

of HIV in minority populations and improving health outcomes.

3. This organization has developed a base of critical knowledge, skills, and abilities related to HIV treatment and barriers to accessing and adhering to prescribed treatments.

4. This organization has nationally recognized experts in HIV treatments (FDA approved and experimental), process and outcome evaluation, and curriculum development as core resources to support the project through out the project period.

5. This organization has demonstrated the ability to work with minority and non-minority entities, the Federal Government, academic institutions, and health groups on mutually beneficial education, research, and health endeavors related to the goal of health promotion and disease prevention among racial and ethnic minority populations; the national leadership necessary to focus the Nation's attention on minority-related health issues; and the leadership needed to organize health care professionals to work with and train racial/ethnic minority treatment educators and advocates.

Up to \$2,000,000 is available in fiscal year (FY) 1999 for a 12-month budget period with a project period of 3 years. Continuation awards within the project period will be made on the basis of satisfactory progress and the availability of funds.

Where to Obtain Additional Information

Additional information may be obtained from Ms. Brenda Woods-Francis, HIV/AIDS Bureau, HRSA, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 7-29, Rockville, MD 20857 or telephone (301) 443-0415.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Health Resources and Services Administration

Targeted Provider Education Demonstration Grants

AGENCY: Health Resources and Services Administration

ACTION: Notice of availability of funds.

SUMMARY: The Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) announces the availability of funds for fiscal year 1999 for discretionary grants

supporting Targeted Provider Education Demonstration (TPED) Grants. These demonstration grants will provide treatment education and training to health care and support service providers who deliver Ryan White CARE Act services.

The TPED Grants will serve as an adjunct to existing HRSA HIV training initiatives which focus on providing training to primary care providers on Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) treatment guidelines including the "DHHS Guidelines on the Use of Antiretroviral Agents in HIV infected Adults and Adolescents" and the "Guidelines for the Use of Antiretroviral Agents in Pediatric HIV Infection". The existing HIV training initiatives include: regional AIDS Education and Training Centers (AETC), the National AIDS Education and Training Centers Resource Center; and the National Minority AIDS and Education and Training Center.

The proposed demonstration grants will target HIV/AIDS providers such as case managers, peer counselors, mental health professionals, substance abuse providers, prison health and discharge providers, outreach workers, treatment educators, etc. who are not targeted to receive training through the other HRSA Ryan White Care Act training initiatives. Training topics supported under this grant announcement focus on areas required to support the delivery of quality health and social service support services through Ryan White CARE Act programs. Grantees will be expected to coordinate and work cooperatively with the AETCs and other HRSA training initiatives.

Successful grant applicants will propose to deliver innovative education and training programs tailored to the assessed training needs of the targeted populations. The proposed geographical area will be a region, state(s) or other large geographic area(s) defined by the applicant. The selected geographic area(s) should include areas with a demonstrable need for training providers that serve large minority and other underserved populations. The core components of the program will include a needs assessment, comprehensive evaluation component, and a time-framed implementation plan for education and training program activities.

Eligible Applicants

Eligible applicants are public and nonprofit entities and schools and academic health science centers. In addition, the applicant should have a demonstrable track record in (1) designing and implementing training or

educational programs, serving minority populations, and assessing HIV/AIDS service provider training needs; (2) be located within the training catchment area defined by the applicant; and (3) possess the capacity to use multifaceted strategies to outreach to minority providers and provide HIV/AIDS training.

Availability of Funds

Up to \$3.3 million dollars are available in FY 1999 to fund 5-10 awards. Funding will be allocated according to the number of grants awarded. It is expected that the awards will be made on or about September 30, 1999. Funding will be made available for 12-months, with a project period for up to three years. Continuation awards within the approved project period will be made on the basis of satisfactory progress and the availability of funds.

Authorization

Section 2692 of the Public Health Service Act, 42 U.S.C. 300ff-11.

Funding Priorities and/or Preferences

Funding priority will be given to proposals that propose to provide innovative education and training to targeted providers serving racial/ethnic minority communities highly impacted by HIV/AIDS. Geographical area and uniform national distribution of TPED programs will be considered in final funding decisions.

DATES: In order to be considered for competition, applications for these announced grants must be received at the HRSA Grants Application Center by the close of business 45 days following the date of this announcement. Applications shall be considered as meeting the deadline if they are: (1) Received on or before the deadline date, or (2) postmarked on or before the deadline date and received in time for orderly processing and submission to the review committee. Applicants should request a legibly dated receipt from a commercial carrier or U.S. Postal Service postmark. Private metered postmarks shall not be acceptable as proof of timely mailing. Applications received after the deadline will be returned to the applicant and not reviewed.

ADDRESSES: All applications should be mailed or delivered to: Grants Management Officer, HRSA Grants Application Center, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 4-91, Rockville, MD 20857. Grant applications sent to any address other than that above are subject to being returned. **Federal Register** notices and application guidance for the HIV/AIDS Bureau programs are available on the

World Wide Web via the Internet. The web site for the HIV/AIDS Bureau is: <http://www.hrsa.gov/hab/>. Federal grant application kits are available at the following Internet address: <http://forms.psc.gov/phsforms.htm>. For those applicants who are unable to access application materials electronically, a hard copy of the official grant application kit (PHS Form 6025-1) must be obtained from the HRSA Grants Application Center. The Center may be contacted by (1) telephone, 1-888-300-4772, (2) fax, 301-309-0579, or (3) e-mail, HRSA.GAC@ix.netcom.com.

