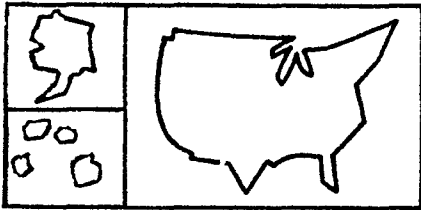


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"The addition of Section 910 to Public Law 90-574,  
the first extension of Public Law 89-239 which  
established Regional Medical Programs, provided  
a new grant authority designed to promote  
interregional cooperation and facilitate the  
funding of services needed by, or of substantial  
use to, any two or more Regional Medical Programs."

Since both the legislation for extension of Regional Medical Programs  
and the appropriations legislation for FY 1971 are still under consideration  
by the Congress, it is not possible to know the extent to which it will be  
possible to allocate grant funds for Multi-Program Services Project Grants;  
nor to specifically identify the "areas of national concerns, needs, and  
priorities" discussed under Purposes on page 2 in the Guidelines.

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