

Attachment A  
General Instructions:

Each State must provide the information indicated below on its TANF program regardless of the funding source -- i.e., no matter whether the State used segregated Federal TANF funds, segregated State TANF funds, or commingled funds to pay for the benefit or service.

If the State elects to report on other benefits or activities provided through other program funding streams, please mention it after the TANF-funded benefits or activities for each item.

**1. The State's definition of each work activity.**

Definitions for FFY 2010 are contained in the TANF Plan revised August 10, 2010 Section A Part III Work Activities. 1. Unsubsidized Employment: Full- or part-time employment in the public or private sector that is not subsidized by TANF or any other public program. 2. Subsidized Private Sector Employment: Employment in the private sector for which the employer receives a subsidy from TANF or other public funds to offset some or all of the wages and costs of employing an individual. 3. Subsidized Public Sector Employment: Employment in the public sector for which the employer receives a subsidy from TANF or other public funds to offset some or all of the wages and costs of employing a recipient. This includes work-study and stipend programs. 4. On-the-Job Training: Training in the public or private sector that is given to a paid employee while he or she is engaged in productive work and that provides knowledge and skills essential to the full and adequate performance of the job. 5. Job Search and Job Readiness Assistance: The act of seeking or obtaining employment, preparation to seek or obtain employment, including life skills training, and short-term substance abuse treatment, mental health treatment, or rehabilitation activities. Such treatment or therapy must be determined to be necessary and certified by a qualified medical or mental health professional. Job search and job readiness assistance activities must be supervised by the TANF agency or other responsible party on an ongoing basis no less frequently than once each day in which the individual is scheduled to participate. This activity is limited by statute to count toward the participation rate for no more than six weeks per year (no more than four weeks may be consecutive to count toward the work participation rates). 6. Work Experience: A work activity performed in return for welfare, that provides an individual with an opportunity to acquire the general skills, training, knowledge, and work habits necessary to obtain employment. The purpose of work experience is to improve the employability of those who cannot find unsubsidized employment. This activity must be supervised by an employer, work site sponsor, or other responsible party on an ongoing basis no less frequently than once each day in which the individual is scheduled to participate. 7. Community Service Programs: Structured programs in which TANF recipients perform work for the direct benefit of the community under the auspices of public or nonprofit organizations.

Community service programs must be limited to projects that serve a useful community purpose in fields such as health, social service, environmental protection, education, urban and rural redevelopment, welfare, recreation, public facilities, public safety, and childcare. Community service programs are designed to improve the employability of recipients not otherwise able to obtain employment, and must be supervised on an ongoing basis no less frequently than once each day in which the individual is scheduled to participate. A State agency shall take into account, to the extent possible, the prior training, experience, and skills of a recipient in making appropriate community service assignments. 8. Vocational Educational Training Not to Exceed 12 Months: Organized educational programs that are directly related to the preparation of individuals for employment in current or emerging occupations requiring training, a baccalaureate or advanced degree. Vocational educational training must be supervised on an ongoing basis no less frequently than once each day in which the individual is scheduled to participate and may include work-focused general education and language instruction. 9. Child Care for an Individual Participating in a Community Service Program 10. Job Skills Training Directly Related to Employment 11. Education Directly Related to Employment 12. Satisfactory Attendance at Secondary School or in a GED Program.

**2. A description of the transitional services provided to families no longer receiving assistance due to employment.**

a). Post-TFA Jobs First Employment Services Jobs First Employment Services are available to families engaged in such activities at the time they become ineligible for Temporary Family Assistance, the State's TANF cash assistance program. Employment services may be provided for up to one year after exiting TFA. Such services include, but are not limited to the following: case management, barrier resolution, employment related education and training, job search skill training, job placement services, support services, retention services, and re-employment services. b). Transitional Child Care Families that exit Temporary Family Assistance are also eligible for Transitional Child Care, a CCDF-based component of the State's Child Care Assistance Program. Such families remain eligible for Transitional Child Care as long as their income remains below income limit.

**3. A description of how a State will reduce the amount of assistance payable to a family when an individual refuses to engage in work without good cause pursuant to 45 CFR 261.14 of this chapter.**

Non-exempt individuals (other than minor parents), who refuse or otherwise fail to engage in work without good cause, subject the family receiving Temporary Family Assistance (TFA) benefits to progressively larger reductions in cash benefits payable. Such refusal or failure to engage in work includes failure to satisfactorily engage in work activities specified in employment plans, voluntary quits of employment, and terminations from employment due to willful misconduct. Reductions in benefits for families who have not yet reached the program's 21-month time limit are applied as follows: 1) a reduction of 25 percent for three months for the first offense; 2) a reduction of 35 percent for three months for the second offense; 3) for the

third and any subsequent offenses, discontinuance of the family's assistance and ineligibility for at least three months. For non-exempt individuals who comprise entire assistance units (assistance units of one) such as pregnant women with no other children), benefits are discontinued entirely for at least three months irrespective of the offense number. For families receiving benefits under extension provisions (i.e., beyond the program's 21-month time limit), the penalty for refusal or failure to engage in work is discontinuance and ineligibility for any future extensions based on good faith effort to obtain and retain employment. Individuals who are exempt from employment services do not subject the family to the penalties described above. Such individuals include: children under 18, unless the child is a minor parent not in school; an individual who is incapacitated or of advanced age; an individual who is needed in the home because of the incapacity of another member of the household; an individual caring for a child under one year of age, if such child is not a child covered by the family benefit cap provision; a pregnant woman if the physician has indicated that she is unable to work; a women in a six-week post-pregnancy period; an individual who is otherwise determined to be unemployable under state policies. A 25% reduction represents the minimum pro rata reduction for any assistance unit with more than one member in all three of the State's payment regions.

**4. The average monthly number of payments for child care services made by the State through the use of disregards, by the following types of child care providers:**

**i. Licensed/regulated in-home child care: 0**

**ii. Licensed/regulated family child care: 0**

**iii. Licensed/regulated group home child care: 0**

**iv. Licensed/regulated center-based child care: 0**

**v. Legally operating (i.e., no license category available in State or locality) in-home child care provided by a non-relative: 0**

**vi. Legally operating (i.e., no license category available in State or locality) in-home child care provided by a relative: 0**

**vii. Legally operating (i.e., no license category available in State or locality) family child care provided by a non-relative: 0**

**viii. Legally operating (i.e., no license category available in State or locality) family child care provided by a relative: 0**

**ix. Legally operating (i.e., no license category available in State or locality) group child care provided by a non-relative: 0**

**x. Legally operating (i.e., no license category available in State or locality) group child care provided by a relative: 0**

**xi. Legally operated (i.e., no license category available in State or locality) center-based child care. 0**

**5. If the State has adopted the Family Violence Option and wants Federal**

recognition of its good cause domestic violence waivers under 45 CFR 260.50-58, then provide (a) a description of the strategies and procedures in place to ensure that victims of domestic violence receive appropriate alternative services and (b) an aggregate figure for the total number of good cause domestic waivers granted.

**Not Applicable: Connecticut has not adopted the Family Violence Option. The following is a continuation of #6 below (max reached) . NRST Benefit and TANF ECF programs described in the TANF Plan as revised on or after August 10, 2010. NRST Benefit program serving families in four months or less: 1)Emergency Assistance provides families with a financial benefit to address a short-term crisis or episode of need. Emergency Assistance payments include: one-time food benefit; utility payments; clothing allotment; heat; eviction prevention. 2) Economic Stabilization Services provide families with resources on tax preparation, financial literacy, and works to help families achieve financial independence. 3) Social Services Safety Net Programs for Families provides a link to social services for families in crisis, including parenting and family courses. 4) Educational and Youth Support and Supplies provides resources to families to help children receive necessary educational and social support. 5) Emergency Shelter with Domestic Violence Services provides specialized emergency services to victims of domestic violence. 6) Emergency Homeless Shelter provides short term shelter to homeless families with children. For the families in the short term shelter, meals, counseling, family supports. Food Bank and Crisis Food Support provides limited, short-term food supplies to needy families. 8) Job Training for Youth (non-subsidized employment) provides job training targeted to older teens ages 14-24. 9) Jobs and Training provides a short-term variety of courses and on the job training for participants. 10) Jobs and Training provides a short-term variety of courses and job training for participants with a focus on non-custodial parents. 11) Educational/Career Oriented Summer Programs provide summer experiences for children ages 6 -18, included are: vocational skills, life skills training, homework help and tutoring; construction skills; etc. 12) Camp and Recreational Activities provide short term summer experiences for children ages 4-18. 13) Diapers and New Baby Supplies provide diapers, new baby supplies to needy families. 15) Juvenile Intervention Services targets boys and girls with involvement in the juvenile justice system. 16) Pregnancy Prevention summer program providing pregnancy prevention educational activities. 17) Short Term Congregate Care for Children supports children's transition and helps stabilize children waiting for permanent placement with biological parents or relatives. 18) Family Support provides services to families to improve childhood learning, family health, intergenerational literacy, and self-sufficiency outcomes for young children. 19) Job Readiness and Emergency Assistance provides assistance in employment plans and job related activities, also provides financial assistance or vouchers for basic needs. 20) Critical Goods and Services for Youth provides camp experiences, books, school uniforms, and clothing. 21) Short-Term Child Care Subsidy and Family Support provides short term child care and early care and education subsidies/vouchers for children who are living in**

shelters, transitional housing, or recently in permanent housing, or at risk of homelessness. 22) Emergency, Basic Needs and Family Support Assistance provides assessment for episodic crisis and need, assistance to secure housing, and household goods. 23) Vocational Assessment, Education and IDP and short-term case management, computer and job readiness training. 24) Summer Feeding provides USDA program sites wrap-around services to include recreational programs and activities. 25) Family Stabilization provides families in crises with children under age 6, with services and supports to stabilize home environment. 26) Literacy at Home Outreach Project provides books for children focusing on age's birth to six. 27) Furniture and Home Goods supplies to stabilize families to keep children in the home. 28) Subsidized Employment.

