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Town	County	Recipient	Grant Award	# Spaces (New)	# Spaces (Improving Quality)	Project Description/Detail	Program Status
Middlebury	Addison	Otter Creek Child Center, Inc.	\$31,350	0	0	Support a consultant to lead the project to open a new program that will increase capacity of approximately 10 infant, 19 toddler and 44 preschool spaces.	New
Addison	Addison	Cheryl Danyow	\$10,000	6	0	Create a new (not yet registered) family child care home.	New
Bennington	Bennington	United Children's Services of Bennington County	\$59,231	24	0	To support expansion of a new program serving 5 infants, 15 toddlers and 4 preschoolers.	Expanding
Bennington	Bennington	The Learning Tree at Southwestern Vermont Medical Center	\$60,000	17	0	Expand capacity in a currently licensed program by 7 infant, 8 toddler and 2 preschool spaces.	Expanding
Shaftsbury	Bennington	Kristina Davis	\$10,000	6	0	Create a new family child care home serving 2 infants and 4 toddlers.	New
St. Johnsbury	Caledonia	ABC & LOL LLC	\$30,000	10	0	Expand capacity in a currently licensed program by 10 toddlers.	Expanding
Barnet	Caledonia	Peacham Children's Center	\$50,000	38	0	Create a new (not yet licensed) program serving 4 infant, 14 toddler and 20 preschoolers.	New
Waterford	Caledonia	Amanda Scott	\$2,500	6	0	Support a newly licensed or registered program serving 2 infant, 2 toddler and 2 preschoolers.	Quality preservation in a new program
Lyndonville	Caledonia	Stay & Play Daycare Center	\$21,000	13		Preserve existing high quality slots in a new program/expansion (less than 12 months old) serving 8 infants and 5 toddlers.	Quality preservation in a new program
St. Johnsbury	Caledonia	Kids of the Kingdom on the Hill	\$40,000.00	18	0	Expand capacity in a currently licensed program by 8 infants and 10 toddlers.	Expanding
Lyndonville	Caledonia	Melissa Jackman	\$9,974.00	6	0	To create a new family child care home.	New
Milton	Chittenden	ABC Academy, LLC	\$49,951	8	0	To support expanding capacity in a currently licensed program by 4 infant and 4 toddlers.	New
Burlington	Chittenden	Champlain Valley Head Start	\$27,000	8	0	To create a new (not yet licensed) program serving 8 toddlers	New

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Burlington	Chittenden	Greater Burlington YMCA	\$45,250	44	0	To support expanding capacity in a currently licensed program by 20 infant and 24 toddler spaces.	Expanding
Essex	Chittenden	Growing With Wonder, L3C	\$15,012	20	0	To support creating a new program serving 1 infant, 3 toddler and 16 preschoolers.	New
South Burlington	Chittenden	Kid Logic Learning	\$25,044	10	0	To support expanding capacity in a currently licensed program by 10 toddler spaces.	Expanding
Underhill	Chittenden	Mount Mansfield Unified Union School District/Underhill Preschool	\$75,000	28	0	Expand capacity in a currently licensed program by 10 infants and 18 toddlers.	Expanding
Burlington	Chittenden	Sara Holbrook Community Center	\$56,445	8	0	To expand capacity in a currently licensed program by 8 toddlers.	Expanding
South Burlington	Chittenden	The Homestead: A Part 2 Preschool	\$30,000	25	0	To support expanding capacity in a currently licensed program by 10 toddlers and 15 preschoolers.	Expanding
Hinesburg	Chittenden	Annette's Preschool to First Roots Infant/Toddler Center - Hinesburg	\$27,500	16	0	To support creating a new program serving 8 infant and 8 toddler in a church property.	New
Underhill	Chittenden	Annette's Preschool to First Roots Infant/Toddler Center	\$65,304	22	0	To support creating a new program serving 8 infant and 14 toddlers in a school property.	New
Burlington	Chittenden	Gan Yeladim Preschool	\$22,846	8	0	Expand capacity in a currently licensed program by two infant and six toddlers.	Expanding
Essex Junction	Chittenden	Katie McGee - Creative Discoveries: Early Care and Education	\$29,000	28		Support a newly licensed or registered program serving 10 infant, 8 toddler and 10 preschoolers.	Quality preservation in a new program
Colchester	Chittenden	Early Learning Center	\$53,881.00	38	0	Create a new (not yet licensed) program serving 7 infants, 15 toddlers and 16 preschoolers.	New
South Burlington	Chittenden	Sarah Gray	\$9,998.00	6	0	Expand a currently registered family child care home to a licensed home increasing capacity by 6 infant and toddler slots.	Expanding

