

used to modify functions of existing service organizations to better complement each other. The specific approach is at the discretion of each community. Because CISS projects are intended to facilitate the development of systems of services in communities, projects must be consistent with State systems development efforts. In the interest of equitable geographic distribution, special consideration for funding in this subcategory will be given to projects from communities without a currently-funded CISS project. Special consideration means that merit reviewers will assign scores based on the extent to which applicants address areas identified in this notice as meriting special consideration.

## 2. State Community Organization Grants

Up to \$1 million will be available to support up to 20 State Community Organization Grants to State MCH agencies in an amount up to \$50,000 per year, beginning October 1, 1996. The project period is four years. Preference for funding of these grants will be given to State MCH agencies. The purpose of these grants is to strengthen ties between MCHB's community and State-level system development initiatives since FY 1992, thus reinforcing the benefits of the substantial investment in State and local infrastructure-building represented by ongoing SPRANS State Systems Development Initiative (SSDI) grants as well as CISS initiatives. Among State networking activities which may be supported by these grants are: providing technical assistance to community and local organizations needing help in systems development; convening statewide meetings; and disseminating and replicating successful local/community strategies.

## B. Health System Development in Child Care

Up to \$2.5 million is available to support up to 59 Health Systems Development projects in an amount up to \$50,000 per year, beginning October 1, 1996. The project period is three years. The purpose of these grants is to support child care systems development and improvements through collaboration and integration of health care, child care, and social support services at State and community levels. Each project will serve as a vehicle for State and community investments in systems development, service integration, and child care capacity development. Proposed systems improvements must identify and address appropriate *Healthy People 2000* health status indicators and be consistent with the *Blueprint for Action*

of the Healthy Child Care America Campaign. The Healthy Child Care America Campaign is a nationally-focused initiative, co-sponsored by the MCHB and the ACF's Child Care Bureau. The campaign supports the principle that, in partnership, families, health care providers, and child care providers can promote healthy development; and increase access to preventive health services and safe physical environments for all children, including children with special health needs. Because the program is aimed at building a unified, statewide systems approach to child care service integration, preference for funding will be given to the 59 States and/or territories participating under Title V or to entities designated to assume the lead in a State or territory's child care development and service integration efforts. Proposals must show evidence of support by and collaboration between the State Title V and Child Care Directors.

## Project Review and Funding

Within the limit of funds determined by the Secretary to be available for the activities described in this announcement, the Secretary will review applications for funds as competing applications and may award Federal funding for projects which will, in her judgment, best promote the purpose of Title V of the Social Security Act, with special emphasis on improving service delivery to women and children from culturally distinct populations; best address achievement of Healthy Children 2000 objectives related to maternal, infant, child and adolescent health and service systems for children at risk of chronic and disabling conditions; and otherwise best promote improvements in maternal and child health.

## Criteria for Review

The criteria which follow are derived from MCH project grant regulations at 42 CFR Part 51a or from HRSA administrative policies that apply to all MCHB discretionary grant projects. These criteria are used, as pertinent, to review and evaluate applications for awards under all CISS grant categories announced in this notice. Further guidance in this regard is supplied in application guidance materials, which may specify other criteria:

## Regulatory Criteria

- The quality of the project plan or methodology.
- The extent to which the project will contribute to the advancement of maternal and child health and/or

improvement of the health of children with special health care needs;

- The extent to which the project is responsive to policy concerns applicable to MCH grants and to program objectives, requirements, priorities and/or review criteria for specific project categories, as published in program announcements or guidance materials.
- The extent to which the estimated cost to the Government of the project is reasonable, considering the anticipated results.
- The extent to which the project personnel are well qualified by training and experience for their roles in the project and the applicant organization has adequate facilities and personnel.
- The extent to which, insofar as practicable, the proposed activities, if well executed, are capable of attaining project objectives.

## Administrative Policy Criteria

- The strength of the project's plans for evaluation.
- The extent to which the project will be integrated with the administration of the MCH Block Grant, State primary care plans, public health, and prevention programs, and other related programs in the respective State(s).
- The extent to which the application is responsive to the special concerns and program priorities specified elsewhere in this notice.

## Eligible Applicants

Any public or private entity, including an Indian tribe or tribal organization (as defined at 25 U.S.C. 450b), is eligible to apply for CISS grants.

## Executive Order 12372

The MCH Federal set-aside program has been determined to be a program which is not subject to the provisions of Executive Order 12372 concerning intergovernmental review of Federal programs.

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Dated: June 17, 1996.

Ciro V. Sumaya,

Administrator.

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## National Institutes of Health

### National Institute of General Medical Sciences; Notice of Closed Meeting

Pursuant to Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given of the following Meeting:

*Committee Name:* National Institute of General Medical Sciences, Special Emphasis Panel—Support for Enhancement of Institutional Capability.

*Date:* July 8–9, 1996.

*Time:* 8:30 a.m.–6:00 p.m.

