

training education. In exchange, the health professionals agree to serve for a specified period of time in IHS health care facilities. Eligible health professionals that wish to apply must submit an application to participate in the program. The application requests personal, demographic and educational training information, including information on the educational loans of

the individual for which repayment is being requested (*i.e.*, date, amount, account number, purpose of each loan, interest rate, the current balance, *etc.*). The data collected is needed and used to evaluate applicant eligibility; rank and prioritize applicants by specialty; assign applicants to IHS health care facilities; determine payment amounts and schedules for paying the lending

institutions; and to provide data and statistics for program management review and analysis. *Affected Public:* Individuals and households. *Type of Respondents:* Individuals. *Burden Hours:* The table below provides the estimated burden hours for this information collection:

## ESTIMATED BURDEN HOURS

Data collection instrument	Estimated number of respondents	Responses per respondent	Average burden hour per response* (minutes)	Total annual burden hours
Section I .....	425	1	0.25 (15)	106
Section II .....	425	1	0.50 (30)	213
Section II .....	425	4	0.25 (15)	425
Contract .....	425	1	0.33 (20)	140
Affidavit .....	425	1	0.17 (10)	72
Lender Certificate .....	1700	1	0.25 (15)	425
Total .....	2125	.....	.....	1381

\* For ease of understanding, burden hours are also provided in actual minutes.

There are no Capital Costs, Operating Costs and/or Maintenance Costs to report.

**Request for Comments**

Your written comments and/or suggestions are invited on one or more of the following points: (a) Whether the information collection activity is necessary to carry out an agency function; (b) whether the agency processes the information collected in a useful and timely fashion; (c) the accuracy of public burden estimate (the estimated amount of time needed for individual respondents to provide the requested information); (d) whether the methodology and assumptions used to determine the estimate are logical; (e) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information being collected; and (f) ways to minimize the public burden through the use of automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

*Send Comments and Requests For Further Information:* Send your written comments and requests for more information on the proposed collection or requests to obtain a copy of the data collection instrument(s) and instructions to: Mr. Lance Hodahkwen, Sr., M.P.H., IHS Reports Clearance Officer, 12300 Twinbrook Parkway, Suite 450, Rockville, MD 20852.1601, call non-toll free (301) 443-5938, send via facsimile to (301) 443-2316, or send your e-mail requests, comments, and

return address to:

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*Comment Due Date:* Your comments regarding this information collection are best assured of having their full effect if received within 60-days of the date of this publication.

Dated: August 13, 2002.

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES****Administration for Children and Families****Office of Refugee Resettlement; Grant to the Department of Human Services, District of Columbia**

**AGENCY:** Office of Refugee Resettlement, Administration for Children and Families, HHS.

**ACTION:** Grant Award Announcement.

**SUMMARY:** Notice is hereby given that an award is being made to the Department of Human Services, District of Columbia in the amount of \$225,000 to provide funds to refugees in need of employment assistance due to the events of the September 11, 2001 attack on the Pentagon. The closure of Reagan National Airport and the rapid decline in the metropolitan hospitality industry caused substantial numbers of refugees to lose their jobs. Many of these refugees

arrived in the United States some time ago and are no longer eligible for refugee cash assistance and refugee medical assistance. The District of Columbia, Department of Human Services, intends to provide funds for mental health services, transportation assistance, English as a Second Language, direct assistance and State administration costs.

After the appropriate reviews, it has been determined that the need for additional services is compelling. The period of this funding will extend through March 30, 2003.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Janet Bailey, Office of Refugee Resettlement, Administration for Children and Families, 370 L'Enfant Promenade, SW., Washington, DC 20447, telephone (202) 401-4647.

Dated: May 14, 2002.

**Nguyen Van Hanh,**

*Director, Office of Refugee Resettlement.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES****Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration****Fiscal Year (FY) 2002 Funding Opportunities**

**AGENCY:** Center for Substance Abuse Prevention, Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration, HHS.