**6. A description of any nonrecurrent, short-term benefits (as defined in 45 CFR 260.31(b)(1)) provided, including:**

**i. The eligibility criteria associated with such benefits, including any restrictions on the amount, duration, or frequency of payments;**

**ii. Any policies that limit such payments to families that are eligible for TANF assistance or that have the effect of delaying or suspending a family's eligibility for assistance;**

**iii. Any procedures or activities developed under the TANF program to ensure that individuals diverted from assistance receive information about, referrals to, or access to other program benefits (such as Medicaid and food stamps) that might help them make the transition from welfare to work.**

**a) Diversion Program: Connecticut operates a Diversion Program to help families remain self-sufficient rather than become dependent on monthly cash assistance. The goal of the program is to provide families with the assistance they need in lump sum payments that remove barriers to employment and self sufficiency. (i.) Eligibility Criteria: Payments are limited to families who are likely to succeed with short term help. Program candidates must be employed or have a job offer, have a solid work history, marketable skills, and barriers that can be removed within a three month period if given Diversion assistance. The financial eligibility criteria for Diversion are identical to those for Temporary Family Assistance (TFA), which are described in Section A, Part I (A) of Connecticut's TANF State Plan. Families are eligible to receive payments to cover current and anticipated needs, up to three times the amount that they would have received under TFA. (ii.) Effect on TANF Cash Assistance Eligibility: Families may be eligible for Diversion for up to three months. If a family would be subject to the TFA time-limit, up to three months of time limit are recorded under Diversion. Receipt of Diversion payments makes a family ineligible for TFA for three months, unless the family experiences undue hardship. Undue hardship exits when the family's circumstances constitute a serious threat to the health, safety or welfare of the family, and are a result of forces outside the family's control, and the circumstances prevent the family from maintaining or getting a job. (iii.) Access to Other Program Benefits: Diversion families are served by DSS staff who explore eligibility for Medicaid, the Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP), and other**

programs. Most Diversion families are eligible for Medicaid under the Section 1931 coverage group. Diversion payments are considered non-recurring lump sums for SNAP eligibility purposes. Receipt of Diversion also qualifies the family for Transitional Child Care (TCC) benefits, as long as the family also meets all other TCC requirements b) Emergency Assistance Foster Care Months 1-4: Connecticut provides foster care residential placement services to children who are in the custody of the State and are at risk of abuse and neglect. These services are provided for up to 120 days and can be claimed because they were claimed under the State's Emergency Assistance (EA) program. As per EA program eligibility criteria, the services must be necessary to meet the needs of the child. There is no effect on TANF cash assistance for clients that also receive these services. These benefits and services are intended to meet a specific episode of need, are non-recurrent and are intended to last for four months or less. An assessment is performed after 90 days and a determination is made at this point regarding whether the child can return home or should remain in foster care. Clients who receive these services are case managed by Department of Children and Families staff who help them access any other relevant program benefits.

**7. A description of the grievance procedures the State has established and is maintaining to resolve displacement complaints, pursuant to section 407(f)(3) of the Social Security Act. This description must include the name of the State agency with the lead responsibility for administering this provision and explanations of how the State has notified the public about these procedures and how an individual can register a complaint.**

Delivery of TANF employment services is administered by the Connecticut Department of Labor. In this capacity the Department of Labor contracts with the state's five regional Workforce Investment Boards, who in turn contract with local organizations to provide employment services to recipients of ongoing TANF cash assistance (Temporary Family Assistance). The specific terms of the Labor Department's contracts with the several Workforce Investment Boards requires said boards to administer services in accordance with all applicable federal and state laws, including section 407(f) of the Social Security Act. Contract language also prohibits the contractors and their subcontractors from placing TANF recipients into jobs from which their employees have been laid off and maintain recall rights, and also prohibits termination of employment in order to hire TANF recipients. The Department of Labor has instructed the Workforce Investment Boards to use complaint resolution procedures established under their Workforce Investment Act (WIA) implementation plans to resolve displacement complaints brought by TANF participants. (The public was given an opportunity to comment on such implementation plans.) Each board must maintain these complaint resolution procedures, which stipulate how individuals can register complaints in each Workforce Investment Board region.

**8. A summary of State programs and activities directed at the third and fourth statutory purposes of TANF (as specified at 45 CFR 260.20(c) and (d)**

of this chapter).

a. Summarize below, the State programs and activities directed at preventing and reducing the incidence of out-of-wedlock pregnancies and establishing annual numerical goals for preventing and reducing the incidence of these pregnancies (TANF purpose 3):

FFY 2010 Purpose 3 program descriptions and activities are outlined in the TANF Plan revised August 10, 2010 Section A Part I, subsections C & D. Below are the TANF Purpose #3 programs including: 1. School Readiness 2. Teen Pregnancy Prevention Initiative 3. Priority School Districts Grants 4. Priority School Districts, Extended Hours 5. Youth Services Bureau 6. Leadership, Education, Athletics in Partnership (LEAP) Program 7. Neighborhood Youth Centers 8. Young Parents Program 9. Alternative Incarceration Centers (AIC) - renamed Alternative in the Community (AICO) 10. Judicial Branch Counseling Services Program 11. Gender Specific Female - was names Striving Toward Achievement, Renewal and Success program (STARS) 12. Department of Children and Families Extended Day Treatment Program 13. Early Childhood Development (DCF) 14. Young Adult Services (DMHAS) 15. Family Resource Centers 16. DSS Outreach 17. Subsidized Employment – private & public TANF ECF. 18-27 are TANF ECF NRST Benefit programs: 18. Educational and Youth Support and Supplies. 19. Job Training for Youth (non-subsidized employment). 20. Jobs and Training. 21. Jobs and Training (focus on non-custodial parents) 22. Educational/ Career Oriented Summer Programs. 23. Camp and Recreational Activities. 24. Juvenile Intervention Services. 25. Pregnancy Prevention. 26. Family Support. 27. Literacy at Home Outreach Project. DSS has set numerical goals for reducing the number out-of-wedlock pregnancies for teens between the ages of 15 and 19 to no more than 23 births per 1,000 for FFY 2009, 22 births per 1,000 in FFY 2010 and 22 births per 1,000 in FFY 2011. 1. School Readiness: 3- and 4-year old children served in early care and education and to improve the quality of services. 2. Teen Pregnancy Prevention Initiative: at risk teens on health, education and other life issues using Youth Development and Service Learning models. 3. Priority School Districts Grants: - extended school hour programs, summer programs, parent involvement programs, drop-out prevention, and alternative programs. 4. Priority School Districts, Extended Hours - academic enrichment, recreational and alternative programs in hours beyond school term 5. Youth Services Bureau: support at-risk youth in their communities – address issues related to social development, mental health, and physical well-being. 6. Leadership, Education, Athletics in Partnership - neighborhood-based education and mentoring programs for low-income children, ages 7 to 14. Please see attached TANF Plan for program activity descriptions of all including 7-27, limited because of space. Please note: The Judicial CSSD Alternative to Detention Program (ADP) - Community Detention for Girls - renamed girls Secure Community Residential Program was not funded with TANF or MOE funds in FFY 2010; Urban Youth Violence Prevention; Inter District Cooperative Grants; and After School Youth Initiative programs also were not funded with TANF or MOE \$ in FFY 2010. The programs were taken out of the TANF Plan.

**b. Summarize below, the State programs and activities directed at encouraging the formation and maintenance of two-parent families (TANF purpose 4):**

FFY 2010 Purpose 4 program descriptions and activities are outlined in the TANF Plan revised August 10, 2010 Section A Part I, subsections C & D. Below are the TANF Purpose #4 programs including: 1. Fatherhood Initiative 2. Department of Corrections (DOC) Education and Training Services 3. Department of Correction (DOC) Addiction Treatment Services 4. Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services (DMHAS) – Compulsive Gamblers Program 5. Family Resource Centers 6. Priority School Districts Grants 7. Priority School Districts, Extended Hours 8. Alternative Incarceration Centers (AIC) - renamed Alternative in the Community (AICO) 9. DSS Outreach. 10. NRST - Jobs and Training provides a short-term variety of courses and job training, skill building, supervision, workshops, job readiness, networking for participants with a focus on non-custodial parents

1. Fatherhood Initiative: Connecticut's fatherhood initiative is a broad-based, statewide program led by the Department of Social Services that focuses on changing the systems that can improve fathers' ability to be fully and positively involved in the lives of their children. The program's objectives are as follows: Promote public education concerning the financial and emotional responsibilities of fatherhood; Assist men in preparing for the legal, financial and emotional responsibilities of fatherhood; Promote the establishment of paternity at childbirth; Encourage fathers, regardless of marital status, to foster their emotional connection to and financial support of their children; Establish support mechanisms for fathers in their relationship with their children, regardless of their marital and financial status; Integrate state and local services available for families

2. Department of Corrections (DOC) Education and Training Services: provides education and training services that prepare clients to develop job skills and ultimately secure employment. TANF claiming is limited to costs related to services provided to clients who are parents. By providing education and training services to parents, the program helps them obtain the skills and ultimately jobs that will enable them to be contributing members of their families.

3. Department of Correction (DOC) Addiction Treatment Services provides addiction services to clients who have varying levels of needs, from basic addiction education to intensive counseling. TANF claiming is limited to costs of non-medical services provided to clients who are parents. By providing addiction treatment to parents, the program helps them become clean and sober, which ultimately will enable them to become contributing members of the family.

4. Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services (DMHAS) – Compulsive Gamblers Program: The Partnership is designed to educate consumers on problem gambling, underage gambling, and to promote responsible play. The Partnership also serves as a leading resource for responsible gambling, warning signs of problem gambling and available treatment services. DMHAS provides counseling, assessment, financial management counseling, and peer counseling. They also provide gambling prevention services and perform advocacy work.

5. Family Resource Centers: Operated through the State Department of Education,

these centers are designed to promote comprehensive, integrated, community-based systems of family support and child development. Family Resource Centers provide or collaborate with existing agencies to operate full-time preschool childcare, school-age childcare, families-in-training (including home visiting and monitoring of child development for new and expectant parents), adult education, support and training for family daycare providers, positive youth development services, and resource and referral services. Please see attached TANF Plan for program activity descriptions of #s 6-10 .

