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#### GRANT ASSURANCES

#### Category A\* – Quality Enhancements

#### (\*Note: Assurance for Category B is on page 2)

#### FISCAL YEAR 2022 (School Year 2021-2022 and Summer 2022)

The lead applicant agrees to all of the following (each one must be checked to indicate agreement):

\_\_\_\_\_\_ Work collaboratively with partners (as applicable) to implement quality enhancement activities to ASOST^ programming as described in this proposal;

\_\_\_\_\_\_ Work collaboratively with partners to ensure the participation of students with disabilities and English learners in an inclusive setting;

\_\_\_\_\_\_ Ensure that children/youth are not prevented from participating in programs and services supported by the Quality Enhancements in After-School and Out-of-School Time (ASOST-Q) grant because their families are unable to afford tuition. Programs must use a sliding fee scale to support access for all children if tuition is charged;

\_\_\_\_\_\_ Evaluate program services and activities to determine effectiveness. Participate in required program evaluation trainings and activities. See (Part III – Required Program Information) for details; and

\_\_\_\_\_\_ Submit required financial and programmatic reports -- details and guidelines will be provided to all grantees.

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Category A: Quality Enhancements.)

*^The term ASOST includes after-school, vacations, weekends, before-school and summer.*

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#### GRANT ASSURANCES

#### Category B - Regional or Statewide Professional Development or Networking

#### FISCAL YEAR 2022 (School Year 2021-2022 and Summer 2022)

The applicant agrees to all of the following (each one must be checked to indicate agreement):

\_\_\_\_\_\_ Work with the Department to identify and provide opportunities for regional and statewide professional development (PD), which includes networking opportunities, for *OST\** providers, including but not limited to those receiving ASOST-Q funding in Category A that support program quality enhancement;

\_\_\_\_\_\_ Review the [Department’s standards for High Quality PD](http://www.doe.mass.edu/pd/standards.html) and provide PD that meet those standards;

\_\_\_\_\_\_ Provide the Department with at least two weeks advance notice of PD/Networking opportunities;

\_\_\_\_\_\_ Evaluate PD/Networking offerings and provide a summary of feedback from participants to the Department within one-month of offerings; and

\_\_\_\_\_\_ Submit required financial and programmatic reports -- details and guidelines will be provided to all grantees.

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