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Bureau Name: Children's Bureau  Grant Number: 90CB0150
Target Population: Abandoned infants  Fiscal Year: 2005

GRANTEE INFORMATION:

Name: Baltimore Pediatric HIV Program, Inc.
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OTHER GRANT INFORMATION:

Amount of Award: $306,709.00
Program Name: Abandoned Infant Projects
ACF Region: 3
Congressional District Served: 7
Related Links:

ABSTRACT:

Organization Description: Baltimore Pediatric HIV Program, Inc (BPHIVP) is a community-based, non-profit program with 501 (c)3 status and is certified as a Minority Business Enterprise. BPHIVP provides comprehensive services to children and families who are infected/affected by HIV/AIDS. The services encompasses a day respite care which is developmentally and educationally appropriate to children 2-6 years, psychosocial services for HIV positive clients and relative caregivers, client advocacy, crisis intervention and community advocacy.

Use(s) of ACF Program Grant Funds: Baltimore Pediatric HIV Program-Family Matters (BPHIVP-FM) proposes a 4-year demonstration project to provide comprehensive support services for families (parents and relative caregivers of infants and young children who are infected with, or have been perinatally exposed to, HIV/AIDS, and/or have been parentally exposed to a dangerous drug by their substance abusing mother and/or HIV/AIDS infected mother. The funds will be use to enhance a system of support services for (50) 30 parents and 20 relative caregivers and their children who are impacted by HIV/AIDS or substance abuse. A longitudinal
study design will be used to evaluate the effectiveness of the support services. To accomplish this goal BPHIVP has developed a consortium with community-organizations for the purpose of implementing this demonstration project to provide technical assistance and to offer specific services. Each of these organizations recognizes and respects each other's area of expertise in delivering the services and will deliver the program supports in a culturally competent manner. BPHIVP expects to enhance the parents and relative caregivers readiness, intent and ability to meet the developmental and well-being needs of children who have been impacted by HIV/AIDS and/or substance abuse, improve parenting skills and practices, enhance family relationship, increase knowledge and understanding of the impact of HIV/AIDS and substance abuse on the family, particularly on children and youth; increase knowledge of legal information/custody options and increase knowledge of and utilization of resources in the community that will improve permanency, safety and well-being for the children in their care and ultimately reduce abandonment of children. Also, this information will add new knowledge to the field regarding families who are caring for children who are impacted by HIV/AIDS and substance abuse.

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