

68, Number 228, pages 66442–66447. The notice is amended as follows: On page 66447, Column 1, Section “VI. Award Administration Information,” on line 4 in the first paragraph after the “AR–25” requirement, delete “\$250,000” and replace with “\$500,000.”

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

#### [Program Announcement 04054]

#### Youth Violence Prevention Through Community-Level Change; Notice of Availability of Funds-Amendment

A notice announcing the availability of fiscal year (FY) 2004 funds for Youth Violence Prevention Through Community-Level Change was published in the **Federal Register** on December 2, 2003, Volume 68, Number 231, pages 67450–67455. The notice is amended as follows: On page 67453, Column 2, Section “IV. Application and Submission Information,” under 5. Funding Restrictions, at the end of the paragraph add the word “None” and move Funding Priority and Funding Preference to page 67450, Column 3, Section “I. Funding Opportunity Description” after Research Objectives.

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#### National Organization Strategies for the Prevention, Early Detection and Control of Chronic Disease by Chief Elected Officials of Cities

*Announcement Type:* New.  
*Funding Opportunity Number:* 04072.  
*Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Number:* 93.283.

*Key Dates: Application Deadline:* February 13, 2004.

#### I. Funding Opportunity Description

*Authority:* This program is authorized under section 301(a) of the Public Health Service Act, (42 U.S.C. 241(a)).

*Purpose:* The purpose of the program is to support a national organization in the development and implementation of educational initiatives that can be used by chief elected officials in applying effective strategies to prevent and control cancer and other chronic diseases, chronic disease risk factors, and chronic disease health disparities in their cities. This program addresses the “Healthy People 2010” focus areas of: Tobacco Use; Physical Activity and Fitness; Nutrition and Overweight; Public Health Infrastructure; Oral Health; Arthritis; Osteoporosis and Chronic Back Conditions; Educational and Community-Based Programs; Adolescent and School Health; Cancer; Diabetes; Disability and Secondary Condition; Health Communication; Heart Disease and Stroke; Maternal; Infant and Child Health; Substance Abuse. To accomplish the purpose of this program announcement, components of the project are to be addressed as indicated in section “IV.2. Content and Form of Submission” of this program announcement.

Measurable outcomes of the program will be in alignment with one (or more) of the following performance goals for the National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion (NCCDPHP):

- Promote health and reduce chronic disease associated with diet and weight.
- Improve health, fitness and quality of life through daily physical activity.
- Reduce illness, disability, and death related to tobacco use and exposure to secondhand smoke.
- Increase the proportion of women aged 40 years and older who have received a mammogram within the preceding two years.
- Increase the proportion of adults who receive a colorectal cancer screening examination.
- Increase the proportion of women who receive a Pap test.
- Increase the proportion of cancer survivors who are living 5 years or longer after diagnosis.
- Improve cardiovascular health and quality of life through the prevention, detection, and treatment of risk factors; early identification and treatment of heart attacks and strokes; and prevention of recurrent cardiovascular events.
- Through prevention programs, reduce the disease and economic

burden of diabetes, and improve the quality of life for all persons who have or are at risk for diabetes.

- To support the missions of other chronic disease prevention and control programs at the National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion.

#### *Activities:*

Awardee activities for this program are as follows:

a. Develop educational initiatives and provide an informational forum on cancer and other chronic disease prevention and health promotion issues in local communities. This activity may include a diversity of media such as printed materials, websites, and conferences.

b. Provide constituents with accurate, comprehensive and timely information on cancer and other chronic disease prevention and health promotion and control issues to encourage the formulation of educational programming.

c. Participate in CDC-sponsored meetings and events, as appropriate.

d. Coordinate activities with the National Association of County and City Health Officers, and local organizations within the scope of this program announcement, when feasible and appropriate.

e. Establish specific, measurable, and realistic short-term (one year) and long-term (three year) program objectives that are consistent with the purpose of this program announcement. Develop a well-designed evaluation plan of each goal and objective. Performance will be based on the submission of realistic, time-phased, and achievable goals and objectives.

f. Identify and select appropriate staff, based on experience and capability, to successfully implement the program activities.

In a cooperative agreement, CDC staff is substantially involved in the program activities, above and beyond routine grant monitoring.

CDC Activities for this program are as follows:

a. Partner with recipients in the development, implementation, evaluation, and dissemination of programs designed to improve knowledge and attitudes to prevent and control cancer and other chronic disease within constituent communities.

b. Provide periodic updates about public knowledge, attitudes, and practices regarding chronic disease prevention and control, including up-to-date scientific information.

c. Partner with recipient to identify appropriate and specific venues to share and disseminate information.