

obesity and other chronic diseases. (10 points).

b. Implement the State comprehensive plan for nutrition and physical activity and review and update the plan periodically. Develop mini-grants and other mechanisms to support communities to adopt effective interventions. (10 points).

c. Evaluate progress and impact of the State plan and intervention projects. (10 points).

d. Identify, assess, or develop data sources to further define and monitor the burden of obesity. (6 points).

e. Expand the existing coordinated nutrition and physical activity program infrastructure. (5 points).

f. Expand partnerships with State Health Department units, the State Education Agency, other State agencies, local communities, and private partners to maximize impacts of the comprehensive program (3 points).

g. Collaborate with partners on secondary prevention strategies. (3 points).

h. Develop resources and training materials to help other State and local projects to adopt successful programs. (3 points).

6. *Budget and Justification (Not weighted)*. The extent to which the line item budget justification is reasonable and consistent with the purpose and program goal(s) and objectives of the cooperative agreement. (Both programs).

7. *Human Subjects (Not weighted)*. Does the application adequately address the requirements of Title 45 CFR Part 46 for the protection of human subjects? (Both programs).

The degree to which the applicant has met the CDC Policy requirements regarding the inclusion of women, ethnic, and racial groups in any proposed research. This includes:

a. The proposed plan for the inclusion of both sexes and racial and ethnic minority populations for appropriate representation.

b. The proposed justification when representation is limited or absent.

c. A statement as to whether the design of the study is adequate to measure differences when warranted.

d. A statement as to whether the plans for recruitment and outreach for study participants include the process of establishing partnerships with community(ies) and recognition of mutual benefits.

Program Performance Measures

See Appendix C for the framework that will be used for measuring performance of the State Programs. Capacity Building Performance Measures for transitioning to basic

implementation programs should include evidence that the applicant has significant capacity as specified in the Capacity Building Program Recipient Activities 1–6 and the program evaluation plan (See Attachment 10 located at <http://www.cdc.gov/nccdphp/dnpa/rfainformation.htm>) covering the following measurement areas:

1. Evidence of States conducting strategic planning activities to develop a comprehensive State nutrition and physical activity plan to prevent and control obesity and other chronic diseases.

2. Evidence that a quality comprehensive State nutrition and physical activity plan to prevent and control obesity and other chronic diseases promotes coordination of activities across all relevant State and community programs in which relevant partners are identified in substantive roles.

3. Evidence of at least one community that implemented a nutrition and physical activity plan for the prevention and control of obesity and other chronic diseases.

4. Evidence of outcomes/impacts of at least one intervention evaluating nutrition and physical activity strategies to prevent or control obesity and other chronic diseases.

5. Evidence of State or community nutrition and physical activity policies, environmental supports, and/or legislative actions that were initiated, modified, or planned for the prevention or control of obesity and other chronic diseases.

Five-Year Performance Measures for State Nutrition and Physical Activity Programs include:

1. Evidence that communities have implemented a nutrition and physical activity plan for the prevention and control of obesity and other chronic diseases.

2. Evidence of outcomes/impacts of interventions evaluating nutrition and physical activity strategies to prevent or control obesity and other chronic diseases.

3. Evidence of State or community nutrition and physical activity policies, environmental supports, and/or legislative actions that were initiated, modified, or planned for the prevention or control of obesity and other chronic diseases.

4. Evidence of increased physical activity and better dietary behaviors in communities reached through interventions.

5. Evidence that the levels of obesity decrease or the rate of growth of obesity is reduced in communities reached through interventions.

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D.3. Availability of Funds

Approximately \$9,200,000 is available to fund approximately 12 awards for grantees currently funded under program announcements 99135, 00115, and 01098. These grantees are only eligible for the second funding level (See Appendix A). To determine eligibility for first or second funding level see Appendices A and B which is found at the bottom of this document and at the CDC Web site address at <http://www.cdc.gov/od/pgo/funding/grantmain.htm>. Scroll down the Web page to “Chronic Disease Prevention/Health Promotion Heading.” Click on Program Announcement Number 03022. The attachments will be located at the bottom of the program announcement. The project period is five years. The average award for Standard Demonstration Projects will be approximately \$500,000. Projects that screen substantially more women than 2,500 per year and exceed the performance expectations may qualify for higher awards. Information on performance expectations are found in Appendix B which is found at the bottom of this document and at the CDC Web site address <http://www.cdc.gov/od/pgo/funding/grantmain.htm>. Scroll down the Web page to “Chronic Disease Prevention/Health Promotion Heading.” Click on Program Announcement Number 03022. The attachments will be located at the bottom of the program announcement. The average award for Enhanced Projects will be approximately \$1,000,000.

In addition, approximately \$750,000 is available in FY 2003 to fund up to three WISEWOMAN Projects at the first funding level. Requests for these funds will be competitive. The project period is five years. In the first year, Standard Demonstration Project funding will range from \$50,000 to \$250,000. If all performance measures (see Appendix B) are completed at the first funding level, applicants may apply for the second funding level through their continuation applications.

Use of Funds

60/40 Requirements: Not less than 60 percent of cooperative agreement funds must be spent for screening, tracking, follow-up, lifestyle intervention, health education, and the provision of appropriate individually provided support services. Cooperative agreement funds supporting public education and outreach, professional education, quality assurance and improvement,