Frequently Asked Questions

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1. HHS-2020-ACF-OHS-CM-R12-1730 pages 26 & 47 as stated in the Announcement, Migrant & Seasonal programs were created to serve working families. As a result they do not typically use the home-based option (using Home Visitors) or formally enroll pregnant women since typically parents are in the field working thus this option does not best meet the needs of the Migrant and Seasonal children and families. Page 26 asks applicants to describe how they will deliver services to enrolled pregnant women post-pregnancy, and how the newborn infant and family will transition into the appropriate program option. Additionally, V.1. Criteria 2. Achieving Early Learning & Development Outcomes to Promote School Readiness for Children - Maximum Points 30 includes this criterion: The system proposed to deliver services to enrolled pregnant women post-pregnancy, and how the newborn infant and family will transition into the appropriate program option at the appropriate time; and how the program will support transitions from MSHS to public and community-based school settings. Will applicants indeed be scored on enrolling pregnant women into the home-base option for this Migrant & Seasonal application?

The Administration for Children and Families (ACF) does not provide direct guidance or instruction in the development of an applicant's project design or in writing their applications. Applicants should use their best judgment in determining whether they are able to meet the requirements contained in the funding opportunity announcement (FOA), whether they are able to develop an application they believe to be responsive to the FOA and in designing and writing their applications. Applications will be reviewed and evaluated by objective review panels using the criteria described in *Section V.1. Criteria* of the FOA. The review panels will use the FOA as their principal guidance available to them in the same way that it is the principal guidance for applicants.