Program Boilerplate for Family Literacy: California Hospital Medical Center /Hope Street, Children’s Bureau, Hawthorne School District, Little Tokyo Service Center, Long Beach Unified School District (#’s 00661 and 00674), Puente Learning Center, Rowland Unified School District (#’s 00665 and 00676), St. Anne’s Maternity Home, South Central Los Angeles Ministry Program, New Horizons Family Center

The Hope Street Family Literacy program, a collaborative effort of California Hospital Medical Center and the Los Angeles Unified School District, Adult Education Division, targets low-income children, 0 to 5 years of age, and their parents to: promote participating parents' literacy; help parents to be their children's "first and best teachers” and therefore support the educational growth of their children; and prepare children for success as learners, able to meet challenging academic standards in regular school programs.

Children's Bureau of Southern California's Inglewood Parent Cooperative Child Development Center serves low-income children, ages 2 to 5, and their parents through various family literacy efforts: early childhood education, adult education, parent education, and Parent and Child Together time.

The Hawthorne Family Literacy Program provides family literacy services to families of the east-side areas of the City of Hawthorne, and to enhance Early Childhood Education services to Even Start families at Kornblum, Romona and Eucalyptus Elementary Schools. The program will incorporate a distance learning model for parents to participate in adult education and parent education.

Little Tokyo Service Center provides preschool, intergenerational activities, parenting classes and parent participation in preschool curricula, and a menu of job training options for low-income, multiethinic families from in and around two of its affordable housing developments, Casa Heiwa in Little Tokyo and Angelina Apartments in Echo Park.

Contract # 00661 and # 00674, phases 1 and 2:
Long Beach Unified School District (LBUSD) is expanding its existing family literacy services at the Adult School site and enhance these services by providing a quality early learning environment for young children 0-5 years old.

PUENTE Learning Center's family literacy program, serving low-income families from neighborhoods surrounding PUENTE campuses in East and South Los Angeles, consists of Preschool Readiness instruction for 4-year olds, Adult Education and Effective Parenting instruction for parents of the children, and at-home Parent and Child Together activities that include family reading activities as well creative expression through the visual arts.

Contract # 00665:
Rowland Unified School District is extending its current services of providing a four-component, comprehensive family literacy program with school-based, community-based and home-based services to service approximately 27 additional families and/or working members of existing families by increasing the intensity of the existing program components in the area of technology and vocational training to better meet the needs of program participants at Farjardo, Hurley and Northam Elementary Schools.

Contract # 00676:
Rowland Unified School District is expanding their current 4-component Family Literacy program that is currently operating at the above listed three sites to La Seda School in order to add an Early Childhood Education/School Readiness program for three-year-olds and to increase the intensity of all Family Literacy Program components being provided.

St. Anne's existing Family Literacy Program currently serves pregnant and parenting adolescents, 14-17 who reside in their various residential programs. The First 5 LA funds are to expand services to young women ages 18-24 years old with young children 0-5 years old who reside at the Bogen Family Center and in the surrounding community.

New Horizons serves low-income and immigrant families participating in their Even Start Family Literacy Program that focuses on the development of the children and their families.

South Central Los Angeles Ministry Project (LAMP) provides a comprehensive Family Literacy program to 20 families from South Central Los Angeles Community. Families participating in the program receive Parenting Education, English as a Second Language / Adult Education, and participate in Parent Child Interactive Learning Activities.