

2010 Request for Proposal Questions and Answers

1. During The March 8th workshop I understood that my agency that is currently being funded could respond to this RFP both under the Public Service Programs (for childcare) and the Public Facilities and Improvements Programs (for improvement work in the childcare facility) by submitting two requests.

Yes. The agency needs to submit an application for each activity, Public Service and Public Facilities and Improvements.
2. I understood that the amount granted next year would be very close to what is awarded to our agency now.

This statement is not correct. This RFP is for a new funding cycle and there is no guarantee that the same agencies will be funded and if funded that the funding amounts will be at the same level as the current program income.
3. Would the next amount awarded be divided between the two programs or would the amount awarded under Public Facilities and Improvement be in addition to the \$19,000 given under Public Services?

Public Service and Public Facilities and Improvement are different activities and, therefore, may be allocated different amounts.
4. If the labor for a construction project is donated, would the agency still have to follow Davis-Bacon rules?

U.S. HUD provides an exemption from the requirement to pay prevailing wage rates determined under the Davis-Bacon Act if labor for a construction project is provided by bona fide volunteers only. Determinations regarding this exemption are made by HUD on a case-by-case basis. (24 C.F.R. Part 70.1 – 70.4).