

collection of information is accurate, and based on valid assumptions and methodology; ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected.

DATES: Submit comments on or before: September 15, 2005.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Linda Nelson, Procurement Analyst, Contract Policy Division, at telephone (202) 501-1900 or via email at linda.nelson@gsa.gov.

ADDRESSES: Submit comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including suggestions for reducing this burden to Ms. Jeanette Thornton, GSA Desk Officer, OMB, Room 10236, NEOB, Washington, DC 20503, and a copy to the Regulatory Secretariat (VIR), General Services Administration, Room 4035, 1800 F Street, NW., Washington, DC 20405. Please cite OMB Control No. 3090-0262, Identification of Products with Environmental Attributes, in all correspondence.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

A. Purpose

General Services Administration (GSA) requires contractors submitting Multiple Award Schedule Contracts to identify in their GSA price lists those products that they market commercially that have environmental attributes. The identification of these products will enable Federal agencies to maximize the use of these products to meet the responsibilities expressed in statutes and executive orders.

B. Annual Reporting Burden

Respondents: 16,941.

Responses Per Respondent: 1.

Annual Responses: 16,941.

Hours Per Response: 5.

Total Burden Hours: 84,705.

Obtaining Copies of Proposals:

Requesters may obtain a copy of the information collection documents from the General Services Administration, Regulatory Secretariat (VIR), 1800 F Street, NW., Room 4035, Washington, DC 20405, telephone (202) 208-7312. Please cite OMB Control No. 3090-0262, Identification of Products with Environmental Attributes, in all correspondence.

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Acting Director, Contract Policy Division.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

[Program Announcement DP05-130]

Epidemiologic Study of Inflammatory Bowel Disease; Notice of Intent To Fund Single Eligibility Award

A. Purpose

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) announces the intent to fund fiscal year (FY) 2005 funds for a cooperative agreement program to expand on preliminary findings of Inflammatory Bowel Disease (IBD) in the United States and enhance our understanding of the demographic and clinical characteristics of IBD, variations in clinical practice, and the impact of the disease. This announcement will build on a previous epidemiologic study of the disease and be used to target interventions for groups at high risk for IBD and inform best clinical practices.

The Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance number for this program is 93.945.

B. Eligible Applicant

Assistance will be provided only to the Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America.

The Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America is the only institution eligible to submit an application in response to this RFA. The CCFA was referenced by the House and Senate in their Labor/Health and Human Services/Education (L/HHS/Ed) Committee Reports. The House language states: "For the past five years, the Committee has encouraged CDC to work in partnership with the IBD community to establish a national IBD epidemiology program to further our understanding of these diseases. The Committee understands that the Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America has provided financial support through the CDC Foundation to initiate this important program. Now that the project is established, the Committee encourages CDC to contribute to the project in order to expand the work in FY2005." The Senate language states: "An epidemiological study of IBD is needed to gain a better understanding of the prevalence of IBD in the United States and the demographic characteristics of the IBD patient population. Over the last 3 years, the Crohn's and Colitis Foundation of America has provided the CDC with \$750,000 to initiate the epidemiological study. Now that the project has been established through an investment by

the patient community, the Committee has provided \$800,000 to continue this study." The Conference Committee recommended a total of \$750,000.

The CCFA is a not-for-profit 501 (c)(03) organization, founded in 1967 "to cure and prevent Crohn's disease and ulcerative colitis through research, and to improve the quality of life of children and adults affected by these digestive disease through education and support". Since 1967, CCFA has established itself as the leading agency in the country on IBD research. It has led the efforts in identifying the research needs and developing successful strategies to meet those needs. CCFA has a national scientific advisory committee comprised of nationally renowned physicians and scientists in the field of inflammatory bowel disease. This advisory committee is the only one of its kind in the country dedicated solely to identifying and supporting emerging areas of research that could lead to the understanding of the causes and disease course of IBD. Through this scientific advisory committee and other partnerships, CCFA has developed several major initiatives to advance IBD research.

For the past three years, the CCFA scientific advisory committee has worked with the CDC to establish the informational infrastructure needed to conduct IBD research. They have built a validated disease algorithm for identifying patients with IBD and estimating the prevalence of the disease. Only CCFA has access to these algorithms and the informational infrastructure. CCFA will use the algorithms and infrastructure created, to further describe the prevalence and incidence of IBD and the impact of various clinical practices on outcomes.

The mission of CCFA, the organization's extensive network of resources, and the existing collaborative efforts with the CDC make it highly probable that CCFA will successfully achieve the activities identified in Section 1 of this RFA. CCFA is the only not-for-profit national IBD organization that promotes and provides funding for much needed IBD research. This characteristic of CCFA is unmatched by any other public or private IBD specific organization currently conducting similar activities in the United States.

The CCFA has partnered with the CDC in the establishment and initiation of this study; therefore, it is the only eligible organization to collaborate in the completion of this study.

