

MISSISSIPPI DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH



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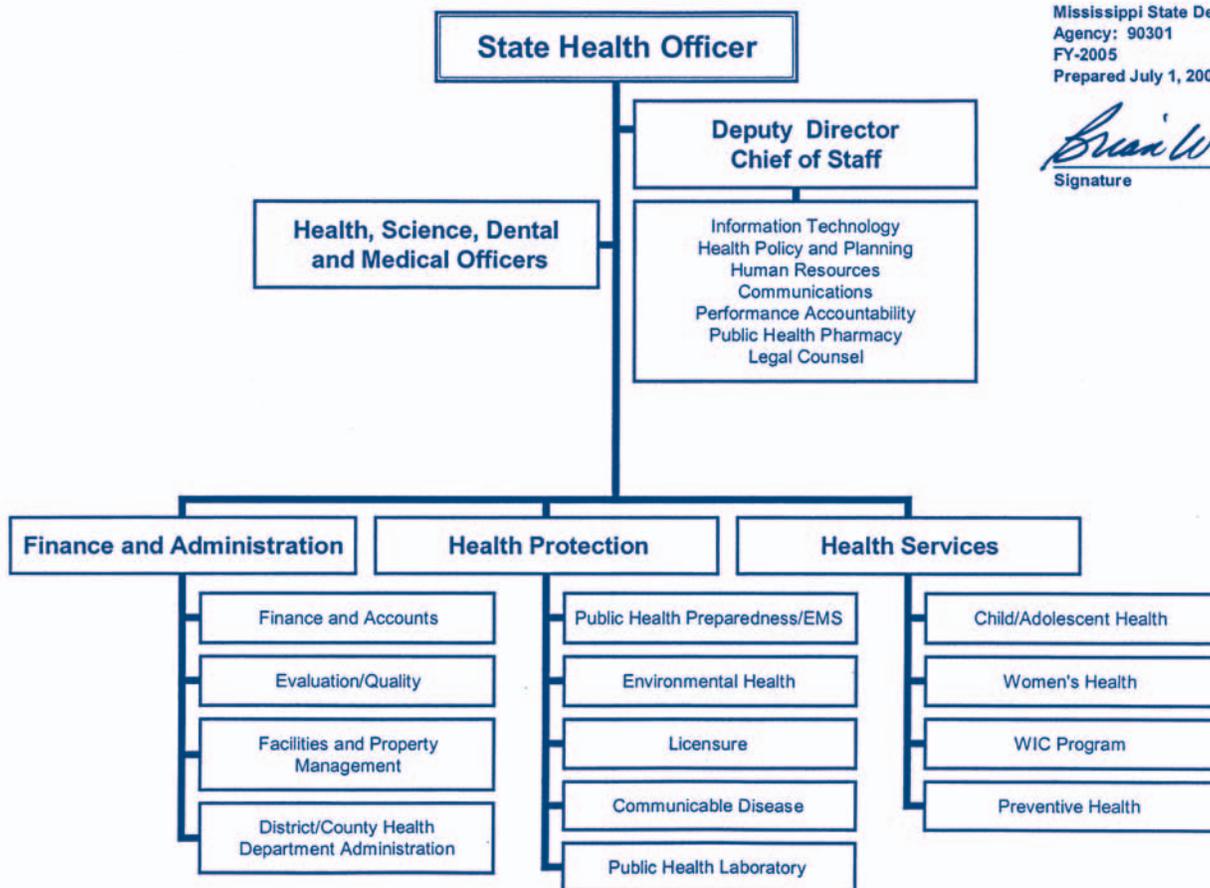
Mississippi State Board of Health

Effective June 30, 2005

Represents	Name	Term Expires
District 1	Ruth Greer, R.N. Holly Springs, Mississippi	June 30, 2008
District 1	Ellen Williams Senatobia	June 30, 2010
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District 3	Randy H. Russell, M.D. Jackson, Mississippi	June 30, 2010
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“To Promote And Protect The Health Of All Mississippians”

Mississippi Department of Health Organizational Chart



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Brian W. Amy, M.D.
Signature



Message From The State Health Officer

On behalf of the Mississippi Department of Health, its 13 board members and its 2,245 employees, I am proud to present our 2005 Annual Report. We believe this overview of our agency's operations, success stories, and reportable performance data continues to demonstrate overall quality improvement and accountability within our agency and for all Mississippians.

