

The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services Health Resources & Services Administration announced the availability for funding for the National Center for Health Insurance and Financing for Children and Youth with Special Health Care Needs (*Catalog for Federal Domestic Assistance number: 93.110*)

. The purpose of this program is to collaborate with national, state and community stakeholders to develop and spread innovative strategies and policies to facilitate access to health insurance and other financing to pay for needed health and health-related services for children and youth with special health care needs.

The application deadline is February 8, 2013.

Eligible applicants include state and local governments, independent school districts and nonprofit organizations including faith-based organizations.

To request an application package, visit

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