

Public Law 98-555
98th Congress

An Act

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[S. 2301]

To revise and extend programs for the provision of health services and preventive health services, and for other purposes.

Preventive
Health
Amendments of
1984.

42 USC 201 note.

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Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That (a) this Act may be cited as the "Preventive Health Amendments of 1984".

(b) Whenever in this Act an amendment or repeal is expressed in terms of an amendment to, or repeal of, a section or other provision, the reference shall be considered to be made to a section or other provision of the Public Health Service Act.

SEC. 2. (a) Section 317(j)(1) (42 U.S.C. 247b(j)(1)) is amended—

(1) by striking out "immunize children against immunizable diseases" and inserting in lieu thereof "immunize individuals against vaccine-preventable diseases", and

(2) by striking out "and" after "1983," and by inserting before the period a comma and the following: "\$52,000,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1985, \$59,000,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1986, and \$65,000,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1987".

(b) Section 317(j)(2) is amended by striking out "and" after "1983," and by inserting before the period a comma and the following: "\$8,000,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1985, \$9,000,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1986, and \$10,000,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1987".

SEC. 3. (a) The first sentence of section 318(d)(1) (42 U.S.C. 247c(d)(1)) is amended by striking out "and" after "1983," and by inserting before the period a comma and the following: "\$57,000,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1985, \$62,500,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1986, and \$68,000,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1987".

(b)(1) Subsection (a) of section 318 is amended by striking out "research" and all that follows in such section and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "research in, and training and public health programs for, the prevention and control of sexually transmitted diseases."

(2) Subsection (b) of section 318 is amended to read as follows:

"(b) The Secretary may make grants to States, political subdivisions of States, and any other public and nonprofit private entity for—

"(1) research into the prevention and control of sexually transmitted diseases;

"(2) demonstration projects for the prevention and control of sexually transmitted diseases;

"(3) public information and education programs for the prevention and control of such diseases, and

"(4) education, training, and clinical skills improvement activities in the prevention and control of such diseases for health professionals (including allied health personnel)."

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(3) Subsection (c) of section 318 is amended by inserting "and" at the end of paragraph (3), by striking out paragraph (4), and by redesignating paragraph (5) as paragraph (4).

42 USC 247c.

(4) The second sentence of section 318(d)(1) is amended by striking out "5 per centum" and inserting in lieu thereof "10 per centum".

(5)(A) Section 318 is amended by redesignating subsections (d) through (f) as subsections (e) through (g) and by adding after subsection (c) the following new subsection:

"(d) The Secretary, acting through the Director of the Centers for Disease Control, may make grants to public and nonprofit private entities for information and education programs on, and for the diagnosis, prevention, and control of, acquired immune deficiency syndrome. The authority to make grants under this section for acquired immune deficiency syndrome is not the exclusive authority to make grants under this Act for acquired immune deficiency syndrome."

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(B) Subsection (e)(1) of section 318 (as so redesignated) is amended—

(i) by striking out "(b) and (c)" in the first sentence and inserting in lieu thereof "(b), (c), and (d)",

(ii) by striking out "(b) or (c)" in the second sentence and inserting in lieu thereof "(b), (c), or (d)", and

(iii) by adding at the end the following: "If the appropriations under the first sentence for fiscal year 1985 exceed \$50,000,000, one-half of the amount in excess of \$50,000,000 shall be made available for grants under subsection (d); if the appropriations under the first sentence for fiscal year 1986 exceed \$52,500,000, one-half of the amount in excess of \$52,500,000 shall be made available for such grants; and if the appropriations under the first sentence for fiscal year 1987 exceed \$55,000,000, one-half of the amount in excess of \$55,000,000 shall be made available for such grants."

(6)(A) Section 318 is amended by striking out "venereal disease" each place it occurs and inserting in lieu thereof "sexually transmitted diseases".

(B) The heading for such section 318 is amended by striking out "VENEREAL DISEASE" and inserting in lieu thereof "SEXUALLY TRANSMITTED DISEASES AND ACQUIRED IMMUNE DEFICIENCY SYNDROME".

(C) Section 318 is amended by striking out the subsection (g) which was in effect on the day before the date of enactment of this Act.

SEC. 4. (a) Section 1901(a) (42 U.S.C. 300w(a)) is amended by striking out "and" after "1983," and by inserting before the period a comma and the following: "\$98,500,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1985, \$98,500,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1986, and \$98,500,000 for the fiscal year ending September 30, 1987".