*Place:* Holiday Inn—Chevy Chase, 5520 Wisconsin Avenue, Chevy Chase, MD 20815.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Helen R. Sunshine, Scientific Review Administrator, NIGMS, 45 Center Drive, Room 1AS–13f, Bethesda, MD 20892–6200, Telephone: (301) 594–2881.

*Purpose:* To review grant applications.

The meeting will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in secs. 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. The discussions of these applications could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material and personal information concerning individuals associated with the applications, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.821, Biophysics and Physiological Sciences; 93.859, Pharmacological Sciences; 93.862, Genetics Research; 93.863, Cellular and Molecular Basis of Disease Research; 93.880, Minority Access Research Careers [MARC]; and 93.375, Minority Biomedical Research Support [MBRS])

Dated: June 12, 1996.

Susan K. Feldman,

*Committee Management Officer, NIH.*

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### National Institutes on Drug Abuse; Notice of Closed Meetings

Pursuant to Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given of the following meetings of the National Institute on Drug Abuse Initial Review Group.

*Purpose/Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Name of Committee:* Basic Behavioral Science Research Subcommittee.

*Date:* July 9–11, 1996.

*Time:* 8:30 a.m.

*Place:* Hyatt Regency Bethesda, One Bethesda Metro Center, Bethesda, MD 20814.

*Contact Person:* William C. Grace, Ph.D., Scientific Review Administrator, Office of Extramural Program Review, National

Institute on Drug Abuse, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 10–22, Telephone (301) 443–9042.

*Name of Committee:* AIDS Biomedical and Clinical Research Subcommittee.

*Date:* July 16–17, 1996.

*Time:* 8:30 a.m.

*Place:* Bethesda Marriott, 5151 Pooks Hill Road, Bethesda, MD 20814.

*Contact Person:* Gamil Debbas, Ph.D., Scientific Review Administrator, Office of Extramural Program Review, National Institute on Drug Abuse, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 10–22, Telephone (301) 443–2620.

*Name of Committee:* Health Services Research Subcommittee.

*Date:* July 16–17, 1996.

*Time:* 8:30 a.m.

*Place:* Ritz Carlton Hotel-Pentagon City, 1250 South Hayes Street, Arlington, VA 22202.

*Contact Person:* William C. Grace, Ph.D., Scientific Review Administrator, Office of Extramural Program Review, National Institute on Drug Abuse, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 10–22, Telephone (301) 443–9042.

*Name of Committee:* Treatment Research Subcommittee.

*Date:* July 16–18, 1996.

*Time:* 8:30 a.m.

*Place:* Bethesda Marriott, 5151 Pooks Hill Road, Bethesda, MD 20814.

*Contact Person:* Kesinee Nimit, M.D., Scientific Review Administrator, Office of Extramural Program Review, National Institute on Drug Abuse, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 10–22, Telephone (301) 443–9042.

*Name of Committee:* AIDS Behavioral Research Subcommittee.

*Date:* July 22–23, 1996.

*Time:* 8:30 a.m.

*Place:* Double Tree Hotel, 1750 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD 20852.

*Contact Person:* Raquel Crider, Ph.D., Scientific Review Administrator, Office of Extramural Program Review, National Institute on Drug Abuse, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 10–22, Telephone (301) 443–9042.

The meetings will be closed in accordance with provisions set forth in secs. 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. The applications and the discussions could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material and personal information concerning individuals associated with the applications, disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Numbers; 93.277, Drug Abuse Research Scientist Development and Research Scientist Awards; 93.278, Drug Abuse National Research Service Awards for Research Training; 93.279, Drug Abuse Research Program)

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*Committee Management Officer, NIH.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

### Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public and Indian Housing

[Docket No. FR–3719–N–03]

### Announcement of Funding Awards for Technical Assistance and Training for Public and Indian Housing for Youth Leadership Development Project, Fiscal Year 1994

**AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public and Indian Housing, HUD.

**ACTION:** Announcement of funding awards.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with section 102(a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989, this announcement notifies the public of funding decisions made by the Department in a competition for funding under the Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) for Public and Indian Housing Technical Assistance and Training for Youth Leadership Development Project. This announcement contains the names and addresses of the awardees and the amount of the awards.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mike Main, Office of Crime Prevention and Security, Public and Indian Housing, Department of Housing and Urban Development, Room 4116, 451 Seventh Street, SW, Washington, DC 20410, telephone (202) 708–1197 (this is not a toll free telephone number). A telecommunications device for hearing- and speech-impaired individuals (TTY) is available at 1–800–877–8339 (Federal Information Relay Service).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Youth Leadership funding under this notice is authorized under Chapter 2, Subtitle C, Title V of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988 (42 U.S.C. 11901 *et. seq.*), as amended by Section 581 of the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990 (NAHA), approved November 28, 1990, Pub. L. 101–625, and Section 161 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1992 (HCDA 1992) (Pub. L. 102–550, approved October 28, 1992).

The Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act 1994, (approved October 28, 1993, Pub. L. 103–124), (94 App. Act) appropriated \$265 million for the Drug Elimination Program of which \$5 million was for funding drug elimination technical assistance and training. The \$500,000 available under the August 31, 1994 (59 FR 45154)