

universe of 375) from the dry cleaners' local labor union. A separate population of 100 former dry cleaning workers randomly selected from a cohort list of approximately 226 surviving women dry cleaners in a NIOSH cohort mortality study will provide descriptive data only and will not be included in the data analysis of the primary group of currently employed dry cleaners. All study participants will be mailed a packet of risk information from NIOSH, along with a letter of endorsement of the study from the local union in New York, encouraging participation in the study. The risk information packet will include the NIOSH mortality study results as well as other information about cancer

and cancer screening, with a special emphasis on cervical cancer screening.

Brief (15-minute) telephone interviews will follow the mailed notifications to workers and will be used to evaluate (1) the effects of an intervention (mailed written notification materials) on post-intervention cervical cancer screening behaviors; and (2) the effects of a reminder message mailed six months after the initial notification.

The effect of the first intervention will be measured by comparing the pre-and post-intervention screening behaviors for the year prior to the intervention. The effect of the second intervention will be evaluated experimentally (using a control group), measuring the

screening behaviors from the time of the reminder letter to the Time-2 interview 6 months later, compared to the screening behaviors at the Time-1 interview. These intervention evaluations will address barriers to cervical screening and also will allow insight into the following questions:

1. Does the outreach message have a long-term impact concerning the use of cancer screening services (message retention and actual screening behavior)?

2. Does receiving a screening reminder affect message retention and actual screening behavior?

The annualized burden for this collection is 253.3 hours.

Respondents	Number of respondents	Number of responses	Avg. burden per response (in hrs.)
Year 1 .....	400	1	20/60
Year 2 .....	360	1	20/60

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Centers for Disease Control and Prevention**

[Program Announcement 01045]

**Diabetes Programs; Notice of Availability of Funds**

**A. Purpose**

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) announces the availability of fiscal year (FY)2001 funds for grant programs entitled Diabetes Programs. This announcement is related to the focus area of Diabetes.

The purpose of the program is to reduce the disease and economic burden of diabetes, and improve the quality of life for all persons who have or are at risk for diabetes, through prevention programs.

**B. Eligible Applicants**

Assistance will only be provided to the organizations listed below. No other applications are solicited. The Conference Report H. R. 4577, Consolidated Appropriation Act 2001, specified these funds for the organizations listed below.

1.1 Fresno Community Hospital and Medical Center to support a minority focused diabetes outreach program. (\$214,767)

1.2 Diabetes -Endocrinology Center of Western New York in Buffalo for community education and outreach efforts to improve early detection, prevention, and control of diabetes. (\$198,893)

1.3 Louisiana State Health Sciences Center in Shreveport for a comprehensive diabetic education and treatment program. (\$257,720)

1.4 Center for Diabetes and Prevention Control at Texas Tech University Health Sciences Center to provide a national model of diabetes outreach, education, prevention, and care. (\$1,720,691)

**Note:** Title 2 of the United States Code, Chapter 26, Section 1611 states that an organization described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engages in lobbying activities is not eligible to receive Federal funds constituting an award, grant, cooperative agreement, contract, loan, or any other form.

**C. Availability of Funds**

Approximately \$2,392,341 is available in FY 2001 to fund four awards. It is expected that the award will begin on or about July 1, 2001, and will be made for a 12-month budget period within a one year project period. Funding estimates may change.

**D. Where To Obtain Additional Information**

Business management technical assistance may be obtained from: Barry Copeland, Grants Management

Specialist, Grants Management Branch, Procurement and Grants Office, Announcement 01045, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), 2920 Brandywine Road, Room 3000, Atlanta, GA 30341-4146, Telephone: (770) 488-2751, Email Address: bjc8@cdc.gov.

Program technical assistance may be obtained from: Dara Murphy, Division of Diabetes Translation, National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion (NCCDPHP), 4770 Buford Highway, NE, MS K-10Atlanta, Georgia 30341, Telephone: (770) 488-5193, E-Mail Address: dlm1@cdc.gov.

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