**9. An estimate of the total number of individuals who have participated in subsidized employment under §261.30(b) or (c) of this chapter. 936**

Attachment B 1. Temporary Family Assistance  
Grantee Information

State CONNECTICUT

Fiscal Year 2010

Program Information

Provide the following information for EACH PROGRAM (according to the nature of the benefit or service provided) for which the State claims MOE expenditures. Complete and submit this report in accordance with the attached instructions.

1. Name of Benefit or Service Program:

Temporary Family Assistance

2. Description of the Major Program Benefits, Services, and Activities:

Temporary Family Assistance (TFA) is an employment focused, time limited assistance program that provides families with monthly cash assistance for ongoing needs such as food, shelter, and clothing. The program design is based on the assumption that welfare should be a temporary program of assistance, and it is better to work than to be on welfare. Recipients are encouraged to assume personal responsibility for their economic self-sufficiency. The program may be applicable to any of the four statutory purposes of TANF. In FFY 2010 the Two Parent Temporary Family Assistance and Certain Exempt Temporary Family Assistance programs were funded as Solely State Funded programs and are no longer part of the TANF program or claimed as separate state program(s). The expenditures for FFY for these SSF programs are included in Total State Expenditures (#6 below). Two-Parent TFA cases are those with two parents as defined at 45 CFR 261.24. The Certain Exempt TFA is provided to certain exempt categories of TFA families in which all adults are exempt from time limits and work requirements because they are either medically incapacitated, pregnant or postpartum and unable to work, age 60 or older, or unemployable. TFA benefit levels vary throughout the state based on the average cost of rent in each area. There are three regions in the state each with a different benefit level.

3. Purpose(s) of Benefit or Service Program:

Temporary Family Assistance Program provides assistance to needy families so that children may be cared for in their homes or in the homes of relatives.

4. Program Type. (Check one)

TANF  State

5. Description of Work Activities (Complete only if this program is a separate State program):

Not Applicable ..... [The following paragraph is a continuation from #9 below]  
Pregnant women are eligible for assistance throughout the entire pregnancy. Children are eligible for assistance until they reach age 19 as long as they are still attending high school or its equivalent. All adult members and minor

parents who are caretaker relatives are required to participate in the digital imaging process. At the time of application, an electronic image of the person's index fingers is taken and matched with a computer database of all other recipients to determine if the person is receiving assistance under another name.

**6. Total State Expenditures for the Program for the Fiscal Year: \$97,312,256**

**7. Total State MOE Expenditures under the Program for the Fiscal Year: \$72,585,281**

**8. Total Number of Families Served under the Program with MOE Funds: 15,874**

**This last figure represents (Check one):**

The average monthly total for the fiscal year.  The total served over the fiscal year.

**9. Financial Eligibility Criteria for Receiving MOE-funded Program Benefits or Services:**

qualify the countable income of the family must be less than the applicable TFA payment standard based on family size and the rent region of the state. The payment standards are approximately in the range of 34% to 47% of the federal poverty levels in FFY10, depending on the rent region. Unless they meet exemption criteria, adult TFA recipients are required to seek and retain employment if it is available. Recipients unable to secure employment without assistance receive services, including education and training, that are designed to assist them in becoming employed (see Jobs First Employment Services description below). The TFA program attempts to direct participants to employment sufficient to be independent of assistance within twenty-one months. The program contains many features that support this objective. The asset limit is \$3,000 so families may set aside money for emergencies. Families are allowed to own a reliable car to seek employment, to travel to and from work, or to transport a disabled family member. To be excluded, the family's equity in the vehicle must not exceed \$9,500 or the vehicle must be used to transport a disabled family member. Earned income of recipients is totally excluded up to the Federal Poverty Level (FPL). Once earnings reach the FPL, the family becomes ineligible for assistance. The first \$50 in monthly child support payments is disregarded. Child care and transportation benefits are provided as needed in order to enable individuals to prepare for, obtain and retain employment. If a family member refuses to participate in Employment Services activities the family is penalized through grant reduction. If the family has made a good faith effort to comply with the employment activities but still has income below the payment standard at the end of twenty-one months of assistance, a six-month extension of benefits may be granted. Extensions may also be given to families who have encountered circumstances beyond their control such as domestic violence. Effective July 1, 2003, up to two extensions may be granted in accordance with the above criteria. For third or subsequent extensions, each adult must also either have two or more substantiated barriers to employment, or be working thirty-five or more hours per week at or above minimum wage, or be

working fewer than thirty-five hours per week due to a medical problem or the need to care for a disabled household member, or precluded from working because of domestic violence. A 60-month time limit also applies. The 60-month limit can only be exceeded if a domestic violence hardship exists, or if the family is exempt, as described below. If each adult in the family meets at least one of the following exemption criteria, the family is not subject to the time limit: medical incapacitation; age 60 or older; responsible for the care of an incapacitated family member; non-parent caretaker relative who does not receive assistance; caring for a child under the age of one who is not subject to the family cap; pregnant if a physician has certified that she is unable to work; in a 6-week post-pregnancy period, or determined to be unemployable. Minor parents attending and satisfactorily completing high school or high school equivalency programs and their children are exempt from the time limit. Other features of the TFA program include the following: additional assistance for a child born to a family that was receiving assistance at the time the child was conceived is approximately one-half of what it would normally be. Minor parents are required to live with their parents or other adults. Any relative may receive assistance for a child. Pregnant women are eligible for assistance throughout the entire pregnancy. (Continued in Section 5 above -due to space constraints in electronic form).

**10. Prior Program Authorization: Was this program authorized and allowable under prior law? (Check one)**

Yes  No

**11. Total Program Expenditures in FY 1995 (NOTE: Provide only if response on question 10 is No): \$0**

Attachment B 2. Fatherhood Initiative  
Grantee Information

<u>State</u> CONNECTICUT	<u>Fiscal Year</u> 2010
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Program Information

<p><b><u>Provide the following information for EACH PROGRAM (according to the nature of the benefit or service provided) for which the State claims MOE expenditures. Complete and submit this report in accordance with the attached instructions.</u></b></p>
<p><b><u>1. Name of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> Fatherhood Initiative</p>
<p><b><u>2. Description of the Major Program Benefits, Services, and Activities:</u></b> Connecticut's Fatherhood Initiative is a broad-based, statewide program led by the Department of Social Services that focuses on changing the systems that can improve fathers' ability to be fully and positively involved in the lives of their children. The program's objectives are as follows – • Promote public education concerning the financial and emotional responsibilities of fatherhood • Assist men in preparing for the legal, financial and emotional responsibilities of fatherhood • Promote the establishment of paternity at childbirth • Encourage fathers, regardless of marital status, to foster their emotional connection to and financial support of their children • Establish support mechanisms for fathers in their relationship with their children, regardless of their marital and financial status • Integrate state and local services available for families. This program encourages the formation and maintenance of two parent families.</p>
<p><b><u>3. Purpose(s) of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> The Fatherhood Initiative encourages the formation and maintenance of two parent families.</p>
<p><b><u>4. Program Type. (Check one)</u></b> <input checked="" type="radio"/> TANF   <input type="radio"/> State</p>
<p><b><u>5. Description of Work Activities (Complete only if this program is a separate State program):</u></b> Not Applicable.</p>
<p><b><u>6. Total State Expenditures for the Program for the Fiscal Year:</u></b> \$237,291</p>
<p><b><u>7. Total State MOE Expenditures under the Program for the Fiscal Year:</u></b> \$237,291</p>
<p><b><u>8. Total Number of Families Served under the Program with MOE Funds:</u></b> 198</p>
<p><b><u>This last figure represents (Check one):</u></b> <input type="radio"/> The average monthly total for the fiscal year.   <input checked="" type="radio"/> The total served over the fiscal year.</p>
<p><b><u>9. Financial Eligibility Criteria for Receiving MOE-funded Program Benefits</u></b></p>

or Services:

Not Applicable. Pro-Family.

10. Prior Program Authorization: Was this program authorized and allowable under prior law? (Check one)

Yes  No

11. Total Program Expenditures in FY 1995 (NOTE: Provide only if response on question 10 is No): \$0

Attachment B 3. Safety Net Services  
Grantee Information

<u>State</u> CONNECTICUT	<u>Fiscal Year</u> 2010
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Program Information

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<p><b><u>1. Name of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> Safety Net Services</p>
<p><b><u>2. Description of the Major Program Benefits, Services, and Activities:</u></b> Safety Net Services offers families who have exhausted the 21-month time limit of TFA or Two Parent program benefits, are not eligible for an extension due to non-compliance with employment services requirements, and have income below the payment standard for the appropriate family size. Safety Net clients receive assessment and case management services that focus on the removal of barriers that prevent self-sufficiency. Participants in Safety Net Services may also be referred to local agencies in order to address basic needs.</p>
<p><b><u>3. Purpose(s) of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> Safety Net Services help end the dependence of needy parents on government benefits by promoting job preparation, work and marriage.</p>
<p><b><u>4. Program Type. (Check one)</u></b> <input type="radio"/> TANF   <input checked="" type="radio"/> State</p>
<p><b><u>5. Description of Work Activities (Complete only if this program is a separate State program):</u></b> There is no work requirement per se for the Safety Net Services program. However, Safety Net participants may participate in various employment and training activities to help them prepare for self-sufficiency. These activities include, but are not limited to, TANF work activities described in Section 1 of the TANF annual report. Participants may also engage in activities aimed at removing barriers to employment, such as substance abuse counseling and treatment for mental health problems.</p>
<p><b><u>6. Total State Expenditures for the Program for the Fiscal Year:</u></b> \$2,438,713</p>
<p><b><u>7. Total State MOE Expenditures under the Program for the Fiscal Year:</u></b> \$2,438,713</p>
<p><b><u>8. Total Number of Families Served under the Program with MOE Funds:</u></b> 256</p>
<p><b><u>This last figure represents (Check one):</u></b> <input checked="" type="radio"/> The average monthly total for the fiscal year.   <input type="radio"/> The total served over the fiscal year.</p>

**9. Financial Eligibility Criteria for Receiving MOE-funded Program Benefits or Services:**

**Safety Net Services must have income less than the TFA payment standard and assets less than TFA asset limit to qualify.**

**10. Prior Program Authorization: Was this program authorized and allowable under prior law? (Check one)**

Yes  No

**11. Total Program Expenditures in FY 1995 (NOTE: Provide only if response on question 10 is No): \$0**

Attachment B 4. Aliens' Temporary Family Assistance  
Grantee Information

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Program Information

Provide the following information for EACH PROGRAM (according to the nature of the benefit or service provided) for which the State claims MOE expenditures. Complete and submit this report in accordance with the attached instructions.

