



CHILD CARE ZONES

2025 APPLICATION GUIDANCE FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS – UPDATED 2.21.25

1. How can I receive technical assistance?
 - Please use the [Technical Assistance Request Form](#)
2. Where do I submit a Letter of Interest?
 - Letters of Interest must be submitted online by 5:00 pm CST on February 28, 2025 using [this form](#)
3. What expenses are not eligible for the budget?
 - Purchase of land, buildings or vehicles
 - Construction, capital improvements or capital expenditures
 - Food or beverage
 - Supplanting for personnel
4. If the grant is awarded, will we have to pay taxes on the amount received?
 - Our anticipation is that if you are for-profit entity, you will likely be taxed on the grant awarded. We recommend you work with your business team to make a determination based on your specific situation.
5. How will interview requests be sent?
 - Interview requests will be sent via email to the person who submitted a Letter of Interest. The interviews will be held virtually during the first two weeks of March 2025.