implementation plan for supporting and guiding year two pilot sites.	Developed oversight committee implementation plan for supporting and guiding year two pilot sites.			
Child Nutrition Services		2-1-1 Organization	2-1-1 Family Information and Referral	Complete internal and external evaluations to determine financing and sustainability of the 2-1-1 Family Information and Referral system.	Completed internal and external evaluations to determine financing and sustainability of the 2-1-1 Family Information and Referral system.	Completed internal and external evaluations to determine financing and sustainability of the 2-1-1 Family Information and Referral system.		
Department of Mental Health				Clarify the 2-1-1 organizational framework.	By October 2006, clarified the 2-1-1 organizational framework.	Clarified the 2-1-1 organizational framework.		
Parent Information Center				Ensure quality assurance.	By November 2006, ensured quality assurance.	Ensured quality assurance.		
Children's Health Insurance				Clarify database issues/AIRS certification program.	By January 2007, clarified database issues/AIRS certification program.	Clarified database issues/AIRS certification program.		
Support, Access, Growth and Empowerment Initiative (SAGE)				Determine technology systems.	By January 2007, determined technology systems.	Determined technology systems.		
				Develop a marketing plan.	By March 2007, developed a marketing plan.	Developed a marketing plan.		
				Develop a finance plan.	By March 2007, developed a finance plan.	Developed a finance plan.		

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		Young Children and Their Families; Health Care Providers; Child Care Facilities; School Nurses; Public Health Nurses	Consumer and Provider Education	Implement Phase II of the two-tier approach to providing education and support, while acquiring policy changes that expand access.	By September 2006, implemented Phase II of the two-tier approach to providing education and support, while acquiring policy changes that expand access.	Implemented Phase II of the two-tier approach to providing education and support, while acquiring policy changes that expand access.			
				Complete distribution/contact network for Teeth to Toes material.	By September 2006, completed distribution/contact network for Teeth to Toes material.	Completed distribution/contact network for Teeth to Toes material.			
				Legislators	Developed a white paper report for legislature regarding hygienist program and recruitment.	By February 2007, developed a white paper report for legislature regarding hygienist program and recruitment.	Developed a white paper report for legislature regarding hygienist program and recruitment.		
				Wyoming Health Care Commission (WHCC)	Continued work with WHCC to expand SCHIP.	Between July and November 2007, worked with WHCC to expand SCHIP.	Worked with WHCC to expand SCHIP.		
		Private Businesses, Local Interest Groups, Public/Private Foundations; Child Care Providers; Young Children and Their Families	Sustainability	Involve private businesses, local interest groups, private and public foundations in support and funding opportunities to improve the well-being of children and families in Wyoming.	On an ongoing basis, involved private businesses, local interest groups, private and public foundations in support and funding opportunities to improve the well-being of children and families in Wyoming.	Involved private businesses, local interest groups, private and public foundations in support and funding opportunities to improve the well-being of children and families in Wyoming.			
		Private Businesses; Foundations; Students; Child Care Providers		Increase the involvement of the private businesses and foundations in the diverse economy/livable wage area, as well as in successfully educating students on aspects of the Children and Families Initiative (which indirectly impacts the Early Childhood Development System).	On an ongoing basis, increased the involvement of the private businesses and foundations in the diverse economy/livable wage area, as well as in successfully educating students on aspects of the Children and Families Initiative (which indirectly impacts the Early Childhood Development System).	Increased the involvement of the private businesses and foundations in the diverse economy/livable wage area, as well as in successfully educating students on aspects of the Children and Families Initiative (which indirectly impacts the Early Childhood Development System).			
		Wyoming Business Council		Work to collaborate with the Wyoming Business Council (a mechanism with funding capabilities for building job creation and strengthening existing businesses in Wyoming) to incorporate early childhood system development as a part of their community granting program.	On an ongoing basis, collaborated with the Wyoming Business Council (a mechanism with funding capabilities for building job creation and strengthening existing businesses in Wyoming) to incorporate early childhood system development as a part of their community granting program.	Collaborated with the Wyoming Business Council (a mechanism with funding capabilities for building job creation and strengthening existing businesses in Wyoming) to incorporate early childhood system development as a part of their community granting program.			
				Develop a Child and Adolescent Health Position to focus on WECCS priorities or components as part of their position.	By August 2007, developed a Child and Adolescent Health Position to focus on WECCS priorities or components as part of their position.	Developed a Child and Adolescent Health Position to focus on WECCS priorities or components as part of their position.			
				Continue a Steering Committee that addresses components of the Quality Child Care Bill.	On an ongoing basis, continued a Steering Committee that addresses components of the Quality Child Care Bill.	Continued a Steering Committee that addresses components of the Quality Child Care Bill.			