**1. Name of Benefit or Service Program:**

Aliens' Temporary Family Assistance

**2. Description of the Major Program Benefits, Services, and Activities:**

Segregated maintenance of effort funds are used to provide Temporary Family Assistance benefits to qualified legal aliens who would otherwise be eligible for regular TFA. Program benefits are identical to those described for Temporary Family Assistance under Section 1.

**3. Purpose(s) of Benefit or Service Program:**

Aliens' (Non-citizens') TFA provides assistance to needy families so that children may be cared for in their homes or in the homes of relatives.

**4. Program Type. (Check one)**

TANF    State

**5. Description of Work Activities (Complete only if this program is a separate State program):**

Not Applicable

**6. Total State Expenditures for the Program for the Fiscal Year:** \$1,033,600

**7. Total State MOE Expenditures under the Program for the Fiscal Year:** \$1,033,600

**8. Total Number of Families Served under the Program with MOE Funds:** 112

**This last figure represents (Check one):**

The average monthly total for the fiscal year.    The total served over the fiscal year.

**9. Financial Eligibility Criteria for Receiving MOE-funded Program Benefits or Services:**

Eligibility criteria for Aliens' (Non-citizens') TFA are identical to those described for TFA under Attachment B - Section 1 of this report, except that such aliens who entered the United States on or after 8/22/96 need not have resided in the U.S. for five years.

**10. Prior Program Authorization: Was this program authorized and allowable under prior law? (Check one)**

Yes    No

**11. Total Program Expenditures in FY 1995 (NOTE: Provide only if response on question 10 is No):** \$0

Attachment B 5. Jobs First Employment Services  
Grantee Information

State CONNECTICUT

Fiscal Year 2010

Program Information

Provide the following information for EACH PROGRAM (according to the nature of the benefit or service provided) for which the State claims MOE expenditures. Complete and submit this report in accordance with the attached instructions.

1. Name of Benefit or Service Program:

Jobs First Employment Services

2. Description of the Major Program Benefits, Services, and Activities:

The State provides employment services to recipients and applicants of Temporary Family Assistance (TFA). Employment services are also provided to those who are participating in an employment service activity authorized by their employment plan at the time of becoming ineligible for TFA until they complete that activity. The state refers to these employment services as Jobs First Employment Services. The Connecticut Department of Labor (DOL) administers Jobs First Employment Services through CT Works. CT Works is a partnership of the CT Department of Labor, the Regional Workforce Investment Boards (RWDB's), and other state and local agencies, including the Department of Social Services. The goals of the Jobs First Employment Services program are as follows: 1) Enable TFA participants, through employment, to become independent from cash assistance by the end of the 21-month time limit established by state law; 2) Enable TFA participants who become independent from cash assistance to remain employed and independent of TFA; and 3) Ensure that federally established participation rates are met through employment of TFA participants and engagement in other countable TANF work activities deemed appropriate based on assessments of clients' needs. To attain all three program goals, Jobs First Employment Services include a combination of job search, employment, education, training and support services. The combination of services varies with each individual participant. This balance of employment activity with other services utilizes individual strengths and resources while addressing employment-related needs. This balanced work first approach ensures that participants will not only become independent, but will remain independent from assistance while the federal participation rates are met. Each participant, including volunteers, may receive employment services that include, but are not limited to the following: orientation, assessment, case management, employment plan development, barrier resolution, employment related education and training programs, job search skill training, job placement services, case management, support services (such as Special Benefits), retention services, and re-employment services. Participants who are having difficulty may be provided with contracted retention and intensive support services, including in-depth assessment, identification of participation barriers, and referrals to resources to

overcome barriers in order to retain employment and/or successfully complete program activities. To facilitate maximum participation, Employment Services participants are supported by special benefit payments. Transportation benefits are provided to participants of regular, on-going employment services activities other than unsubsidized employment. Payment is made for bus fares or mileage for driving private automobiles. Bus fares are as charged, not to exceed ten dollars per day. Payment for mileage for private automobiles is a minimum of two dollars for travel of five miles or less, and forty cents per mile after that up to a maximum of fifty miles per day. A participation allowance which is intended to assist participants with transportation and baby-sitting expenses is provided for short-term, intermittent employment services activities that last no longer than five consecutive days. TANF ECF Subsidized Employment was available to JFES clients between July and September 2010.

**3. Purpose(s) of Benefit or Service Program:**

Jobs First Employment Services help end the dependence of needy parents on government benefits by promoting job preparation, work and marriage.

**4. Program Type. (Check one)**

TANF    State

**5. Description of Work Activities (Complete only if this program is a separate State program):**

Not Applicable. JFES includes all Work Activities in Connecticut's TANF Plan.

**6. Total State Expenditures for the Program for the Fiscal Year:** \$19,330,301

**7. Total State MOE Expenditures under the Program for the Fiscal Year:** \$19,330,301

**8. Total Number of Families Served under the Program with MOE Funds:** 15,332

**This last figure represents (Check one):**

The average monthly total for the fiscal year.    The total served over the fiscal year.

**9. Financial Eligibility Criteria for Receiving MOE-funded Program Benefits or Services:**

Jobs First Employment Services are provided to adults or teen parents in families applying for or receiving Temporary Family Assistance funded by TANF, and to Temporary Family Assistance to two-parent families funded as a solely state funded program. All TFA applicants and recipients are eligible for employment services even if they are not required to participate by the regulations governing the TFA program. For TANF funded TFA recipients, Employment Services may continue for up to one year after exiting TFA, provided the recipient is in an employment service activity authorized by the employment plan, and the individual remains part of a needy family with income under 75% of the state's median income level. Similarly, services to participants in two-parent families who become ineligible for TFA cash assistance while in an authorized activity may continue for one full year.

**10. Prior Program Authorization: Was this program authorized and allowable under prior law? (Check one)**

**Yes**    **No**

**11. Total Program Expenditures in FY 1995 (NOTE: Provide only if response on question 10 is No): \$0**

Attachment B 6. Subsidized Employment  
Grantee Information

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Program Information

<p><b><u>Provide the following information for EACH PROGRAM (according to the nature of the benefit or service provided) for which the State claims MOE expenditures. Complete and submit this report in accordance with the attached instructions.</u></b></p>
<p><b><u>1. Name of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> Subsidized Employment - TANF ECF Summer Youth and Adult Employment</p>
<p><b><u>2. Description of the Major Program Benefits, Services, and Activities:</u></b> Private and public subsidized employment programs and services were created to serve low-income youth and adults across the state. The program expanded the programs implemented by the CT Department of Labor and the Regional workforce investment Boards as well as community agencies to provides subsidized jobs and training. Over 800 employers provided jobs for several thousand individuals. The program facilitated job development, skill building, meaningful work experience, training, supervision, educational support services. Additional impacts include training and exposure to workplace diversity, work readiness, workplace attire and expectations, leadership and teamwork experience and training, and goal setting skills. The earnings assisted individuals in providing for their families and stimulated the local economies.</p>
<p><b><u>3. Purpose(s) of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> The Subsidized Employment Program(s) Provided assistance to needy families so that children may be cared for in their own homes or the homes of relatives; to end the dependence of needy parents on government benefits by promoting job preparation, work and marriage; help prevent and reduce the incidence of out-of-wedlock pregnancies.</p>
<p><b><u>4. Program Type. (Check one)</u></b> <input checked="" type="radio"/> TANF   <input type="radio"/> State</p>
<p><b><u>5. Description of Work Activities (Complete only if this program is a separate State program):</u></b></p>
<p><b><u>6. Total State Expenditures for the Program for the Fiscal Year:</u></b> \$6,175,993</p>
<p><b><u>7. Total State MOE Expenditures under the Program for the Fiscal Year:</u></b> \$6,175,993</p>
<p><b><u>8. Total Number of Families Served under the Program with MOE Funds:</u></b> 6,905</p>
<p><b><u>This last figure represents (Check one):</u></b> <input type="radio"/> The average monthly total for the fiscal year.   <input checked="" type="radio"/> The total served over the fiscal year.</p>

**9. Financial Eligibility Criteria for Receiving MOE-funded Program Benefits or Services:**

Services for program participants who are members of families with dependent children are U.S. citizens, and have income at or below 75 percent of the State Median Income are funded by the TANF program.

**10. Prior Program Authorization: Was this program authorized and allowable under prior law? (Check one)**

Yes  No

**11. Total Program Expenditures in FY 1995 (NOTE: Provide only if response on question 10 is No):** \$0

Attachment B 7. Jobs Funnel  
Grantee Information

<u>State</u> CONNECTICUT	<u>Fiscal Year</u> 2010
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Program Information

<p><b><u>Provide the following information for EACH PROGRAM (according to the nature of the benefit or service provided) for which the State claims MOE expenditures. Complete and submit this report in accordance with the attached instructions.</u></b></p>
<p><b><u>1. Name of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> Jobs Funnel</p>
<p><b><u>2. Description of the Major Program Benefits, Services, and Activities:</u></b> The Office of Workforce Competitiveness funds the Jobs Funnel program in several cities. The Jobs Funnel represents joint, public-private efforts to create career opportunities in the construction trades for Hartford city residents. Services through the Jobs Funnel projects include outreach, recruitment, assessment, case management, pre-employment preparation (consisting of math, remediation, life skills workshops, customized training, and/or pre-apprenticeship training), job placement, and retention support services for people who want to pursue construction related careers. The program offers an initial training followed by assistance in finding employment in apprenticeships and other jobs in the Hartford area. Services for program participants who are members of families with dependent children are U.S. citizens, and have income at or below 75 percent of the State Median Income are funded by the TANF program.</p>
<p><b><u>3. Purpose(s) of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> This program helps end the dependence of needy parents by promoting work, job preparation, and marriage. Integral to the program are the outreach, assessment, and support services provided by community-based organizations. By providing these services, the goal of the program is to help participants become more job-ready so as to prevent or end their dependence on public assistance. This is a separate state program that utilizes state maintenance of effort funds.</p>
<p><b><u>4. Program Type. (Check one)</u></b> <input type="radio"/> TANF   <input checked="" type="radio"/> State</p>
<p><b><u>5. Description of Work Activities (Complete only if this program is a separate State program):</u></b> The Jobs Funnel represents joint, public-private efforts to create career opportunities in the construction trades for Hartford city residents. Services through the Jobs Funnel projects include outreach, recruitment, assessment, case management, pre-employment preparation (consisting of math, remediation, life skills workshops, customized training, and/or pre-apprenticeship training), job placement, and retention support services for people who want to pursue construction related careers. The program offers</p>

an initial training followed by assistance in finding employment in apprenticeships and other jobs in the Hartford area.

