

GRANT ANALYSIS FORM

OPERATING & CAPITAL GRANT PROJECTS/PROGRAMS

Department/Division: **Health Department**

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Category of Request

New Grant

Grant Continuation

Change in Previously Approved Grant

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Project/Program Title: HUD Healthy Homes Demonstration Grant – Economic Stimulus Funding

Grantor Agency: U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development

Grant Application Date: July 17, 2008

Anticipated Award Date: April 15, 2009

Please provide the following information:

1. Description of Grant Project/Program (Include Target Locations and Populations):

This grant supports housing and community-based healthy homes initiative in the 53206 zip code. It incorporates a research based healthy housing standard to maximize the number of: 1) children protected from asthma triggers within the housing unit, and 2) interior safety hazards to the housing unit. The proposed strategy targets one of the most at-risk zip codes in the City of Milwaukee for childhood asthma.

2. Relationship to City-wide Strategic Goals and Departmental Objectives:

The Home Environmental Health (HEH) Program within the City of Milwaukee Health Department (MHD) has a long history of dealing with environmental hazards in the home environment. MHD is committed to make the City of Milwaukee the healthiest city in the nation. HEH is committed on working towards this goal by expanding efforts in addressing additional health hazards in the home beyond lead paint hazards.

3. Need for Grant Funds and Impact on Other Departmental Operations (Applies only to Programs):

According to the Asthma and Allergy Foundation of America, The City of Milwaukee currently ranks number two on the list of worst cities to live in with Asthma. The Home Environmental Health (HEH) program does not currently have funding to address asthma issues within the City of Milwaukee. With this funding, HEH will be able to provide low cost measures to families within the 53206 zip code to address Asthma triggers and other safety issues within the household. Additionally the program will leverage the experience that HEH currently has with regards to lead poisoning to address those hazards when applicable.

4. Results Measurement/Progress Report (Applies only to Programs):

Activities and results will be measured at a variety of methods, including: daily data collection in the field, enrollment forms, and within an Excel database which tracks specific information on each housing unit that receives healthy homes services. Furthermore, key housing activity data will be tracked on a monthly basis and reported to HUD each quarter.

5. Grant Period, Timetable and Program Phase-out Plan:

The grant will fund staff and healthy homes efforts for three years, from April 15, 2009 through April 15, 2012, and assure completion of enrollment of 120 properties into the healthy homes demonstration grant.

6. Provide a List of Subgrantees:

Dominican Center for Women
Medical College of Wisconsin
TBD for Moisture Control
TBD for Occupant Relocation

7. If Possible, Complete Grant Budget Form and Attach.

See attached.