South Carolina Department of Social Services SC Voucher Program Family, Friend, and Neighbor Provider HEALTH AND SAFETY GRANT REIMBURSEMENT REQUEST

The SC Voucher Program requires clients who select family, friend, and neighbor care arrangements for their children to make sure the home has the following:

- 1. A minimum of one fire extinguisher (type 5 lb. 2-A:10 B:C) in the cooking area, and
- 2. A minimum of two operating smoke detectors properly placed within the home in areas occupied by children.

Child care providers who do not have a fire extinguisher or two smoke detectors, as verified by the client, may request and receive a grant to assist them in purchasing these items. The grant funds will be reimbursed after the equipment is purchased by the provider and the grant request and original receipts are submitted to the SC Voucher Program.

Upon approval of the grant request, the SC Voucher Program will issue payment to the provider based on the receipts submitted, not to exceed \$45.00.

Terms and Conditions:

- 1. Grants are limited to one per provider, and are available after the provider is selected by an SC Voucher Program eligible client.
- The health and safety grant will provide reimbursement only for the purchase of a fire extinguisher and/or smoke detectors.
- 3. The child care provider is responsible for additional costs that exceed \$45.00.

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