**6. Total State Expenditures for the Program for the Fiscal Year: \$25,515**

**7. Total State MOE Expenditures under the Program for the Fiscal Year: \$25,515**

**8. Total Number of Families Served under the Program with MOE Funds: 56**

**This last figure represents (Check one):**

The average monthly total for the fiscal year.  The total served over the fiscal year.

**9. Financial Eligibility Criteria for Receiving MOE-funded Program Benefits or Services:**

Services for program participants who are members of families with dependent children are U.S. citizens, and have income at or below 75 percent of the State Median Income are funded by the TANF program. This program helps end the dependence of needy parents by promoting work, job preparation, and marriage. Integral to the program are the outreach, assessment, and support services provided by community-based organizations. By providing these services, the goal of the program is to help participants become more job-ready so as to prevent or end their dependence on public assistance.

**10. Prior Program Authorization: Was this program authorized and allowable under prior law? (Check one)**

Yes  No

**11. Total Program Expenditures in FY 1995 (NOTE: Provide only if response on question 10 is No): \$0**

Attachment B 8. Education Grants - CT Dept. of Higher Education -  
CTWAGE & WIT  
Grantee Information

<u>State</u> CONNECTICUT	<u>Fiscal Year</u> 2010
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Program Information

<p><b><u>Provide the following information for EACH PROGRAM (according to the nature of the benefit or service provided) for which the State claims MOE expenditures. Complete and submit this report in accordance with the attached instructions.</u></b></p>
<p><b><u>1. Name of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> Connecticut Department of Higher Education - Education Grants A. CT Workforce Advancement Grants for Education (CT WAGE) B. Women in Transition (WIT)</p>
<p><b><u>2. Description of the Major Program Benefits, Services, and Activities:</u></b> Charter Oak State college's Connecticut Workforce Advancement Grants for Education (CT WAGE) and Women in Transition (WIT) programs are designed to address the needs of low income parents who could, with post secondary education in career and occupational programs, improve the quality of their lives. The programs assist low-income, working parents in completing a college degree. All individuals provided with services will meet the criteria of "needy parents" as defined in this plan. CT WAGE and WIT students must meet academic and financial eligibility criteria. The CT WAGE and WIT participants are provided with laptop computers, internet access, text books and reimbursement for books for coursework, funding for courses not covered by financial aid, academic, career and personal counseling, and other related expenses that may include child care or transportation. The technology tools allow the student to take online courses and to communicate with faculty, student support staff and other students. Taking online courses alleviates the need for childcare and transportation costs and allows the family to spend more quality time together. The two programs differ in that Women in Transition serves only women. MOE Expenditures in FFY 2010: CT Wage in FFY \$36,580 (39 Families) + WIT \$6,560 (38 Families)</p>
<p><b><u>3. Purpose(s) of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> This program helps end the dependence of needy parents by promoting work, job preparation, and marriage. The goal of the program is to help participants become more job-ready so as to prevent or end their dependence on public assistance. This is a separate state program that utilizes state maintenance of effort funds.</p>
<p><b><u>4. Program Type. (Check one)</u></b> <input type="radio"/> TANF <input checked="" type="radio"/> State</p>
<p><b><u>5. Description of Work Activities (Complete only if this program is a separate State program):</u></b></p>

Not Applicable. The program is designed to address the needs of low income parents who could, with post secondary education in career and occupational programs, improve the quality of their lives. The program assists low-income, working parents in completing a college degree.

**6. Total State Expenditures for the Program for the Fiscal Year: \$43,140**

**7. Total State MOE Expenditures under the Program for the Fiscal Year: \$43,140**

**8. Total Number of Families Served under the Program with MOE Funds: 77**

**This last figure represents (Check one):**

The average monthly total for the fiscal year.  The total served over the fiscal year.

**9. Financial Eligibility Criteria for Receiving MOE-funded Program Benefits or Services:**

Services for program participants who are members of families with dependent children are U.S. citizens, and have income at or below 75 percent of the State Median Income are funded by the TANF program. This program helps end the dependence of needy parents by promoting work, job preparation, and marriage.

**10. Prior Program Authorization: Was this program authorized and allowable under prior law? (Check one)**

Yes  No

**11. Total Program Expenditures in FY 1995 (NOTE: Provide only if response on question 10 is No): \$0**

Attachment B 9. Supportive Housing for Families  
Grantee Information

State CONNECTICUT

Fiscal Year 2010

Program Information

Provide the following information for EACH PROGRAM (according to the nature of the benefit or service provided) for which the State claims MOE expenditures. Complete and submit this report in accordance with the attached instructions.

1. Name of Benefit or Service Program:

Supportive Housing for Families

2. Description of the Major Program Benefits, Services, and Activities:

The Department of Social Services (DSS) provides supportive services for families participating in of the State of Connecticut's Next Steps Supportive Housing Initiative. This initiative is designed to create permanent, affordable service-supported housing opportunities for individuals and families who are homeless or at risk of becoming homeless, particularly people experiencing repeated or persistent homelessness. The purpose of the initiative is to enable homeless families and individuals to stabilize their lives and to regain a stake in the community. DSS provides scattered site or project-based rental assistance through the State Rental Assistance Program (no longer a TANF program). It provides TANF Separate State Program funding for the delivery of supportive services to families with special needs through annual contracts with projects that serve among the target populations, families with children aged 14 or younger that are/have: homeless or at imminent risk of homelessness and; have income less than seventy-five percent (75%) of state median income; headed by adults with multiple barriers to employment and housing stability, such as cognitive limitations, history of trauma, mental illness and/or chemical dependency; presently involved in the Department of Children and Families (DCF) system, either in protective services or voluntary services; and/or reuniting after DCF out-of-home placement.

3. Purpose(s) of Benefit or Service Program:

This program helps provide assistance to needy families so that children may be cared for in their own homes or the homes of relatives and helps end the dependence of needy parents by promoting work, job preparation, and marriage. This is a separate state program that utilizes state maintenance of effort funds. Supportive services funded under the Next Steps program are services that enhance and support the family's ability to retain permanent housing, access and retain meaningful employment and increase their skills and income, access public and early childhood education, sustain good health, make connections to the larger community, and achieve greater self-reliance.

4. Program Type. (Check one)

TANF  State

**5. Description of Work Activities (Complete only if this program is a separate State program):**

Not Applicable. The program provides for the delivery of supportive services to families with special needs.

**6. Total State Expenditures for the Program for the Fiscal Year:** \$965,731

**7. Total State MOE Expenditures under the Program for the Fiscal Year:** \$965,731

**8. Total Number of Families Served under the Program with MOE Funds:** 261

**This last figure represents (Check one):**

The average monthly total for the fiscal year.  The total served over the fiscal year.

**9. Financial Eligibility Criteria for Receiving MOE-funded Program Benefits or Services:**

Supportive Services are for program participants who are members of families with dependent children are U.S. citizens, and have income at or below 75 percent of the State Median Income are funded by the TANF program. This program helps provide assistance to needy families so that children may be cared for in their own homes or the homes of relatives and helps end the dependence of needy parents by promoting work, job preparation, and marriage.

**10. Prior Program Authorization: Was this program authorized and allowable under prior law? (Check one)**

Yes  No

**11. Total Program Expenditures in FY 1995 (NOTE: Provide only if response on question 10 is No):** \$0

Attachment B 10. TANF ECF NRST Programs  
Grantee Information

State CONNECTICUT

Fiscal Year 2010

Program Information

Provide the following information for EACH PROGRAM (according to the nature of the benefit or service provided) for which the State claims MOE expenditures. Complete and submit this report in accordance with the attached instructions.

