Step 6: View Abstracts

**Bureau Name:** Children's Bureau  
**Grant Number:** 90CG2658  
**Target Population:** Child welfare service providers and professionals  
**Fiscal Year:** 2006

**GRANTEE INFORMATION:**

**Name:** Lutheran Social Services of South Dakota  
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**Suite 200**  
**City/State/Zip Code:** Sioux Falls, SD 57105-6048  
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**OTHER GRANT INFORMATION:**

**Amount of Award:** $786,057.00  
**Program Name:** Infant Adoption Awareness Training Program  
**Project Period:** 9/30/2006-9/29/2011  
**ACF Region:** 8  
**Congressional District Served:** 1  
**Related Links:** [http://www.lsssd.org/](http://www.lsssd.org/)

**ABSTRACT:**

9/18/2007
Organization Description: Lutheran Social Services of South Dakota is currently an Infant Adoption Awareness Training Program (IAATP) grantee serving Region VIII, which is comprised of six states: Colorado, North Dakota, Montana, South Dakota, Utah and Wyoming. Lutheran Social Services of South Dakota, a statewide, faith-based organization, has been providing infant adoption services since 1920. The agency serves more than 34,000 people each year through a variety of human service programs in 26 communities. Lutheran Social Services of South Dakota is accredited by the Council on Accreditation for Children and Family Services and licensed by the State of South Dakota. The agency is also a member of the national Lutheran Adoption Network.

Use(s) of ACF Program Grant Funds: Lutheran Social Services of South Dakota plans to continue to serve the States of South Dakota, North Dakota, Montana and Wyoming, as well as add Colorado and Utah to expand their services. Flexible training opportunities, which are specific to the states in which they are offered and culturally cognizant of the staffing challenges faced by rural health care facilities, will continue to be provided. Collaborating with other national and regional grantees will provide the opportunity to modify and update the current Unified Curriculum.

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