Where To Obtain Additional Information

Additional technical information may be obtained from Brenda Woods-Francis, HIV/AIDS Bureau, Health Resources and Services Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 7-29, Rockville, MD 20857. The telephone number is (301) 443-0415 and the FAX number is (301) 443-6709.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Notice of Intent To Negotiate an Agreement Between the Central Utah Water Conservancy District and Department of the Interior for Construction of the Alpine Aqueduct Reach 3 Raw Water Bypass Pipeline, Utah County, UT

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary—Water and Science, Department of the Interior.

ACTION: Notice of intent to negotiate an agreement between the Central Utah Water Conservancy District (CUWCD) and Department of the Interior (Interior) for construction of the Alpine Aqueduct Reach 3 Raw Water Bypass Pipeline, Utah County, Utah.

SUMMARY: Under repayment contract No. 14-06-400-4286, dated December 28, 1965, as amended and supplemented, the United States and CUWCD agreed to the terms and conditions for the delivery of project water from the Bonneville Unit of the Central Utah Project. The project purposes for the Bonneville Unit include but are not limited to, irrigation, municipal and industrial, water conservation, water efficiency improvements, fish and wildlife, and recreation. As part of the Bonneville Unit, the Alpine Aqueduct System was

constructed to convey Project municipal and industrial water to North Utah County. CUWCD is under contract for the operation and maintenance of Alpine Aqueduct System. Since treated Project water is not yet available for delivery through the Alpine Aqueduct, CUWCD intends to use Alpine Aqueduct Reach 3 to deliver untreated raw water. To deliver the raw water, a pipeline must be constructed to bypass the Utah Valley Water Purification Plant. This bypass pipeline, will be approximately 2,030 feet in length, up to 60 inches in diameter, and will connect Alpine Aqueduct Reach 1 to Alpine Aqueduct Reach 3, which will enable the delivery of the untreated municipal and industrial water to the North Utah County communities.

When construction of the bypass pipeline is completed it will become a CUP Project feature and title will be in the name of the United States. National Environmental Policy Act compliance will be completed by Interior.

DATES: Dates for public negotiation sessions will be announced in local newspapers.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Additional information on matters related to this **Federal Register** notice can be obtained at the address and telephone number set forth below: Mr. Michael Hansen, Program Coordinator, CUP Completion Act Office, Department of the Interior, 302 East 1860 South, Provo UT 84606-6154, Telephone: (801) 379-1194, Internet: mhansen@uc.usbr.gov

Dated: July 14, 1999.

Ronald Johnston,

CUP Program Director, Department of the Interior.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Bureau of Land Management

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Notice of Availability of the Proposed Resource Management Plan and Final Environmental Impact Statement for the Newcastle Field Office Administrative Area, Wyoming

AGENCY: Bureau of Land Management, Interior.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: The Bureau of Land Management (BLM) announces the availability of the Proposed Newcastle Resource Management Plan (RMP) and Final Environmental Impact Statement

(FEIS). The proposed RMP describes the proposed future management direction for approximately 291,168 acres of BLM-administered public land surface and 1,407,698 acres of BLM-administered Federal mineral estate in the Wyoming portion of the Newcastle Field Office administrative area.

If you are interested in being involved in future activity planning and implementation of management decisions addressed in the proposed RMP, please contact the Newcastle Field Office at the address below.

The Proposed Newcastle Resource Management Plan and FEIS document is a complete reprinting of the material presented in the draft EIS document. It contains updated and revised chapter narratives, maps, tables, and appendices. Therefore, it should not be necessary to refer to the draft EIS in reviewing this proposed RMP and FEIS.

The Proposed Newcastle Resource Management Plan is a comprehensive land use plan for the management of the BLM-administered public lands in the Newcastle Field Office administrative area. The proposed RMP is a refinement of the preferred alternative presented in the draft EIS. Comments from the public, review and corrections by BLM staff, and new information developed since the distribution of the draft EIS have prompted some changes in the Preferred Alternative. The environmental effects of the proposed RMP are not substantively different from those of the Preferred Alternative. The proposed RMP focuses on the resolution of key resource management issues that were identified with public involvement early in the planning process. These issues include: (1) split estate land management; (2) special management area designations; and (3) resource accessibility and manageability.

The draft EIS for the Newcastle RMP was made available for public review and comment in April 1998. Comments received on the draft EIS were considered in preparing the Proposed Newcastle RMP and FEIS.

The following are changes made to the draft EIS in preparing the FEIS as a result of the public comments received, correcting errors, and updating information.

- Three planning criteria have been added: biological diversity, leasable minerals potential, and wild and scenic rivers. None of these additional criteria caused any changes in the Preferred Alternative.
- The "Socioeconomic" section in Chapter 3 has been updated and revised using current data.