1. Name of Benefit or Service Program:

TANF ECF Non-Recurrent Short-Term Benefit Programs (NRST)

2. Description of the Major Program Benefits, Services, and Activities:

TANF ECF NRST Benefit programs: 1. Emergency Assistance provides families with a financial benefit to address a short-term crisis or episode of need. Emergency Assistance payments include: one-time food benefit; utility payments; clothing allotment; heat; eviction prevention. 2. Economic Stabilization Services provide families with resources on tax preparation, financial literacy, and works to help families achieve financial independence. 3. Social Services Safety Net Programs for Families link to social services for families in crisis, with parenting and family courses. 4. Furniture and Home Goods - emergency supplies to families. 5. Educational and Youth Support and Supplies provides resources to families to help children receive necessary educational & social support. 6. Emergency Shelter with Domestic Violence Services provides specialized emergency services to victims of domestic violence. 7. Emergency Homeless Shelter provides short term shelter to homeless families with children - short term shelter, meals, counseling, family supports and laundry are provided. 8. Food Bank and Crisis Food Support provides limited, short-term food supplies to needy families. 9. Job Training for Youth (non-subsidized employment) provides job training targeted to older teens ages 14-24. The programs included a twelve week summer course combining educational, vocational literacy, job readiness and OJT. 10. Jobs and Training provides a short-term variety of courses and on the job training for participants. 11. Jobs and Training with a focus on non-custodial parents, provides a short-term variety of courses and job training for participants. 12. Educational/Career Oriented Summer Programs provide summer experiences for children ages 6 -18. The programs included are: vocational skills, life skills training, homework help and tutoring; construction skills; use of tools, etc. 13. Camp and Recreational Activities provide short term summer experiences for children ages 4-18. 14. Diapers and New Baby Supplies provide diapers, new baby supplies to needy families. 15. Juvenile Intervention Services targets boys and girls with involvement in the juvenile justice system. Specifically, these programs provide respite care for both boys and girls. 16. Pregnancy Prevention summer program providing pregnancy prevention educational activities. 17. Short Term Congregate Care for Children supports children's transition and helps stabilize children waiting for permanent placement with

biological parents or relatives. 18. Family Support provides services to families to improve childhood learning, family health, intergenerational literacy, and self-sufficiency outcomes for young children. 19. Job Readiness and Emergency Assistance provides assistance in employment plans and job related activities, also provides financial assistance or vouchers for basic needs. 20. Critical Goods and Services for Youth provides camp experiences, tutoring, books, uniforms, and clothing. 21. Short-Term Child Care Subsidy and Family Support provides child care and early care and education subsidies/vouchers for children who are living in shelters, transitional housing, or recently in permanent housing, or at risk of homelessness. 22. Emergency, Basic Needs & Family Support Assistance provides assessment for episodic crisis & need, assistance to secure housing, and household goods. 23. Vocational Assessment, Education and IDP and short-term case management, computer & job readiness training. 24. Summer Feeding provides USDA program sites wrap-around services to include recreational programs and activities. 25. Family Stabilization provides families in crisis with services and supports to stabilize home environment. 26. Literacy at Home Outreach Project provides books for children age's birth to six. The Diversion program (not MOE\$) and Special Benefits (component of & shown in JFES) are also a NRST benefit programs that were TANF ECF NRST programs.

**3. Purpose(s) of Benefit or Service Program:**

All four TANF Purposes are served by the programs identified as NRST above. Purpose #1: Provide assistance to needy families so that children may be cared for in their own homes or the homes of relatives. Purpose #2: End the dependence of needy parents on government benefits by promoting job preparation, work and marriage. Purpose #3: Prevent and reduce the incidence of out-of-wedlock pregnancies. Purpose # 4: Encourage the formation and maintenance of two-parent families.

**4. Program Type. (Check one)**

TANF    State

**5. Description of Work Activities (Complete only if this program is a separate State program):**

**6. Total State Expenditures for the Program for the Fiscal Year: \$16,135,692**

**7. Total State MOE Expenditures under the Program for the Fiscal Year: \$16,135,692**

**8. Total Number of Families Served under the Program with MOE Funds: 34,415**

**This last figure represents (Check one):**

The average monthly total for the fiscal year.    The total served over the fiscal year.

**9. Financial Eligibility Criteria for Receiving MOE-funded Program Benefits or Services:**

Program participants are members of families with dependent children are

U.S. citizens, and have income at or below 75 percent of the State Median Income are funded by the TANF program.

**10. Prior Program Authorization: Was this program authorized and allowable under prior law? (Check one)**

Yes  No

**11. Total Program Expenditures in FY 1995 (NOTE: Provide only if response on question 10 is No):**  \$743,248

Attachment B 11. School Readiness Program  
Grantee Information

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Program Information

<p><b><u>Provide the following information for EACH PROGRAM (according to the nature of the benefit or service provided) for which the State claims MOE expenditures. Complete and submit this report in accordance with the attached instructions.</u></b></p>
<p><b><u>1. Name of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> School Readiness Program</p>
<p><b><u>2. Description of the Major Program Benefits, Services, and Activities:</u></b> The School Readiness Program provides comprehensive child care services to pre-school children ages 3-5 at state licensed child care centers and at schools governed by local health and safety laws throughout the state to families with incomes below the 75% state median income level.</p>
<p><b><u>3. Purpose(s) of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> School Readiness helps end the dependence of needy parents on government benefits by promoting job preparation, work and marriage as it allows TANF and former TANF eligible parents to work, participate in job training/counseling or activities to address substance abuse/mental health problems. It also provides educational opportunity to children to help them become ready for school. This opportunity in turn prevents and reduces the incidence of out-of-wedlock births.</p>
<p><b><u>4. Program Type. (Check one)</u></b> <input type="radio"/> TANF   <input checked="" type="radio"/> State</p>
<p><b><u>5. Description of Work Activities (Complete only if this program is a separate State program):</u></b> Not Applicable – Program serves children 3 to 5 years in age.</p>
<p><b><u>6. Total State Expenditures for the Program for the Fiscal Year:</u></b> \$67,000,589</p>
<p><b><u>7. Total State MOE Expenditures under the Program for the Fiscal Year:</u></b> \$67,000,589</p>
<p><b><u>8. Total Number of Families Served under the Program with MOE Funds:</u></b> 8,200</p>
<p><b><u>This last figure represents (Check one):</u></b> <input checked="" type="radio"/> The average monthly total for the fiscal year.   <input type="radio"/> The total served over the fiscal year.</p>
<p><b><u>9. Financial Eligibility Criteria for Receiving MOE-funded Program Benefits or Services:</u></b> Families living in economically disadvantaged communities with pre-school aged children with family income less than 75% of the state median income level.</p>

**10. Prior Program Authorization: Was this program authorized and allowable under prior law? (Check one)**

Yes  No

**11. Total Program Expenditures in FY 1995 (NOTE: Provide only if response on question 10 is No): \$0**

Attachment B 12. Care 4 Kids Child Care Economic Stimulus  
Grantee Information

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Program Information

<p><b><u>Provide the following information for EACH PROGRAM (according to the nature of the benefit or service provided) for which the State claims MOE expenditures. Complete and submit this report in accordance with the attached instructions.</u></b></p>
<p><b><u>1. Name of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> Care 4 Kids Child Care Economic Stimulus Payment to Providers</p>
<p><b><u>2. Description of the Major Program Benefits, Services, and Activities:</u></b> The Care 4 Kids Child Care Economic Stimulus Payment to Providers funding was distributed to active Care 4 Kid Child Care providers at the end of May 2010 to improve programs and provide additional child care and quality improvement resources to benefit children, families and the provider sites.</p>
<p><b><u>3. Purpose(s) of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> The Child Care Assistance Program helps end the dependence of needy parents on government benefits by promoting job preparation, work and marriage, as it allows TANF and former TANF eligible parents to work, participate in job training/counseling or activities to address substance abuse/mental health problems as long as parent has a child care need and is resident of state.</p>
<p><b><u>4. Program Type. (Check one)</u></b> <input checked="" type="radio"/> TANF   <input type="radio"/> State</p>
<p><b><u>5. Description of Work Activities (Complete only if this program is a separate State program):</u></b> Not Applicable. Programs provide child care services to children.</p>
<p><b><u>6. Total State Expenditures for the Program for the Fiscal Year:</u></b> \$5,961,387</p>
<p><b><u>7. Total State MOE Expenditures under the Program for the Fiscal Year:</u></b> \$5,961,387</p>
<p><b><u>8. Total Number of Families Served under the Program with MOE Funds:</u></b> 13,826</p>
<p><b><u>This last figure represents (Check one):</u></b> <input checked="" type="radio"/> The average monthly total for the fiscal year.   <input type="radio"/> The total served over the fiscal year.</p>
<p><b><u>9. Financial Eligibility Criteria for Receiving MOE-funded Program Benefits or Services:</u></b> At application family income must be less than 50% of the state median income level. For recipients, families transitioning from TFA with earned income remain eligible until countable income reaches 55% of the state</p>

median income level. Other recipient families remain eligible until income reaches 75% of the state median income level.

**10. Prior Program Authorization: Was this program authorized and allowable under prior law? (Check one)**

Yes  No

**11. Total Program Expenditures in FY 1995 (NOTE: Provide only if response on question 10 is No): \$0**

Attachment B 13. Child Care Assistance - Employed  
Grantee Information

<u>State</u> CONNECTICUT	<u>Fiscal Year</u> 2010
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Program Information

<p><b><u>Provide the following information for EACH PROGRAM (according to the nature of the benefit or service provided) for which the State claims MOE expenditures. Complete and submit this report in accordance with the attached instructions.</u></b></p>
<p><b><u>1. Name of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> Child Care Assistance - Employed (Excluding Child Care for Unemployed)</p>
<p><b><u>2. Description of the Major Program Benefits, Services, and Activities:</u></b> The Child Care Assistance Program provides vouchers to parents to choose child care settings throughout the state. Administration and Information and Technology costs associated with child care are shown in Sections 15 &amp; 16 of this report. MOE Funding for child care includes CCDF MOE and CCDF Excess MOE.</p>
<p><b><u>3. Purpose(s) of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> The Child Care Assistance Program helps end the dependence of needy parents on government benefits by promoting job preparation, work and marriage, as it allows TANF and former TANF eligible parents to work, participate in job training/counseling or activities to address substance abuse/mental health problems as long as parent has a child care need and is resident of state. May be applicable to any of the four statutory purposes of TANF.</p>
<p><b><u>4. Program Type. (Check one)</u></b> <input type="radio"/> TANF <input checked="" type="radio"/> State</p>
<p><b><u>5. Description of Work Activities (Complete only if this program is a separate State program):</u></b> Not Applicable (CCDF MOE Program applied to TANF MOE requirement)</p>
<p><b><u>6. Total State Expenditures for the Program for the Fiscal Year:</u></b> \$39,807,231</p>
<p><b><u>7. Total State MOE Expenditures under the Program for the Fiscal Year:</u></b> \$23,598,389</p>
<p><b><u>8. Total Number of Families Served under the Program with MOE Funds:</u></b> 3,539</p>
<p><b><u>This last figure represents (Check one):</u></b> <input checked="" type="radio"/> The average monthly total for the fiscal year. <input type="radio"/> The total served over the fiscal year.</p>
<p><b><u>9. Financial Eligibility Criteria for Receiving MOE-funded Program Benefits or Services:</u></b> At application family income must be less than 50% of the state median income level. For recipients, families transitioning from TFA with earned</p>

income remain eligible until countable income reaches 55% of the state median income level. Other recipient families remain eligible until income reaches 75% of the state median income level. The average monthly number of families served represents the pro rata number of families out of the total C4K families - equal to the ratio of MOE Expenditures to Total Expenditures for this program.