Our mission is to promote and protect the health of all Mississippians. We take this responsibility very seriously. We will continue to learn from experience and continue to improve because our focus is on achieving quality service, error-free performance and courtesy to a fault.

The agency looks forward to working with you and serving you in the year ahead.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Brian W. Amy MD". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Brian W. Amy, MD, MPH, MHA
State Health Officer

Success Stories



Dr. Amy launches **Healthy • Secure • Mississippi** Campaign

Mississippi Department of Health Launches “Healthy • Secure • Mississippi” Campaign

MDH launched “Healthy • Secure • Mississippi,” a statewide public awareness campaign developed to address growing public concerns regarding bioterrorism and emergency preparedness and response. The campaign responded to these concerns, informing Mississippians of numerous preparedness efforts taken by MDH in response to 21st century public health threats.

These preparedness efforts include:

- Facilities around the state designed specifically to respond to a terrorist attack, and to coordinate the response of all local agencies to such an incident
- Emergency Response Coordinators assigned to every public health district in the state who have worked with local emergency services agencies to prepare and execute response plans in each district
- Public health nurses trained in bioterrorism surveillance and emergency response assigned to each public health district
- The installation of disease surveillance software allowing Mississippi’s hospitals, emergency rooms and ambulances to better detect and more rapidly treat any disease, including those caused by bioterrorism agents
- The development and implementation of 17 Weapons of Mass Destruction Centers of Excellence (critical care hospitals designed to meet the public’s needs during a bioterrorism incident)

Specific elements of the public awareness campaign include:

- A redesigned website www.HealthyMS.com featuring enhanced emergency preparedness and bioterrorism sections. Other new website components include specific information on how families can stay informed and the materials they need in the event of a crisis; information to help seniors, children, the disabled, and other special needs groups; and specific guidelines on what the public should do to prepare for a variety of threats
- A 24/7 hotline (1-866-HLTHY4U) featuring breaking news in three languages (English, Spanish, and Vietnamese) with operators on duty for extra assistance
- Briefings and meetings throughout the state conducted by emergency response coordinators and other MDH officials
- A series of paid radio and print advertisements to help reach Mississippi residents and their families



MDH Emergency Response Coordinators demonstrate the use of a decontamination unit during the launch of the **Healthy • Secure • Mississippi** campaign in March.



A health fair participant weighs in on good health as MDH District V Health Educator Caryn Womack conducts a body mass index analysis at "Health: A Family Affair," an event held this year at Metrocenter Mall in Jackson.

MDH Launches Aggressive Preventive Health Program

The Office of Preventive Health encourages Mississippians to take charge of their health through health screenings held across the state. Mississippians can find out the status of health indicators such as blood pressure, body mass index (BMI) and glucose.

- MDH has increased health screenings from 300 Mississippians to over 11,000, as of January 1, 2005
- Through these screenings, MDH has determined that 50 percent of Delta area residents screened had abnormal readings in glucose and blood pressure
- On the Gulf Coast 81 of 84 child seats checked were found improperly installed in vehicles
- Screenings have been held at community colleges, community health fairs and state agencies across Mississippi
- Health screening events raise awareness of health prevention, guide Mississippians on how to make healthy lifestyle choices and improve the overall health status of the state
- Initiated the new "Healthy Living" toolkit on the MDH website: www.HealthyMS.com

Tomorrow's Smiles Healthier and Brighter Thanks to MDH

Nearly 70 percent of Mississippi's school-age children have experienced tooth decay. Almost 40 percent of school-age children have untreated tooth decay and 43 percent have required dental care. Ten percent of these children have required urgent dental care. Over 35 percent of Mississippians 65 years of age or older have lost some or all of their natural teeth. Fluoridation of public water supplies is the most effective public health measure to prevent tooth decay.

