



Revisions to NOFA #747: Early Learning Scholarship- Licensed Child Care Centers

Revisions made on 2/8/2017

- On page 8 of the NOFA document, the description of the program assurance related to curriculum was modified to add the Head Start Framework. It now reads: Centers must utilize an evidenced-based curricula, which aligns with either the California Department of Education [Infant/Toddler Learning & Development Foundations](#), California Department of Education [California Preschool Curriculum Frameworks \(Volumes 1-3\)](#) (if serving preschool-age children), or the [Head Start Early Learning Outcomes Framework: Ages Birth to Five](#).
- On page 26 of the NOFA document, the graphic for Appendix B was modified.
- Both Projected Peak Enrollment Forms: Next to the Site Name, a field was added to indicate the start date if a site was not yet operating. Color coding as added to show the relationship between the funding types on the form tab to the rates tab. The way applicants indicate projected enrollments for Preschool for All 9-month and 12-month was modified so that applicants can indicate enrollments associated with each of the four lead teacher permit levels. An additional question was added at the end of each form to allow applicants to enter brief explanations for anything entered in the form, if needed.
- ELS Projected Peak Enrollment Form: The titles and instructions under the titles in Sections 5, 6 and 7 were modified. More detail was added to several of the funding sources in Sections 5, 6 and 7. A new row called "Other funding sources not listed above" was added to section 5 "Current Peak Enrollment in FY 2016-2017." The title and notes about the Annual Quality Grant were modified.
- PFA Only Projected Peak Enrollment Form: The titles and instructions under the titles in Sections 5 and 6 were modified.
- Instructions: Section H of the instructions were revised to address the revisions to the Projected Peak Enrollment Forms.

Revisions made on 2/1/2017

- ELS-Center Projected Peak Enrollment Form: The rates with the 5% differential for infants and toddlers in centers that serve children ages 0 to 5 were added to the ELS Reimbursement Rates Centers tab.
- One page 14 of the NOFA document, the third selection criteria for applications that are solely applying for Preschool for All-9 month or Preschool for All-12 month funding was revised to: 3) Proposed Preschool for All- 9 month or Preschool for All-12 month enrollments for FY 2017-18 are the same or less than those enrollments in FY 2016-17.
- One pages 32-33 of the NOFA document, the first example in Appendix F was revised to include a 5% differential for the infants and toddlers, and to use the correct ELS-Gap amount for Preschoolers

(corrected to \$5,738). The infant rate with a 5% differential changed to \$28,871 and the toddler rate changed to \$21,892.

- On pages 4 and 22 of the NOFA document, ELS-City (Voucher) read as “low-income children under age 4 whose families need ECE services but who are not eligible for other state or federal subsidies,” and was revised to read as “to low-income children under the age of 4 whose families need ECE services but for whom other state or federal subsidies are unavailable.”