**10. Prior Program Authorization: Was this program authorized and allowable under prior law? (Check one)**

Yes  No

**11. Total Program Expenditures in FY 1995 (NOTE: Provide only if response on question 10 is No): \$0**

## Attachment B 14. Child Care Assistance – Unemployed Grantee Information

<u>State</u> CONNECTICUT	<u>Fiscal Year</u> 2010
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### Program Information

<p><b><u>Provide the following information for EACH PROGRAM (according to the nature of the benefit or service provided) for which the State claims MOE expenditures. Complete and submit this report in accordance with the attached instructions.</u></b></p>
<p><b><u>1. Name of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> Child Care Assistance – Unemployed (Excluding Child Care for Employed)</p>
<p><b><u>2. Description of the Major Program Benefits, Services, and Activities:</u></b> The Child Care Assistance Program for Unemployed Individuals provides vouchers to parents to choose child care settings throughout the state. Unemployed Individuals include individuals in Employment Services and Teens not on TFA. Administrative expenditures related to operation of child care programs are included in the Maintenance of Effort amounts shown in Section 15 or this report. Information System and Technology costs associated with child care are shown in Section 16 of this report. Funding included in the MOE report for child care is CCDF MOE and CCDF Excess MOE.</p>
<p><b><u>3. Purpose(s) of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> The Child Care Assistance Program helps end the dependence of needy parents on government benefits by promoting job preparation, work and marriage and so that children may be cared for in their own homes or in the homes of relative. It allows TANF-eligible parents to participate in job training/counseling or activities to address substance abuse/mental health problems as long as parent has a child care need and is resident of state.</p>
<p><b><u>4. Program Type. (Check one)</u></b>  <input checked="" type="radio"/> TANF    <input type="radio"/> State</p>
<p><b><u>5. Description of Work Activities (Complete only if this program is a separate State program):</u></b> Not Applicable (CCDF MOE program applied to TANF MOE requirement.)</p>
<p><b><u>6. Total State Expenditures for the Program for the Fiscal Year:</u></b> \$5,951,551</p>
<p><b><u>7. Total State MOE Expenditures under the Program for the Fiscal Year:</u></b> \$3,838,140</p>
<p><b><u>8. Total Number of Families Served under the Program with MOE Funds:</u></b> 174</p>
<p><b><u>This last figure represents (Check one):</u></b>  <input checked="" type="radio"/> The average monthly total for the fiscal year.    <input type="radio"/> The total served over the fiscal year.</p>
<p><b><u>9. Financial Eligibility Criteria for Receiving MOE-funded Program Benefits</u></b></p>

**or Services:**

**TFA Families meeting the income standards identified in Attachment B - Section 1 (TFA) above who need child care to participate in Jobs First Employment Services activities. The average monthly number of families served represents the pro rata number of families out of the total families - equal to the ratio of MOE Expenditures to Total Expenditures for this program.**

**10. Prior Program Authorization: Was this program authorized and allowable under prior law? (Check one)**

**Yes**    **No**

**11. Total Program Expenditures in FY 1995 (NOTE: Provide only if response on question 10 is No):   **\$0****

Attachment B 15. Administration  
Grantee Information

<u>State</u> CONNECTICUT	<u>Fiscal Year</u> 2010
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Program Information

<p><b><u>Provide the following information for EACH PROGRAM (according to the nature of the benefit or service provided) for which the State claims MOE expenditures. Complete and submit this report in accordance with the attached instructions.</u></b></p>
<p><b><u>1. Name of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> Administration</p>
<p><b><u>2. Description of the Major Program Benefits, Services, and Activities:</u></b> Administrative expenditures related to operation of Temporary Family Assistances (TFA), and Child Care programs that serve TANF-eligible families.</p>
<p><b><u>3. Purpose(s) of Benefit or Service Program:</u></b> The administration of child care programs whose administrative expenses are included in the Maintenance of Effort amounts and help end the dependence of TANF-eligible families / needy parents on government benefits by promoting job preparation, work and marriage. The administrative expenses associated with the TFA programs may be applicable to any of the four statutory purposes of TANF</p>
<p><b><u>4. Program Type. (Check one)</u></b> <input checked="" type="radio"/> TANF   <input type="radio"/> State</p>
<p><b><u>5. Description of Work Activities (Complete only if this program is a separate State program):</u></b> Not Applicable</p>
<p><b><u>6. Total State Expenditures for the Program for the Fiscal Year:</u></b> \$14,151,777</p>
<p><b><u>7. Total State MOE Expenditures under the Program for the Fiscal Year:</u></b> \$14,151,777</p>
<p><b><u>8. Total Number of Families Served under the Program with MOE Funds:</u></b> 19,191</p>
<p><b><u>This last figure represents (Check one):</u></b> <input checked="" type="radio"/> The average monthly total for the fiscal year.   <input type="radio"/> The total served over the fiscal year.</p>
<p><b><u>9. Financial Eligibility Criteria for Receiving MOE-funded Program Benefits or Services:</u></b> Shown in above program areas TFA and Child Care Employed &amp; Unemployed Programs. The average monthly number of families served by MOE dollars for Administration equals the average monthly number of families in TFA plus the average monthly number of non-TFA families in Child Care served by MOE dollars. This maintains a conservative number to</p>

maintain unduplicated counts between TFA and Child Care.

**10. Prior Program Authorization: Was this program authorized and allowable under prior law? (Check one)**

Yes  No

**11. Total Program Expenditures in FY 1995 (NOTE: Provide only if response on question 10 is No): \$0**

Attachment B 16. Information Systems & Technologies  
Grantee Information

State CONNECTICUT

Fiscal Year 2010

Program Information

Provide the following information for EACH PROGRAM (according to the nature of the benefit or service provided) for which the State claims MOE expenditures. Complete and submit this report in accordance with the attached instructions.

1. Name of Benefit or Service Program:

Information Systems & Technologies

2. Description of the Major Program Benefits, Services, and Activities:

Information System and Technology costs are associated with the TFA and Child Care programs. This may be applicable to any of the four statutory purposes of TANF.

3. Purpose(s) of Benefit or Service Program:

May be applicable to any of the four statutory purposes of TANF.

4. Program Type. (Check one)

TANF  State

5. Description of Work Activities (Complete only if this program is a separate State program):

Not Applicable

6. Total State Expenditures for the Program for the Fiscal Year: \$7,119,318

7. Total State MOE Expenditures under the Program for the Fiscal Year: \$7,119,318

8. Total Number of Families Served under the Program with MOE Funds: 19,191

This last figure represents (Check one):

The average monthly total for the fiscal year.  The total served over the fiscal year.

9. Financial Eligibility Criteria for Receiving MOE-funded Program Benefits or Services:

Shown in above program areas TFA and Child Care Employed & Unemployed Programs. The average monthly number of families served by MOE dollars for Information Systems & Technologies equals the average monthly number of families in TFA plus the average monthly number of non-TFA families in Child Care served by MOE dollars. This maintains a conservative number to maintain unduplicated counts between TFA and Child Care.

10. Prior Program Authorization: Was this program authorized and allowable under prior law? (Check one)

Yes  No

**11. Total Program Expenditures in FY 1995 (NOTE: Provide only if response on question 10 is No): \$0**

Certification  
Certify:

This certifies that all families for which the State claims MOE expenditures for the fiscal year meet the State's criteria for "eligible families."

Signature 

Name Peter Palermino

Title

Date Submitted 03/31/2011

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## ATTACHMENTS

### TANF ECF NRST Benefit Programs with MOE Expenditures

**This section includes the 8 TANF ECF NRST MOE programs with 1995 expenditures**

<u>TANF ECF Program Name, Organization, Program Name</u>	<u>1995 Expenditures</u>
<b>Emergency Assistance</b>	
1. Meriden-Wallingford Chrysalis, Inc. Short Term Domestic Violence Services	\$ 65,867
2. Town of Hamden General Assistance - Hamden	\$ 37,436
<b>Emergency Shelter with Domestic Violence Services</b>	
3. Hartford Interval House, Inc., Hartford Interval House, Inc.	\$ 76,000
4. Susan B. Anthony Project, Susan B. Anthony Project Shelter	\$ 142,800
<b>Emergency Homeless Shelter</b>	
5. Holy Family Home and Shelter, Inc., Emergency Shelter - Holy Family	\$ 211,710
6. New Haven Home Recovery - Emerg. Shelters CareWays & Martha's Place	\$ 150,000
<b>Food Bank and Crisis Food Support</b>	
7. Town of Hamden, Food Bank - Hamden	\$ 37,436
<b>Camp and Recreational Activities</b>	
8. Almada Lodge - Times Farm Camp Corp., Channel 3 Kids Camp Program	\$ 22,000
<b>TOTAL 1995 Expenditures in TANF ECF NRST Programs</b>	<b>\$ 743,248</b>

The 1995 expenditure amounts **were deducted** from program expenditures **prior to** TANF and TANF ECF fiscal claiming.

**This section includes only the 8 TANF ECF NRST MOE programs with 1995 expenditures**

**1. Emergency Assistance**

Emergency Assistance provides families with a financial benefit to address a short-term crisis or episode of need. Emergency Assistance payments include: one-time food benefit; utility payments; clothing allotment; heat; eviction prevention; foreclosure prevention; relocation assistance; short-term rent subsidy; motel/hotel payment; mortgage payment; security deposit for first and/or last months rent; rental assistance; back home tax payment; auto repairs; transportation voucher to obtain food, shelter; personal needs (soap, deodorant, hygiene products, diapers); emergency case management, domestic violence services, and assessment to address social, financial, medical needs. Non-Recurrent Short Term Benefit Program.

**TANF Purpose #1:** Provide assistance to needy families so that children may be cared for in their own homes or the homes of relatives.

