Grant Title: FAMILY SELF-SUFFICIENCY AND STABILITY RESEARCH SCHOLARS NETWORK

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Agency/Department: The Office of Planning Research and Evaluation (OPRE) within the Administration for Children and Families (ACF) in the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

Area of Research: Cooperative agreement for participation in a research scholars network in family self-sufficiency and stability.

Release and Expiration: Release Date: February 19, 2013.

Application Deadline: May 20, 2013.

Amount: Award Ceiling: \$100,000. Award Floor: \$75,000. Expected Number of Awards: 7.

Length of Support: Not listed.

Eligible Applicants: Public and State controlled institutions of higher education. Private institutions of higher education.

Summary: The Office of Planning Research and Evaluation (OPRE) within the Administration for Children and Families (ACF) in the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) plans to invite applications for Principal Investigators to join a network of scholars who will investigate critical issues in family self-sufficiency and stability research. The Family Self-Sufficiency and Stability Research Network (the Network) will be a collaborative enterprise of scholars who undertake research in family self-sufficiency and stability that is both scientifically rigorous and highly relevant to family self-sufficiency programs and research. This project would support cooperative agreements with scholars who will work independently and collectively to undertake a systematic, multi-disciplinary examination of the current gaps in family self-sufficiency and stability policies, programs and existing research; execute research and program evaluation activities in collaboration with state and local human services agencies and community-based organizations; and participate in a multi-disciplinary learning community by collaborating with other members of the Network and affiliated scholars.

Detailed Information: http://www.acf.hhs.gov/grants/open/foa/view/HHS-2013-ACF-OPRE-PD-0549