

Nottoway; Chesterfield; Dinwiddie; Sussex; Charles City; New Kent; Hanover

VI—St. Thomas; St. Croix; St. John  
WI—State wide coverage

*Review Criteria:* Final Review Criteria are included in the Application kit.

*Funding Preferences:* Preference for Funding will be given to Projects that support a comprehensive, Coordinated system of HIV care serving HIV-infected Women, Infants, Children and Youth, and their families, and are linked with or have initiated activities to link with clinical trials or other Research

*Estimated Amount of this Competition:* \$22,276,300.

*Estimated Number of Awards:* 32.

*Estimated Project Period:* 3 years.

**HRSA-04-047 Title IV: Grants for Coordinated HIV Services and Access to Research for Women, Infants, Children, and Youth (CSWICY)**

*Application Availability Date:*

November 5, 2003.

*Application Deadline:* January 5, 2004.

*Projected Award Date:* August 1, 2004.

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**HRSA-04-048 Title IV: Grants for Coordinated HIV Services and Access to Research for Women, Infants, Children, and Youth: Youth Services Initiative (CSWICY: YSI)**

*CFDA:* 93.153.

*Legislative Authority:* Public Health Service Act, Section 2671, 42 U.S.C. 300ff-71.

*Purpose:* The purpose of this initiative is to foster and expand systems of health care and social support services for youth (age 13-24) at risk for or infected with HIV in order to identify infected youth and enroll them in HIV primary care. Grantees will identify additional HIV infected youth and develop, coordinate and provide support services to enroll and maintain them in primary medical care. Adolescent clients should be enrolled into care early in the spectrum of disease and managed throughout the infection. In partnership with other Ryan White funded programs or other agencies, applicants will integrate youth services into existing systems of care to provide access to comprehensive, coordinated primary care, research and social support services.

*Eligibility:* Eligible organizations are public or private nonprofit entities that

provide or arrange for primary care. Current grantees and new organizations proposing to serve the same patients and populations currently being serviced by these existing projects are eligible to apply. Faith-based and community-based organizations are eligible to apply.

#### Limited Competition

Applications are limited to the areas where project periods expire in FY 2004. These areas are:

CA—Alameda; San Francisco; Los Angeles

DC—District of Columbia

FL—Hillsborough; Pinellas

IL—Cook; Dupage; Douglas; Lake

MA—Norfolk; Suffolk; Middlesex

MD—State Wide Coverage

NY—New York; Manhattan

PR—Island Wide

TN—Shelby; Tipton; Fayette; AR  
Crittenden

TX—Willacy; Cameron; Hidalgo; Dallas; Houston; Harrison

*Review Criteria:* Final review criteria are included in the application kit.

*Funding Priorities:* Priority will be given to applicants with a history of working with youth, especially youth infected with HIV. Priority will be given to projects proposed in geographic areas where epidemiologic data demonstrate high numbers of infected youth. This funding priority is consistent with Congressional direction to bridge targeted prevention and medical care and treatment services to youth and young adults.

*Funding Preferences:* Preference will be given to currently funded adolescent programs that have enrolled significant numbers of HIV infected youth into a primary care system during the previous project period.

*Estimated Amount of This*

*Competition:* 5,928,779.

*Estimated Number of Awards:* 16.

*Estimated Project Period:* 3 years.

**HRSA-04-048 Title IV: Grants for Coordinated HIV Services and Access to Research for Women, Infants, Children, and Youth: Youth Services Initiative (CSWICY: YSI)**

*Application Availability Date:*  
February 1, 2004.

*Application Deadline:* April 1, 2004.

*Projected Award Date:* September 1, 2004.

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**HRSA-04-005 Title III: Categorical Grant Program To Provide Outpatient Early Intervention Services With Respect to HIV Disease (EISEGA)**

*CFDA:* 93.918.

*Legislative Authority:* Public Health Service Act, Section 2651, 42 U.S.C. 300ff-51.

*Purpose:* The purpose of this funding is to provide, on an ongoing outpatient basis, high quality early intervention services/primary care to individuals with HIV infection. This is accomplished by increasing the present capacity and capability of eligible ambulatory health service entities. These expanded services become part of a continuum of HIV prevention and care for individuals who are at risk for HIV infections or are HIV infected. All early intervention services (EIS) programs must provide: HIV counseling and testing; counseling and education on living with HIV; appropriate medical evaluation and clinical care; and other essential services such as oral health care, outpatient mental health services, outpatient substance abuse services and nutritional services, and appropriate referrals for specialty services.

For the EIS Grants, a major focus is on increasing access to HIV primary care and support services for communities of color. Funding available through the Minority AIDS Initiative has improved our ability to fund indigenous organizations and those serving communities of color to deliver and implement culturally/linguistically proficient primary care HIV services. Funding preferences have been established for organizations serving communities of color that are highly affected by HIV/AIDS in an effort to improve care, and reduce disparities in health outcomes. These preferences are consistent with Congressional direction to maximize the participation of minority community-based organizations in delivering Early Intervention Services.

*Eligibility:* Applicants are limited to public or private nonprofit entities that are currently funded Title III programs whose project periods expire in FY 2004 or FY 2005 and new organizations proposing to serve the same patients and populations currently being serviced by these existing projects. Grantees must be public or private nonprofit agencies. These may include but are not limited to: Consolidated Health Center Programs (Community Health Centers, Migrant Health Centers, Health Care for the Homeless, Public Housing Primary Care and Healthy Schools, Healthy Communities) receiving support under Section 330 of the PHS