C. Funding

Approximately \$700,000 is available in FY 2005 to fund this award. It is

expected that the award will begin on or before August 31, 2005, and will be made for a 12-month budget period within a project period of up to five years. Funding estimates may change.

D. Where To Obtain Additional Information

For general comments or questions about this announcement, contact: Technical Information Management, CDC Procurement and Grants Office, 2920 Brandywine Road, Atlanta, GA 30341-4146, telephone: 770-488-2700.

For technical questions about this program, contact: Brenda Colley Gilbert, Project Officer, 4770 Buford Highway N.E., Mailstop K-92, Atlanta, GA 30341, telephone: 770-488-8390, e-mail: BColleyGilbert@cdc.gov.

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Alan A. Kotch,

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

[Program Announcement AA226]

Provider Education and Public Awareness About Primary Immunodeficiency Disease; Notice of Intent To Fund Single Eligibility Award

A. Purpose

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) announces the intent to fund fiscal year (FY) 2005 funds for a grant program to the Jeffrey Modell Foundation for a National Campaign for Provider Education and Public Awareness about Primary Immunodeficiency (PI Disease). The purpose of the program is to strengthen the nation's capacity to carry out public health activities in the area of PI diseases by increasing physician education and public health awareness through the program for primary immune deficiency disease as implemented by the Jeffrey Modell Foundation. The objective is to disseminate educational information on a national level to public and private health care providers, educators, third-party payers, impacted families, and others who may help expedite clinical recognition and improve the health outcome for Americans with PI disease. The Catalog of Federal Domestic

Assistance number for this program is 93.283.

B. Eligible Applicant

Assistance will be provided only to the Jeffrey Modell Foundation (JMF) in accordance with language in the Conference Report to the fiscal year 2005 Appropriations (Pub. L. 108-447, H.R. Rep. No. 108-792 2004) which explains congressional intent that CDC continue to provide funding to JMF. The specific language is as follows:

"In each of last three years, Congress has made available funds for CDC to support the national physician education and public awareness campaign developed by the Jeffrey Modell Foundation. The Committee understands that the Foundation has leveraged more than seven dollars from donors and the media for every federal dollar appropriated and is a model of public-private cooperation. The Committee encourages the CDC to expand the reach of the Foundation's campaign to underserved communities, including African-American and Hispanic populations, and has provided sufficient funding to reach that critical goal. The Committee also encourages CDC to expand its programmatic activity on primary immune deficiency diseases to include pilot programs focused on newborn screening and school wellness."

The Jeffrey Modell Foundation, Inc. (JMF) was established in 1987 to address early and precise diagnosis, meaningful treatments, and ultimately cures for Primary Immunodeficiency Diseases in memory of Jeffrey Modell, who died from pneumonia due to Primary Immunodeficiency at the age of 15. It is a multi-faceted nonprofit research foundation devoted to the early and precise diagnosis, meaningful treatment, and ultimate cure of PI. The Jeffrey Modell Foundation is focused on the following Primary Immunodeficiency treatment, education, awareness and research areas: Clinical and basic research to better understand and treat Primary Immunodeficiencies; function as a national and international source for the dissemination of information and education into the diagnosis and treatment of genetic immunodeficiencies; advocates on behalf of patients and families to assure access to excellent and comprehensive care; promote awareness of Primary Immunodeficiency diseases through programs involving lay, scientific, and medical communities; and addressing quality of life concerns for patients with Primary Immunodeficiency diseases. The activities that are conducted to achieve the above objectives and focuses consist of but are not limited to the following: Sponsored symposiums and workshops; support for research and

training; and the provision of diagnostic, clinical, and education services. The Foundation supports a 24-hour-a-day national hotline, which offers information and referrals to immunologists at major medical centers around the country. We are not aware of another organization with a similar background, approach, and as broad a reach in the spectrum of issues related to Primary Immunodeficiency diseases such as the international focus, service delivery, and quality of life for PI patients and their families, and the other areas referenced above.

No other applications are solicited.

C. Funding

Approximately \$2,458,778 is available in FY 2005 to fund this award. It is expected that the award will begin on or before August 31, 2005, and will be made for a 12-month budget period within a project period of up to five years. Funding estimates may change.

D. Where To Obtain Additional Information

For general comments or questions about this announcement, contact: Technical Information Management, CDC Procurement and Grants Office, 2920 Brandywine Road, Atlanta, GA 30341-4146, telephone: (770) 488-2700.

For technical questions about this program, contact: Leah Simpson, M.B.A., Project Officer, 2877 Brandywine Road, Suite 4847, Atlanta, GA 30341, telephone: (770) 488-8395, e-mail: LSimpson@cdc.gov.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Strengthening Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs) and Private-Sector Care Networks in the Republic of India as Part of the President's Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief

Announcement Type: New.

Funding Opportunity Number: CDC-RFA-AA058.

Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number: 93.067.

Key Dates: Application Deadline: September 9, 2005.