Grants Awarded November 11, 2014

Grantee: UCLA Center for Health Policy Research
Primary Investigator: Daphna Gans, PhD
Grant Title: Self-Management Support Needs and Experience of Families with CSHCN
Grant Amount: $267,862
Duration: 15 months
Summary: To quantify the caregiving burden experienced by families of children with chronic and complex health problems, identify the gaps between the supports that families need and those that they are receiving, and assess the capacity of health care providers to increase the supports they could provide to families.
Website: www.healthpolicy.ucla.edu/

Grantee: Boston Children’s Hospital
Primary Investigator: Jay Berry, MD
Grant Title: Implementing a Framework for Hospital Discharge for Children with Medical Complexity
Grant Amount: $232,577
Duration: 18 months
Summary: To study the feasibility of implementing discharge standards in a single hospital, establish a national hospital discharge learning collaborative, and pilot test the implementation of discharge standards in multiple hospitals.
Website: www.childrenshospital.org/

Grantee: Lucile Packard Children’s Hospital
Primary Investigator: Karen Wayman, PhD
Grant Title: Creating a State-Wide Learning Collaborative to Promote Parent Mentor Programs
Grant Amount: $157,300
Duration: 18 months
Summary: To facilitate recruitment, screening, training and accountability of parent mentor programs in 10 child health institutions in California and test the efficacy of using parent mentors to support parent self-management of care coordination for CSHCN.
Website: http://www.stanfordchildrens.org/

Grantee: Children Now
Primary Investigator: Kelly Hardy
Grant Title: Creating an Advocacy Plan for CSHCN In California
Grant Amount: $60,000
Duration: 6 months
Summary: To develop three strategic action plans to address policies that affect the health of CSHCN by: coordinating physical and behavioral health services; promoting involvement of families and youth in state health care planning; and facilitating collaboration among public agencies providing health care, public health, education and social services.
Website: http://www.childrennow.org/