**Funding:** Commingled funds that utilize state maintenance of effort funds.

**Program(s) Effective Date: October 1, 2008**

- A. Town of Hamden, Town of Hamden General Assistance Program Effective October 1, 2008.
- B. Meriden-Wallingford Chrysalis, Inc., Short-Term Domestic Violence Services Effective October 1, 2008.

**2. Emergency Shelter with Domestic Violence Services**

Emergency Shelter with Domestic Violence Services provides specialized emergency services to victims of domestic violence. Among the services provided: short term shelter; domestic violence counseling, children's programming and safety planning; 24 hour crisis hotline; social workers available to help guide victims to appropriate legal resources; and advocacy/referrals. Non-Recurrent Short Term Benefit Program.

**TANF Purpose #1:** Provide assistance to needy families so that children may be cared for in their own homes or the homes of relatives.

**TANF Purpose #2:** End the dependence of needy parents on government benefits by promoting job preparation, work and marriage.

**Funding:** Commingled funds that utilize state maintenance of effort funds.

**Program(s) Effective Date: October 1, 2008**

- A. Hartford Interval House, Inc., Interval house Effective October 1, 2008.
- B. Susan B. Anthony Project, Domestic Violence Shelter Effective October 1, 2008.

**3. Emergency Homeless Shelter**

Emergency Homeless Shelter provides short term shelter to homeless families with children. For the families in the short term shelter, meals, counseling, family supports and laundry are provided. Shelter staff provide counseling advocacy and referral, watch children as individuals look seek employment; family stabilization; clothing and transportation to service providers; and recreational and homework activities for children. Non-Recurrent Short Term Benefit Program.

**TANF Purpose #1:** Provide assistance to needy families so that children may be cared for in their own homes or the homes of relatives.

**TANF Purpose #2:** End the dependence of needy parents on government benefits by promoting job preparation, work and marriage.

**Funding:** Commingled funds that utilize state maintenance of effort funds.

**Program(s) Effective Date: October 1, 2008**

- A. Holy Family Home and Shelter, Emergency Shelter Effective October 1, 2008.
- B. Emergency Shelters Effective October 1, 2008.

**4. Food Bank and Crisis Food Support**

Food Bank and Crisis Food Support provides limited, short-term food supplies to needy families. Food banks will deliver a one time food supply to needy families; food banks will also provide a three day emergency supply of food; one-time thanksgiving basket; food coupon/voucher to use at a farmer's market; summer lunch program (not a summer feeding site) that provides free lunches to children grades K-12. On-site recreational activities may be available at some food and meal sites. Non-Recurrent Short Term Benefit Program.

**TANF Purpose #1:** Provide assistance to needy families so that children may be cared for in their own homes or the homes of relatives.

**Funding:** Commingled funds that utilize state maintenance of effort funds.

**Program(s) Effective Date: October 1, 2008**

- A. Town of Hamden, Town of Hamden Food Bank Effective October 1, 2008.

## 5. **Camp and Recreational Activities**

Camp and Recreational Activities provide short term summer experiences for children ages 4-18. The activities include: scholarships for summer camps and summer camp supplies (clothing, bathing suits, shorts, transportation to and from camp) and back-to school supplies and clothing to transition from summer to school. Activities may include organic gardening, nutrition and wellness camp; dance and choreography; self-esteem building, teamwork, and tolerance; leadership skills; safe recreational environment for at-risk children; ecology and environment activities; theater program. Non-Recurrent Short Term Benefit Program.

**TANF Purpose #1:** Provide assistance to needy families so that children may be cared for in their own homes or the homes of relatives.

**TANF Purpose #3:** Prevent and reduce the incidence of out-of-wedlock pregnancies.

**Funding:** Commingled funds that utilize state maintenance of effort funds.

**Program(s) Effective Date: October 1, 2008**

- A. Almada Lodge - Times Farm Camp Corporation, Channel 3. Kids Camp Summer Camp Program Effective October 1, 2008.

## TANF ECF NRST Benefit Programs with MOE Expenditures

### This section includes the 8 TANF ECF NRST MOE programs with 1995 expenditures

<u>TANF ECF Program Name, Organization, Program Name</u>	<u>1995 Expenditures</u>
<b>Emergency Assistance</b>	
9. Meriden-Wallingford Chrysalis, Inc. Short Term Domestic Violence Services	\$ 65,867
10. Town of Hamden General Assistance - Hamden	\$ 37,436
<b>Emergency Shelter with Domestic Violence Services</b>	
11. Hartford Interval House, Inc., Hartford Interval House, Inc.	\$ 76,000
12. Susan B. Anthony Project, Susan B. Anthony Project Shelter	\$ 142,800
<b>Emergency Homeless Shelter</b>	
13. Holy Family Home and Shelter, Inc., Emergency Shelter - Holy Family	\$ 211,710
14. New Haven Home Recovery - Emerg. Shelters CareWays & Martha's Place	\$ 150,000
<b>Food Bank and Crisis Food Support</b>	
15. Town of Hamden, Food Bank - Hamden	\$ 37,436
<b>Camp and Recreational Activities</b>	
16. Almada Lodge - Times Farm Camp Corp., Channel 3 Kids Camp Program	\$ 22,000
<b>TOTAL 1995 Expenditures in TANF ECF NRST Programs</b>	<b>\$ 743,248</b>

The 1995 expenditure amounts were deducted from program expenditures prior to TANF and TANF ECF fiscal claiming.



**This section includes only the 8 TANF ECF NRST MOE programs with 1995 expenditures**

**6. Emergency Assistance**

Emergency Assistance provides families with a financial benefit to address a short-term crisis or episode of need. Emergency Assistance payments include: one-time food benefit; utility payments; clothing allotment; heat; eviction prevention; foreclosure prevention; relocation assistance; short-term rent subsidy; motel/hotel payment; mortgage payment; security deposit for first and/or last months rent; rental assistance; back home tax payment; auto repairs; transportation voucher to obtain food, shelter; personal needs (soap, deodorant, hygiene products, diapers); emergency case management, domestic violence services, and assessment to address social, financial, medical needs. Non-Recurrent Short Term Benefit Program.

**TANF Purpose #1:** Provide assistance to needy families so that children may be cared for in their own homes or the homes of relatives.

**Funding:** Commingled funds that utilize state maintenance of effort funds.

**Program(s) Effective Date: October 1, 2008**

- B. Town of Hamden, Town of Hamden General Assistance Program Effective October 1, 2008.
- C. Meriden-Wallingford Chrysalis, Inc., Short-Term Domestic Violence Services Effective October 1, 2008.

**7. Emergency Shelter with Domestic Violence Services**

Emergency Shelter with Domestic Violence Services provides specialized emergency services to victims of domestic violence. Among the services provided: short term shelter; domestic violence counseling, children's programming and safety planning; 24 hour crisis hotline; social workers available to help guide victims to appropriate legal resources; and advocacy/referrals. Non-Recurrent Short Term Benefit Program.

**TANF Purpose #1:** Provide assistance to needy families so that children may be cared for in their own homes or the homes of relatives.

**TANF Purpose #2:** End the dependence of needy parents on government benefits by promoting job preparation, work and marriage.

**Funding:** Commingled funds that utilize state maintenance of effort funds.

**Program(s) Effective Date: October 1, 2008**

- D. Hartford Interval House, Inc., Interval house Effective October 1, 2008.
- E. Susan B. Anthony Project, Domestic Violence Shelter Effective October 1, 2008.

**8. Emergency Homeless Shelter**

Emergency Homeless Shelter provides short term shelter to homeless families with children. For the families in the short term shelter, meals, counseling, family supports and laundry are provided. Shelter staff provide counseling advocacy and referral, watch children as individuals look seek employment; family stabilization; clothing and transportation to service providers; and recreational and homework activities for children. Non-Recurrent Short Term Benefit Program.

**TANF Purpose #1:** Provide assistance to needy families so that children may be cared for in their own homes or the homes of relatives.

**TANF Purpose #2:** End the dependence of needy parents on government benefits by promoting job preparation, work and marriage.

**Funding:** Commingled funds that utilize state maintenance of effort funds.

**Program(s) Effective Date: October 1, 2008**

- F. Holy Family Home and Shelter, Emergency Shelter Effective October 1, 2008.
- G. Emergency Shelters Effective October 1, 2008.

**9. Food Bank and Crisis Food Support**

Food Bank and Crisis Food Support provides limited, short-term food supplies to needy families. Food banks will deliver a one time food supply to needy families; food banks will also provide a three day emergency supply of food; one-time thanksgiving basket; food coupon/voucher to use at a farmer's market; summer lunch program (not a summer feeding site) that provides free lunches to children grades K-12. On-site recreational activities may be available at some food and meal sites. Non-Recurrent Short Term Benefit Program.

**TANF Purpose #1:** Provide assistance to needy families so that children may be cared for in their own homes or the homes of relatives.

**Funding:** Commingled funds that utilize state maintenance of effort funds.

**Program(s) Effective Date: October 1, 2008**

- H. Town of Hamden, Town of Hamden Food Bank Effective October 1, 2008.

## **10. Camp and Recreational Activities**

Camp and Recreational Activities provide short term summer experiences for children ages 4-18. The activities include: scholarships for summer camps and summer camp supplies (clothing, bathing suits, shorts, transportation to and from camp) and back-to school supplies and clothing to transition from summer to school. Activities may include organic gardening, nutrition and wellness camp; dance and choreography; self-esteem building, teamwork, and tolerance; leadership skills; safe recreational environment for at-risk children; ecology and environment activities; theater program. Non-Recurrent Short Term Benefit Program.

**TANF Purpose #1:** Provide assistance to needy families so that children may be cared for in their own homes or the homes of relatives.

**TANF Purpose #3:** Prevent and reduce the incidence of out-of-wedlock pregnancies.

**Funding:** Commingled funds that utilize state maintenance of effort funds.

**Program(s) Effective Date: October 1, 2008**

- I. Almada Lodge - Times Farm Camp Corporation, Channel 3. Kids Camp Summer Camp Program Effective October 1, 2008.