Statewide Funding Opportunities

**Small Business Restart Fund**

**Funder:** CARES Act federal funding via the state of Indiana  
**Amount:** $2,500 or $5,000 for each month of 40% or more of revenue lost, with a maximum total of $10,000 paid as a reimbursement for expenses (see use below)  
**Deadline:** Check application site  
**Requirements:**  
- Registered to operate as a business in the state of Indiana  
- Less than 50 employees on 12/31/2019  
- Less than $5 million in revenue in 2019  
- Profitable in 2019  
- Monthly revenue loss of at least 40% compared to pre-COVID-19 revenue  
- Program did NOT receive funding from Paycheck Protection Program (PPP), Economic Injury Disaster Loan (EIDL) or Community Development Block Grant (CDBG)  
**Use:** Reimbursement for up to 80% of qualified expenses, such as rent/mortgage payments, utilities, lease payments for real or personal property and safety investments such as personal protective equipment (PPE) and infrastructure improvements  
**Application process:** Visit https://backontrack.in.gov/2377.htm

**PPE Marketplace**

**Funder:** State of Indiana  
**Provides:** Bundles of free masks, hand sanitizer and face shields  
**Deadline:** No specific deadline, quantities may be limited based on demand  
**Requirements:** Business or nonprofit registered with the Indiana Secretary of State, fewer than 150 employees  
**Use:** Personal protective equipment (PPE) for use in operating your program.  
**Application process:** Visit https://backontrack.in.gov/ppemarketplace.htm

**Indiana CARES About Child Care**

**Funder:** CARES Act funds, administered by Indiana’s Child Care Resource and Referral Network  
**Amount:** Varies based on your program’s total capacity  
**Deadline:** Awards granted every two weeks, until funding is no longer available  
**Requirements:**  
- Have children ages 0-12 in attendance OR have served children during August 2020 if currently temporarily closed  
- Be an approved CCDF provider  
- Operate a licensed center, family child care home, unlicensed registered ministry or legally licensed-exempt program (LLEP) that is not a school or Head Start/Early Head Start grantee in the state of Indiana, and is in good standing with licensing  
**Use:**  
- COVID-19 related needs, such as purchasing health- and safety-related materials and supplies, staffing, cleaning services and additional furniture to support social distancing  
- Emergency funds to cover reopening expenses for providers who have temporarily closed due to a case of COVID-19  
**Application process:** Visit http://brighterfuturesindiana.org/indianacares/

**Child Care Closure Assistance Grant**

**Funder:** Office of Early Childhood and Out of School Learning (OECSOL)  
**Amount:** Varies based on the number of self, private or cash pay children you serve, with a maximum of $20,000  
**Deadline:** New grant cycle every two weeks, while funding is available  
**Requirements:**  
- Providers must have been temporarily closed because of a confirmed COVID-19 case of a person affiliated with the facility  
- Providers must be eligible to receive CCDF  
**Use:** Covers the cost of lost revenue during closure from children who are funded through private pay/cash pay.  
**Application process:** Visit https://www.in.gov/fssa/carefinder/5761.htm