

TARGETED STATES - FY 2005
Crop Insurance Education and Information Program

Targeted State	Organization	Contact	Amount	Objective
Connecticut	Connecticut Dept. of Agriculture	Ronald Olsen (860) 713-2550	\$225,000	To provide training to producers in the State of Connecticut to assure that they are sufficiently informed and able to take full advantage of the benefits of the Federal Crop Insurance Program.
Delaware	LC Consulting, Inc.	Lana Cusick (816) 322-1890	\$162,008	To provide training to producers in the State of Delaware to assure that they are sufficiently informed and able to take full advantage of the benefits of the Federal Crop Insurance Program.
Maine	University of Maine, Cooperative Extension	John Rebar (207) 581-3238	\$225,000	To provide producers in the State of Maine with sufficient crop insurance education and information so as to take full advantage of existing and emerging crop insurance programs.
Maryland	Maryland Department of Agriculture	Mark Powell (410) 841-5775	\$370,000	To provide producers in the State of Maryland crop insurance education and information so as to increase awareness and use of crop insurance, reducing the financial risks producers face from uncertain weather and market conditions.
Massachusetts	The New England Small Farm Institute	Kathryn Z. Ruhf (413) 323-9878	\$209,000	To provide training to producers in the State of Massachusetts to assure that they are sufficiently informed and able to take full advantage of the benefits of the Federal Crop Insurance Program.
Nevada	Custom Ag Solutions	Brett Crosby (307) 548-9636	\$207,992	To provide crop insurance education to Nevada producers on the use of crop insurance and risk management tools.
New Hampshire	University of New Hampshire-Cooperative Extension	Michael Sciabarrasi (603) 862-3234	\$173,000	To provide education and information on crop and revenue insurance to New Hampshire farmers.
New Jersey	New Jersey Department of Agriculture	Robert Bruch (609) 984-2503	\$272,000	To improve the financial health of all farmers, increase their skill and knowledge in using crop insurance, and to increase crop insurance participation as additional products and program become available.
New York	New York Dept. of Ag. & Markets	William Jordan (518) 457-0752	\$617,000	To provide training to producers in the State of New York to assure that they are sufficiently informed and able to take full advantage of the benefits of the Federal Crop Insurance Program.

Pennsylvania	Pennsylvania Department of Agriculture	Ms. Kyle Nagurny (717) 772-3094	\$754,000	To provide producers in the State of Pennsylvania crop insurance education and information so as to better understand the components of crop insurance, crop insurance producers, and the benefits of owning crop insurance.
Rhode Island	National Crop Insurance Services, Inc.	Laurence Crane (800) 951-6247	\$157,000	To develop an applied and practical education program consisting of workshops, a direct-mail publication and a series of interactive learning modules.
Utah	Utah State University	Dr. E. Bruce Godfrey (435) 797-2294	\$300,972	To provide crop insurance educational programs and materials for farmers and ranchers in Utah to increase producer awareness of the alternatives available and to assist producers in evaluating the benefits and costs of participation in crop insurance.
Vermont	University of Vermont	Robert Parsons (802) 656-2109	\$225,999	To develop a multi-dimensional program by providing educational material on crop insurance, direct mailings, workshops, news articles and farm visits.
West Virginia	West Virginia Department of Agriculture	Tom McConnell (304) 293-6131 Ext. 4237	\$209,000	To increase the number of farm families who use crop insurance as a tool to manage risk through train-the-trainer, producer meetings, mass media, and one-on-one consultations.
Wyoming	University of Wyoming	John Hewlett (307)766-2166	\$293,000	To provide crop insurance and risk management education to farmers and ranchers in Wyoming and facilitate the effective use of crop insurance and risk management tools available for crops and commodities produced in Wyoming.