

Vermont Child Development Division NAFCC Accreditation Fees Grant

Overview

This grant assists with the cost of NAFCC accreditation or reaccreditation fees. Applicants may include the cost of self-study enrollment, application, and 18 month update fee. Applicants must be a CDD regulated program that demonstrates an understanding of and accomplishments toward NAFCC accreditation before submitting this grant request. Applicants must meet all eligibility requirements in order to qualify for this funding.

Grant availability is limited for each fiscal year. When necessary, applications will be prioritized, and priority will be given to those who have not received a grant in the current fiscal year. Only complete applications will be considered. Applications are accepted on a rolling basis and can be submitted anytime. Please allow 4-8 weeks for applications to be processed.

Eligibility Requirements

- Program meets NAFCC requirements for Initial Accreditation or Reaccreditation
- Costs must align with the NAFCC fees.
- Applicants must have worked directly with children at a CDD regulated child care facility for the previous six months.
- Applicants must not be a public-school teacher who is on a teacher contract for my work in the regulated care setting. (Note: Classroom assistants, aides & para educators are eligible if they meet the other requirements.)

Grant Report

- Receipt and screenshot of NAFCC status required with application.
- No follow up report required.

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