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Burlington	Chittenden	Next Generation Burlington Campus	\$40,000.00	18	0	Create a new (not yet licensed) program serving 4 infants and 14 toddlers.	New
Williston	Chittenden	Next Generation Williston Campus	\$65,400.00	56	0	Create a new (not yet licensed) program serving 16 infants, 20 toddlers and 20 preschoolers.	New
Shelburne	Chittenden	Our Little School	\$10,000.00	0	0	To support a consultant for strategic planning on creating a new (not yet licensed) program.	New
Richford	Franklin	Briana Terwilliger	\$10,000	6	0	To support creation on a new family child care home.	New
Georgia	Franklin	Georgia's Next Generation, LLC	\$54,084	39	0	To create a new (not yet licensed) program serving 12 infant, 10 toddler and 17 preschool.	New
Swanton	Franklin	Jennifer L'Esperance	\$10,000	6	0	To support creation on a new family child care home.	New
Fairfax	Franklin	Karen Hebert	\$7,000	0	6	To improved the quality of a currently registered or licensed program.	Quality Improvement
Highgate Center	Franklin	Amy E Rollo	\$4,391	0		To purchase materials that will increase the quality of the current program.	Quality Improvement
St. Albans	Franklin	Robyn McElwain	\$4,068.00	6	0	Create a new (not yet registered) family child care home.	New
South Hero	Grand Isle	Turn to Joy, LLC	\$55,305	24	0	Create a new (not yet licensed) program providing 4-6 infant slots, 8 toddler slots, and 10-12 preschool slots, totaling 24 spaces for young children.	New
Alburgh	Grand Isle	Alburgh Family Clubhouse	\$50,000.00	40	0	Support in the creation of a new (not yet licensed) program serving 8 infants, 12 toddlers and 20 preschoolers.	New
Stowe	Lamoille	Lindsay Baumann	\$58,040	20	0	Expand capacity in a currently licensed program by 8 infant and 12 toddler spaces.	Expanding
Morrisville	Lamoille	Lamoille Family Center	\$50,000.00	38	0	To support the hiring of a consultant and creating a new licensed program that will serve a total of 8 infant, 10 toddler and 20 preschoolers.	New

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Randolph	Orange	Kierstan's Little Ducklings	\$9,965	6	0	To support expanding a currently registered family child care home to a licensed home.	Expanding
Bradford	Orange	Valley Cooperative Preschool	\$7,000	0		Improve the quality of a currently licensed program.	Quality Improvement
Randolph	Orange	Town of Randolph - Randolph Early Childhood Education Taskforce	\$58,000.00	0	0	To support the hiring of a consultant to develop and manage the project plan to recruit an operator for a new licensed child care center serving 32 infants, 26 toddlers and 40 preschoolers.	New
Bradford	Orange	Valley Cooperative Preschool	\$30,000	21		To support expansion in a currently licensed program by serving 4 additional infants, 12 toddlers and 5 preschoolers.	Expanding
Newport	Orleans	Ready, Set, Grow Childcare	\$54,000		72	Support a newly licensed or registered program through professional development offerings and an enhanced outdoor play space to serve the youngest children.	Open
Craftsbury	Orleans	Craftsbury Saplings	\$25,780	6	0	Increasing capacity in a currently licensed program by 4 toddler and 2 preschool spaces.	Expanding
Troy	Orleans	Christina Blay	\$6,000	6	0	To preserve existing high quality slots in a recently opened family childcare program.	Quality preservation in new program
Newport Center	Orleans	Haley Golliot	\$9,200.00	6	0	To create a new family child care home.	New
Newport	Orleans	Sonia Koehler	\$10,000.00	6	0	To create a new family child care home.	New
Rutland	Rutland	Little Lambs Early Learning Center	\$40,000	18	36	To expand capacity in a currently licensed program serving 4 infants and 14 toddlers.	Expanding
Rutland	Rutland	Rekaroo's Childcare	\$20,500	0	70	To improve the quality of a currently registered or licensed program.	Quality Improvement
Fairhaven	Rutland	Stacey Grau	\$6,407	0	6	To improve the quality of a currently registered or licensed program.	Quality Improvement

