

March 15, 1999

MEMORANDUM

TO: Deans of Student Development
Financial Aid Directors
Child Care Coordinators

FROM: William R. Strickland
Director, Student Development Services

SUBJECT: **CHILD CARE GRANTS FROM DEPARTMENT
OF EDUCATION**

The attached notice published in the Federal Register, Vol. 64, No. 46, March 10, 1999, announces a competitive program for the awarding of grants to colleges for the provision of campus-based child care services for low-income student parents. This is a \$5,000,000 program which will provide winning applicants awards between \$50,000 and \$200,000, but no less than \$10,000 each.

If your college awarded at least \$350,000 in Pell Grants in the previous academic year, it is eligible to submit a grant proposal under this program. In such a case, you are urged to study carefully the application requirements outlined in this announcement. Our office does not have any further information regarding this program. If additional information is needed, please contact:

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Please note that the deadline for submitting a proposal for funding is May 6, 1999.

Attachment

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