

## North Carolina Department of Health and Human Services Division of Social Services

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## DEAR COUNTY DIRECTORS OF SOCIAL SERVICES:

SUBJECT: Funds for After-School Services for At-Risk Children

The Division is pleased to announce the availability of funds for After-School Services for At-Risk Children. This RFA has been mailed to you for your consideration. This year the Division is planning a Bidder's Workshop that is scheduled for July 25, 2005. Applicants are strongly encouraged to attend this workshop. Information regarding the Bidder's Workshop will follow this announcement.

Please make a note of the deadline for submission of the grant application. Applications must be in the office, not postmarked, by 3:00 p.m. on August 22, 2005.

Please read the entire RFA prior to completing. Pay close attention to your budget narrative. Spell out exactly what you are requesting in your budget. Pay attention to the calculations in your budget to avoid any corrections later, should you be selected for funding.

If you are requesting rent, submit a lease with the application. If you are requesting salary, submit a job description. If you are contracting for a service, submit the sub-contract.

If you have any questions about the budget or application in general, please call (919-733-2279) or email me (<u>Charisse.Johnson@ncmail.net</u>.).

Applications should be sent to Charisse S. Johnson August 22, 2005:

Charisse S. Johnson Family Support & Child Welfare Services 2410 Mail Service Center Raleigh, North Carolina 27699-2410

Please contact Charisse at 919-733-2279 or via email at <u>charisse.johnson@ncmail.net</u> if you have any questions or concerns.

Sincerely, Op On Sam

Jo Ann Lamm, Section Chief Family Support & Child Welfare Services

Cc: Pheon Beal Sherry Bradsher FSCWSS-28-05