

manage anger, resolve conflicts, learn the importance of mutual respect, and be responsible for their actions. Organizations or agencies in jurisdictions participating in the Comprehensive Communities Program will be selected to implement program models. To qualify, applicants must have demonstrated successful work in programs that include collaborative efforts among educators, counselors, criminal justice representatives, and parents or caretakers. Applications will be solicited and awarded by BJA on a competitive basis under the Comprehensive Communities Program.

The Congress of National Black Churches: National Anti-Drug Abuse Program—\$250,000

OJJDP will continue to fund The Congress of National Black Churches' (CNBC) national public awareness and mobilization strategy to address the problem of drug abuse and enhance drug abuse prevention efforts in targeted communities. The goal of the CNBC's national mobilization strategy is to summon, focus, and coordinate the leadership of the black religious community, in cooperation with the Department of Justice and other Federal agencies and organizations, to mobilize groups of community residents to combat drug abuse and drug-related crime activities among adults and juveniles. CNBC operates this program in 31 cities.

The program will be expanded in fiscal year 1995 to address family violence intervention issues and target up to six additional cities for a total of 37 cities. Consideration will be given to expanding to SafeFuture sites when selecting the six new CNBC locations. No additional applications will be solicited in fiscal year 1995.

"Just Say No" International*—\$250,000

This two-year program is designed to assist "Just Say No" International to expand its Youth Power anti-drug program to public housing projects in Oakland, California, and Baltimore, Maryland. In fiscal year 1994, Just Say No expanded the program to Oakland, California and, in fiscal year 1995, will expand into Baltimore, Maryland.

Jackie Robinson Center (JRC)*—\$250,000

The Jackie Robinson Center (JRC) provides a comprehensive program of cultural education, sports, and counseling services for at-risk youth. This is the second year of the three year program designed to support expansion of the program to new sites in New York City.

Cities in Schools—Federal Interagency Partnership—\$200,000

This program is a continuation of a national school dropout prevention model developed and implemented by Cities in Schools, Inc. (CIS). CIS provides training and technical assistance to States and local communities, enabling them to adapt and implement the CIS model. The model brings social, employment, mental health, drug prevention, entrepreneurship, and other resources to high-risk youth and their families at the school level. Where CIS State organizations are established, they will assume primary responsibility for local program replication during the Federal interagency partnership.

This program is jointly funded by OJJDP and the Departments of the Army, Health and Human Services, and Commerce under an OJJDP grant. The project will be implemented by the current grantee. No additional applications will be solicited in fiscal year 1995.

Hate Crimes—\$200,000

The Education Development Center, Inc. (EDC) is developing a multipurpose curriculum for hate crime prevention in the schools and sanctions for juveniles who commit hate crimes. This curriculum is being pilot tested in the 8th grade of the Collins Middle School in Salem, Massachusetts. Once the pilot is evaluated and the curriculum redesigned, EDC will test the revised curriculum in two additional sites to ensure that it is geographically and demographically representative.

In consultation with the Office of Victims of Crime, EDC will develop a dissemination strategy for the curriculum and other products, including a judges' guide for dealing with hate crimes.

No additional applications will be solicited in fiscal year 1995.

Community Anti-Drug-Abuse Technical Assistance Voucher Project—\$200,000

In July 1991, OJJDP entered into a cooperative agreement with the National Center for Neighborhood Enterprise (NCNE) to extend its outreach to community-based grassroots organizations around the country that are working effectively to solve the problems of youth drug abuse. This project has three goals: (1) To allow various neighborhood groups to inexpensively purchase needed services through the use of technical assistance vouchers disbursed by NCNE; (2) to demonstrate the cost-effective use of vouchers to help neighborhood groups

secure technical assistance for anti-drug-abuse projects to serve high-risk youth; and (3) to extend OJJDP technical assistance to groups that are traditionally excluded because they lack the administrative sophistication, technical and grantsmanship skills, and resources to participate in traditional competitive grant programs.

In order to accomplish these goals, NCNE : (1) Provides support to community groups in developing and implementing a strategy under the "Weed and Seed" program; (2) functions as a clearinghouse for information on community anti-drug-prevention initiatives; and (3) reviews all technical assistance applications and select 15–25 eligible community-based anti-drug programs for award of vouchers.

This continuation award is designed to provide more than \$90,000 in vouchers to 20–30 organizations and to provide clearinghouse services to an additional 300 community groups.

Vouchers, which range in value from \$1,000 to \$10,000, can be used for planning, proposal writing, program promotion, legal assistance, financial management, and other activities.

Selection of awardees and amounts is determined by the degree to which applicants meet the following criteria:

- Not previously funded by OJJDP or NCNE.

- Lack of access to traditional funding sources.

- Need for technical assistance and training.

- Small budget.

- Comprehensiveness of youth anti-drug programs.

- Clarity and feasibility of strategies presented on application.

No additional applications will be solicited in fiscal year 1995.

Race Against Drugs—\$150,000

Race Against Drugs (RAD) is a unique drug awareness, education and prevention campaign designed to help young people understand the dangers of drugs and live a non-impaired lifestyle. With the help and assistance from 21 motorsports organizations, and the cooperation of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and the National Child Safety Council, it has become a fun and exciting addition to drug abuse prevention programs. RAD now includes national drug awareness and prevention activities at schools, malls and motorsports events; television public service announcements, posters, and signage on T-shirts, hats, decals, etc.; and specialized programs like the "Adopt-A-School Essay and Scholarship" and "Winner's Circle"