

Purpose of Grant / Reason for addition or change: (include attachments as necessary to provide thorough information):
The Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry (ATSDR) is a federal public health agency of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) and housed in the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). ATSDR's Partnership to Promote Local Efforts to Reduce Environmental Exposure (APPLETREE) cooperative agreement program gives Arkansas resources and guidance to assess and respond to site-specific issues involving exposure to hazardous substances in the environment. The Arkansas APPLETREE program is critical to ATSDR's success in accomplishing its mission to protect people's health from environmental hazards. In addition, during this funding cycle, Arkansas will also use program awards to develop new initiatives and take action to protect children from environmental hazards through the safe siting of early care and education facilities. This new ATSDR funding cycle provides support for one new epidemiology position requested below.



| Personnel <br> Area | Position Number | Cost <br> Center | Commitment <br> Item | Position Title 99 only | Class <br> Code | Grade | Line Item <br> Maximum* |
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| HL47 |  | 610220 | $501: 00: 00$ | Epidemiologist | L028C | GS09 |  |
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State funds will not be used to replace federal funds when such funds expire, unless appropriated by the Genera Assembly and authorized by the Governor.

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