Older adults (aged 36+) living with SCD.

Total ................................................. ................................................. ................................................. ................................................. 204

Dated: July 13, 2011.
Daniel L. Holcomb, Reports Clearance Officer, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Announcement of Grant Award

AGENCY: Office of Community Services, ACF, HHS.

ACTION: Announcement of the Award of a Grant in Aid to the United Way of Abilene, Inc., Abilene, TX.

CFDA Number: 93.602.


SUMMARY: The purpose of this award is to enable the United Way of Abilene, Inc. to implement an Assets for Independence (AFI) project helping program participants save earned income in special-purpose, matched savings accounts called Individual Development Accounts (IDAs). Every dollar in savings deposited into an IDA by participants is matched, from $1 to $8 combined Federal and non-Federal funds, promoting savings and enabling participants to acquire a lasting economic asset. AFI project families use their IDA savings, including the matching funds, to achieve any of three objectives: Acquiring a first home; capitalizing a small business; or enrolling in postsecondary education or training.

Additionally, the United Way of Abilene, Inc. provides basic financial management training and supportive services, such as financial education on owning and managing a bank account; credit counseling and repair; guidance in accessing refundable tax credits, including the Earned Income Tax Credit and the Child Tax Credit; and specialized training in owning particular economic assets for the long term.

DATES: The project period for this award is November 1, 2011 through March 31, 2013.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
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Dated: July 13, 2011.
Lynda E. Perez, Acting Director, Division of Community Demonstration Programs, Office of Community Services.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
Jennifer Brooks, Office of Planning, Research, and Evaluation, e-mail jennifer.brooks@acf.hhs.gov or call (202) 205–8212.

Agenda: The Committee will review information on the federal and Early Head Start programs and the children and families they serve, and learn about the latest research in the area of health and mental health, cultural and linguistic responsiveness, and other topic areas related to early childhood education and development.

Procedure: Interested persons may present data, information or views, in writing, on issues pending before the Committee. Written submissions may be made to Jennifer Brooks at jennifer.brooks@acf.hhs.gov on or before September 1, 2011. All written materials provided to the contact person will be shared with the Committee members.

ACF welcomes the attendance of the public at this advisory committee meeting.