(b) Section 1901(b) is amended by striking out "\$3,000,000" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$3,500,000".

SEC. 5. (a) Section 1905(c) (42 U.S.C. 300w-4) is amended by striking out paragraphs (2) and (4) and redesignating paragraphs (3) and (5) through (8) as paragraphs (2) through (6), respectively.

(b) Section 1906(a)(1)(B) (42 U.S.C. 300w-5) is amended by striking out "activities of the State under this part" and inserting in lieu thereof "preventive health and preventive health services programs in the State assisted by funds from allotments under this part, including a summary of the services which were provided, the

providers of such services, and the individuals who received such services”.

42 USC 300w-5.
Public
information.

(c) Section 1906 is amended by adding at the end the following:
“(d) The Secretary, in consultation with appropriate national organizations, shall develop model criteria and forms for the collection of data and information with respect to services provided under this part to enable States to share uniform data and information with respect to the provision of such services.”.

42 USC 300w-4.

(d) Subsection (e) of section 1905 is repealed.

SEC. 6. (a) Section 339(a)(5) (42 U.S.C. 255(a)(5)) is amended by striking out “and” after “1983,” and by inserting before the period a comma and “September 30, 1985, September 30, 1986, and September 30, 1987”.

(b) Section 339(b)(5) is amended by striking out “and” after “1983,” and by inserting before the period a comma and “September 30, 1985, September 30, 1986, and September 30, 1987”.

SEC. 7. Part A of title XIX is amended by inserting after section 1909 (42 U.S.C. 300w-8) the following new section:

“EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES FOR CHILDREN

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42 USC 300w-9.

“SEC. 1910. (a) For activities in addition to the activities which may be carried out by States under section 1904(a)(1)(F), the Secretary may make grants to not more than four States in any fiscal year to support a program of demonstration projects in such States for the expansion and improvement of emergency medical services for children who need treatment for trauma or critical care. Any grant made under this subsection shall be for a one-year period.

“(b) The Secretary may renew a grant made under subsection (a) for one additional one-year period only if the Secretary determines that renewal of such grant will provide significant benefits through the collection, analysis, and dissemination of information or data which will be useful to other States.

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authorization.

“(c) To carry out this section, there are authorized to be appropriated \$2,000,000 for fiscal year 1985 and for each of the two succeeding fiscal years.”.

SEC. 8. Part A of title XIX (as amended by section 7 of this Act) is amended by adding at the end the following new section:

"STATE PLANNING GRANTS"

"SEC. 1910A. (a) The Secretary may make grants to assist States to— 42 USC 300w-10.

"(1) develop long range plans to achieve the goals, objectives, and priorities established by the Secretary pursuant to title XVII;

"(2) identify particular needs within States for services and activities that may be conducted with payments made under allotments under section 1902; and

"(3) determine the progress of States in achieving the goals, objectives, and priorities described in paragraph (1) and, to the extent feasible, use scientifically valid measures to make such determinations.

"(b) To carry out this section, there are authorized to be appropriated \$5,000,000 for fiscal year 1985 and for each of the two succeeding fiscal years."

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SEC. 9. Section 1001 (42 U.S.C. 300) is amended by redesignating subsection (c) as subsection (d) and by inserting after subsection (b) the following new subsection:

"(c) The Secretary, at the request of a recipient of a grant under subsection (a), may reduce the amount of such grant by the fair market value of any supplies or equipment furnished the grant recipient by the Secretary. The amount by which any such grant is so reduced shall be available for payment by the Secretary of the costs incurred in furnishing the supplies or equipment on which the reduction of such grant is based. Such amount shall be deemed as part of the grant and shall be deemed to have been paid to the grant recipient."

Approved October 30, 1984.

LEGISLATIVE HISTORY—S. 2301 (H.R. 5538):

HOUSE REPORT No. 98-1063 accompanying H.R. 5538 (Comm. on Energy and Commerce).

SENATE REPORT No. 98-393 (Comm. on Labor and Human Resources).

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Sept. 28, considered and passed Senate.

Oct. 1, H.R. 5538 considered and passed House; S. 2301, amended, passed in lieu.

Oct. 9, Senate concurred in House amendment with an amendment; House concurred in Senate amendment.