**Bureau Name:** Children's Bureau  
**Grant Number:** 90CO0967  
**Target Population:** Adoptable children

**GRANT INFORMATION:**

- **Name of Grantee:** Adoptions Together, Inc.  
- **Fiscal Year:** 2002  
- **Amount of Award:** $299,999.00  
- **Program Name:** Adoption Opportunities Program  
- **Project Period:** 09/30/2002-09/29/2005  
- **ACF Region:** 3  
- **Congressional District Served:** 8 
- **Related Links:**

**ABSTRACT:**

Adoptions Together, Inc. will implement Project If Not Us to develop the pool of minority adoptive parents that adopt older minority children. Adoptions Together will focus on the national capital area jurisdictions of Washington DC and Prince George's and Montgomery counties, Maryland where African American older children are between 85%-100% of children in care and available for adoption. The objectives are to: 1) add empirical research and credibility to the knowledge base of information about adoption attitudes, practices, and beliefs in African American communities; 2) achieve favorable public opinion about formal adoption in African American communities via a targeted multimedia campaign that will reach 200,000 African American adults; 3) increase the numbers of African American parents recruited, trained, and interested in adopting older African American children; 4) increase the numbers of older African American children who are placed with African American adoptive parents; and 5) achieve permanency for older children adopted through Project If Not Us.

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