



LACDA

(Los Angeles County Development Authority)

Childcare Providers Grant Program

American Rescue Plan

May 25, 2022

Childcare Providers Grant Program

CARES Act – \$10M Allocation



Description

- Provided assistance for childcare operators
- Located in Los Angeles County
- Did not include City of Los Angeles
- Impacted due to COVID-19
- Experienced economic hardship



Allocation

- \$500K for admin
- \$9.5M for grants
- Administered by the Los Angeles County Development Authority (LACDA)



Eligibility

- Good standing with Community Care Licensing Division
- Submitted a complete application and supporting documents
- Completed W-9
- Signed grant agreement



Use of Funds

- Working Capital
- Grant Amounts
 - Family Child Care Homes
 - \$10,000
 - Child Care Centers
 - \$40,000



Outcomes

- 1,786 applications submitted
- 462 approved and funded
- Applications ranked by lottery
- Target low- to moderate-income areas

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CARES Act – Testimonial

“When we received the CARES Grant Funding through LA County, it really provided us an opportunity to adapt our facility to make it safer for children, family and staff to return. Seeing the progress and the help that we’ve been able to do because of this grant has been amazing”

Tori Hatch,
Fountain Day School



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American Rescue Plan - \$20M Allocation

Goal

To provide financial support for those Early Care and Education (ECE) providers located in communities most negatively impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic to remain operating and continue to provide ECE services

INPUTS

Where We Invest

- LACDA to partner with a Subrecipient for grants administration and community-based organizations with direct connections with ECE providers

ACTIVITIES

What We Do

- Community engagement
- Program marketing materials
- Technical assistance
- Provide grants
- Evaluate program effectiveness

Who We Reach

- Licensed, LA County ECE providers
- Not within City of LA

OUTCOMES

Why This Project

- Short-term Results
- Intermediate Results
- Long-term Results

Assumptions

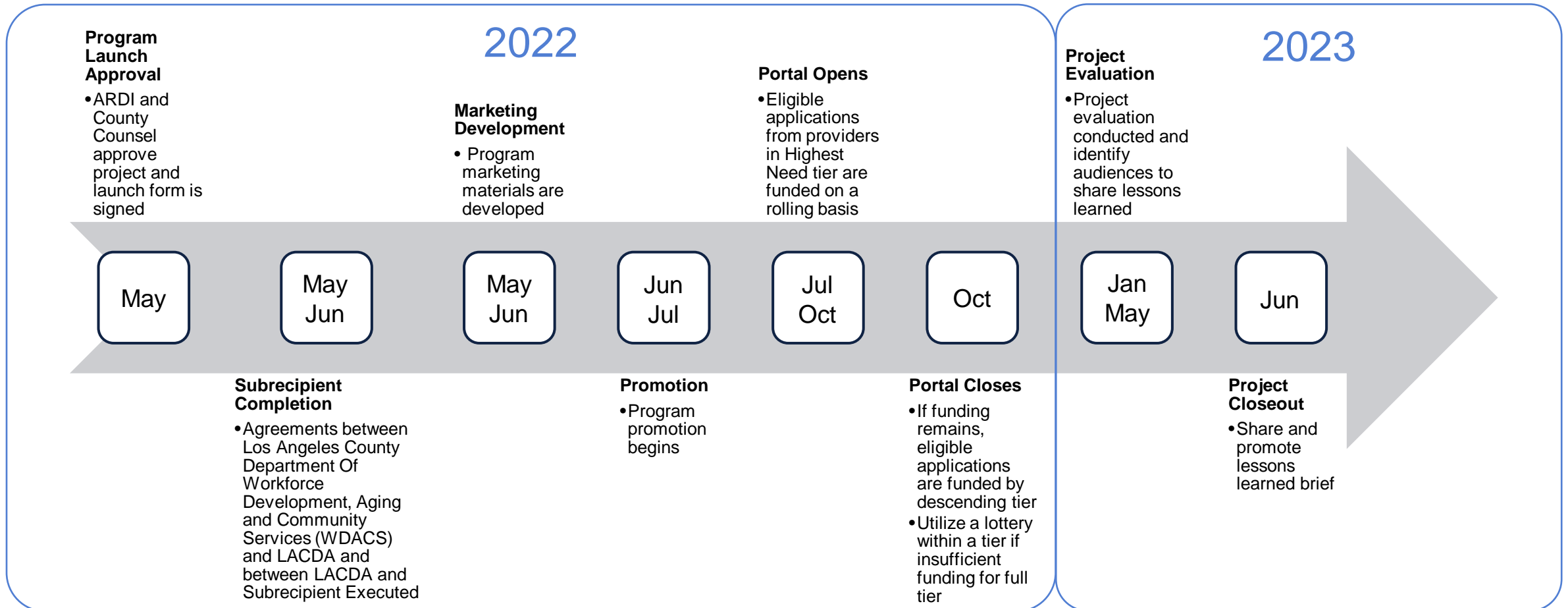
- Anti Racism, Diversity and Inclusion (ARDI)'s COVID Vulnerability and Recovery Index is an efficient and effective measure of the disproportionate impact of the pandemic for communities and the ECE providers operating within them

