

**ALTERNATIVES TO ABORTION INITIATIVE PROGRAM**

**REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)**

**QUESTION AND RESPONSE**

**Question:** We are working on our proposal and wanted to know if it is allowable for a maternity home to receive TANF funds under this grant? It is unclear as to whether it would be considered a secure facility or not.

**Response:** This question is very general and does not specify what the TANF funds would be used for in a maternity home. Therefore, the question can not be answered with any specificity. However, with regards to whether a maternity home would be considered a secure facility, secure facilities are those facilities in which the residents are not allowed free will to leave and return. The information provided on Attachment IV contains general guidelines that pertain to all TANF-funded services.