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Rutland	Rutland	Rutland County Parent Child Center	\$25,000	32	0	Expand capacity in a currently licensed program by 12 infant, 10 toddler and 10 preschool spaces.	Expanding
Pittsford	Rutland	Pittsford Village Farm	\$4,625	0	0	Fund a consultant and an architect to develop plans to create a new (not yet licensed) program serving 8 infant, 8 toddler and 10 preschoolers.	New
Rutland	Rutland	Sycamore Tree Child Care Center LLC	\$62,370	40	0	Create a new (not yet licensed) program serving 8 infant and 32 toddlers.	New
Poultney	Rutland	Nikiesha Reed	\$10,000.00	6	0	Create a new (not yet registered) family child care home.	New
Rutland	Rutland	Good Shepherd's Littlest Lambs	\$35,333.00	6	0	Expand capacity in a currently licensed program by 6 infants.	Expanding
Castleton	Rutland	ABC Early Education Daycare and Preschool	\$2,000.00	0	0	To support a consultant to help plan a new (not yet licensed) program that could serve 8 infants, 35 toddler and 20 preschoolers.	New
Rutland	Rutland	Audri Cox	\$10,000.00	6	0	To create a new family child care home.	New
Rutland	Rutland	Rutland County Parent Child C	\$50,000.00	25	0	Expand capacity in two licensed programs. The Brandon site will expand by 4 infant and 4 toddler spaces. The Rutland site will expand by 9 infant and 8 toddler spaces.	New
Castleton	Rutland	Tearsa Brannock/ABC Early Education Daycare and Preschool	\$40,000.00	58	0	To expand capacity in a currently licensed program by 8 infants, 18 toddler and 32 preschoolers. This includes construction of a new, larger space and moving from a licensed home to a licensed center.	New
Rutland	Rutland	Horizons Early Learning Center	\$75,000.00	36	0	Expand capacity in a currently licensed program by 8 infant, 18 toddler and 10 preschool spaces.	New
Berlin	Washington	Capstone Community Action	\$10,000	0	0	To support a consultant to explore additional funding for capacity building in Washington County.	New

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Montpelier	Washington	Montpelier Children's House, Inc.	\$54,627	27	0	Expand capacity in a currently licensed program by 4 infant, 14 toddler and 9 preschoolers.	Expanding
Barre	Washington	Capstone Community Action Head Start	\$15,267	16	0	Expand capacity in a currently licensed program by 8 infant and 8 toddler spaces.	Expanding
East Montpelier	Washington	Danielle Huston	\$10,000	4	0	Create a new family child care home serving 2 infants and 2 toddlers.	New
Northfield	Washington	Little Crickets All Day School of Play	\$10,000	2	0	Expand capacity in a currently licensed program by two preschoolers.	Expanding
East Montpelier	Washington	Orchard Valley Waldorf School (Sweet Clover Nursery)	\$29,764.00	8	0	To expand capacity in a currently licensed program by 8 infants.	New
Brattleboro	Windham	Cristina Shay-onye	\$10,000	6	0	To support opening a new family child care home.	New
Whitingham	Windham	Kayla Bartlett	\$10,000	6	0	To create a new (not yet registered) family child care home.	New
Guilford	Windham	Community Collaborative for Guildford	\$3,000	0	0	Fund a consultant, with expertise and experience in Vermont Early Childhood systems, to support the Project Lead in managing Child Care Licensing application process, permitting, the development of policies and procedures, and recommendations for retrofitting a building to open a new program that will increase capacity of approximately 16 infant, 25 toddler and 18 preschool spaces.	New and Expanding
Brattleboro	Windham	Horizon Early Learning Program Vernon	\$50,000.00	16	0	Create a new (not yet licensed) program serving 8 infants and 8 toddlers.	New
Westminster	Windham	Sara Lovell	\$10,000.00	6	0	Create a new (not yet registered) family child care home.	New
Putney	Windham	The Grammar School	\$38,389.00	10	0	Expand capacity in a currently licensed program to serve 10 toddlers.	Expanding

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White River Junction	Windsor	WonderGarden	\$10,000	4	0	To support moving from a registered to a licensed home, adding capacity to care for 4 additional children.	Expanding
Hartford	Windsor	Potter's House School	\$50,000	20	0	To support expanding capacity in a currently licensed program by 4 infants, 6 toddlers and 10 preschoolers.	Expanding
Springfield	Windsor	Suzy's Little Peanuts LLC	\$77,081.00	56	0	Support to own and maintain two existing program sites currently serving 47 children. This project will also create 9 additional slots. The two programs will serve a total of 16 infants, 15 toddlers and 25 preschoolers.	New
Norwich	Windsor	Cradle and Crayon Incorporat	\$40,000.00	30	0	Create a new licensed program serving 10 toddler and 20 preschoolers.	New