External Factors

- COVID-19 pandemic: From Jan 2020 to Jan 2021
- 10% reduction home based providers and 36% decrease centers. Providers to institute COVID safety protocols
- ECE is a low-wage employment sector

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Timeline 2022-2023



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Eligibility Criteria

Actively Licensed with CDSS-CCLD

- California Department of Social Services (CDSS)
- Community Care Licensing Division (CCLD)

No Egregious Type A Violations

- Verified online at [CDSS-CCLD portal](#)
- Immediate Risk: e.g. lack of care and supervision, lack of fire clearance, access to dangerous chemicals (see [Glossary](#))

Los Angeles County (excluding City of Los Angeles)

- Mapped with [County GIS locator](#)

Organization in Good Standing with California Secretary of State

- Lookup current status on [Business Search page](#)

Equity Lens

- ARDI COVID Vulnerability and Recovery Index
- Prioritize Highest Need Applicants

No Duplication of Benefits

- Cross reference Grantee with concurrent awards for other American Rescue Plan Act grants

Completed Application & Supporting Documentation

- Processed by Subrecipient

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Partners



WDACS

- Funding Activities



LACDA

- Program Design
- Data & Financial Monitoring



Office for Advancement of Early Care & Education (DPH)

- Consulting



Child Care Alliance of Los Angeles

- Consulting



Community Partners

- Administration
- Grant Disbursement



Resource and Referral Agencies

- Outreach and Enrollment



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Projections

5 - Highest Need Tier

	Home Based Provider Small	Home Based Provider Large	Child Care Center Provider Small	Child Care Center Provider Large	Total
Provider License Capacity	< 8 Capacity	> 8 Capacity	< 40 Capacity	> 40 Capacity	
Crystal Stairs Inc.	109	109	52	52	322
Mexican American Opportunity Foundation	52	53	11	12	128
Options for Learning	19	19	9	9	56
Children's Home Society of CA	8	7	8	8	31
Sub Total Providers	188	188	80	81	537
Grant Amount	\$15,000	\$30,000	\$40,000	\$80,000	
Funding	\$2,820,000	\$5,640,000	\$3,200,000	\$6,480,000	\$18,140,000

- ❑ These figures are estimated on data received from Child Care Alliance of Los Angeles and averaged by Zip Code with ~ 50/50 split between large and small providers
- ❑ Total Funding amounts assume that all highest need providers apply and are eligible

QUESTIONS?



HOUSING
COMMUNITY
ECONOMIC

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Capital Projects

Community Services Cluster Meeting
May 25, 2022

CAPITAL PROJECT:
Live Oak Library
(5th District)

before



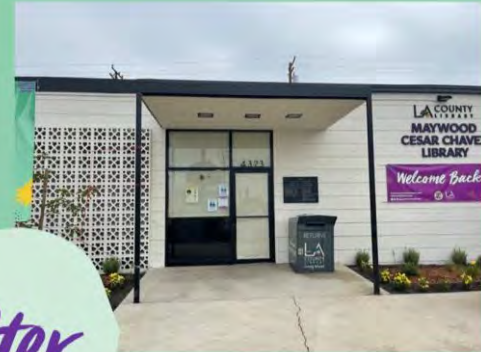
after

*Our Various
Projects*

REFRESH:

Maywood César Chávez Library
(4th District; formerly 1st District)

before



after

New Capital Projects

before



Masao W. Satow Library
2nd District

before



Lloyd Taber - Marina del Rey Library
2nd District



Norwalk Library
4th District



after



after



New Capital Projects



before

Live Oak Library
5th District



after



before

Temple City Library
5th District



after



Facilities Reinvestment Projects

Mixed-Use Site



Credit: Douglas Olson



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Cost

OPERATING COSTS for NEWEST CAPITAL PROJECTS (in millions)

Library	District	2108 - 19	2019-20	2020-21* (Adjusted to include CARES credit)
Carson	2 nd	\$3.36	\$2.91	\$3.01
Masao W. Satow	2 nd	\$1.62	\$1.24	\$0.98
Lloyd Taber-Marina del Rey	2 nd (was 4 th)	\$1.85	\$1.59	\$1.30
Norwalk	4 th	\$3.26	\$2.99	\$2.78
Live Oak	5 th	\$1.63	\$1.60	\$1.37
Temple City	5 th	\$2.14	\$1.77	\$1.78

* Reduced costs in 2020-21; libraries were closed due to COVID-19 and hours were reduced to 40 hours/week when reopened.

Funding





Long-Term Project Planning

