Step 6: View Abstracts

Bureau Name: Children's Bureau
Grant Number: 90CO1031
Target Population: Adoptive couples
Fiscal Year: 2006

GRANTEE INFORMATION:

Name: Children's Home & Aid Society of Illinois
Address: 910 2nd Ave.
City/State/Zip Code: Rockford, IL 61104
Principal Contact Person: Warren E. Heinke
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OTHER GRANT INFORMATION:

Amount of Award: $1,250,000.00
Program Name: Demonstration Projects in Post-Adoption Services and Marriage Education
ACF Region: 5
Congressional District Served: 16
Related Links:

ABSTRACT:

Organization Description: Founded in 1883, Children's Home & Aid Society of Illinois continues a
mission of giving help, hope, and opportunity to children with a variety of emotional, physical, and behavioral needs. Each year more than 40,000 children and families in Illinois are assisted through services like adoption, foster care, education, counseling, and child abuse prevention.

**Use(s) of ACF Program Grant Funds:**
This demonstration project seeks to increase the services provided to adoptive families using a prevention framework and will extend adoption education and support to families awaiting legalization of the adoption to minimize the stressors families experience as finalization approaches. The proposed project aims to serve a minimum of 150 adoptive or subsidized guardianship families. Services will include marriage enhancement education, adoption education, and therapeutic groups and retreats.

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