- The MDH Community Water Fluoridation Program prevents tooth decay by adjusting the amount of fluoride in drinking water systems whose natural water fluoride level is low
- MDH received the State Fluoridation Initiative Award for having the most new systems fluoridating and the greatest increase in population on fluoridation in the past calendar year
- MDH received the Community Initiative Award for the agency's work with a number of communities that passed water fluoridation initiatives during the past calendar year



Monitoring systems, such as this model in McComb, ensure that citizens receive the benefits of public water fluoridation in a safe and effective manner.



Pictured left to right during check presentation: Representative Ted Mayhall, Mississippi Board of Health Member Ellen Williams, Olive Branch Mayor Sam Rikard, and Senators Merle Flowers and Doug Davis.

MDH Loans Make Safe Drinking Water Available Throughout Mississippi

Mississippi continues to be a national leader in implementing the Drinking Water State Revolving Fund, a program designed to provide low-interest loans to public water systems in need of improvements to ensure safe drinking water. The terms of the loans made under this program include a maximum loan amount of \$1,500,000, a 20-year payback period, and an interest rate that was recently lowered to 2.5 percent.

Since 2004, MDH has awarded the following amounts to water systems for improvements:

Bear Creek Water Association

Award one: \$1,500,000
 Award two: \$1,058,400
 Award three: \$1,310,000

City of Corinth

Award one: \$1,383,297
 Award two: \$1,500,000

Fisher Ferry Water District

Award one: \$823,620
 Award two: \$156,975

Greenfield Water Association

\$570,000

Town of Hatley

\$1,150,000

Town of Hernando

\$666,034

Hilldale Water District

\$147,000

Lampton Water Association

\$577,500

Lawrence County Water Association

\$319,998

City of Morton

\$1,107,661

Mount Comfort Water Association

\$450,000

City of Olive Branch

Award one: \$1,222,917
 Award two: \$1,255,517
 Award three: \$1,480,233

City of Starkville

\$774,900

Walls Water Association

\$1,260,000

MDH Automatic External Defibrillator (AED) Initiative a Lifesaver for Rural Communities

More Mississippians living in rural areas of the state will now have access to lifesaving AEDs due to the Rural AED program, an MDH initiative that provides for the purchase and placement of the machines in rural communities.

- Twenty-two counties in targeted areas received AED machines at no cost through this MDH administered, federally-funded program
- Public access to AED machines will increase the chance of survival for rural Mississippians experiencing a cardiovascular event
- Lives will be saved throughout the state due to the MDH AED initiative



The use of an AED is demonstrated with a mannequin by an MDH employee in the Office of Emergency Medical Services.

Record Number of Environmentalists Safeguarding State

The MDH Office of Human Resources is proud to announce that it has hired and trained the largest number of environmentalists since 1995.

- MDH has a total of 142 environmentalists located throughout the state
- MDH environmentalists ensure that drinking water is safe to consume
- MDH environmentalists inspect food service facilities to ensure proper food preparation
- Mississippi is maintaining staffing vacancies below the national average in the public health arena: MDH has an 11.7 percent vacancy rate, while the rest of the nation stands at 20 percent or above



Wendy Varnado, Public Health Environmentalist (Entomology) collects mosquito larvae in Copiah County.

Performance Output Data

Fiscal Year 2005 Report Of Activities By Program

Community Health Services

HIV cases identified	529
Diabetes patients served	156
Diabetic monitoring visits	374
Hypertensive treatment visits	3,195

Personal Health Services

Child Health

Children (ages birth–21) served	56,736
Newborns screened for phenylketonuria, hypothyroidism, galactosemia, hemoglobinopathies and congenital adrenal hyperplasia, and other metabolic conditions	41,219

Children's Medical Program

Clinic sessions per year	234
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Home Health

Patients served	1,605
Registered nurse visits	15,313
Other visits	77,696

WIC — Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (Average monthly participation)

Women	23,824
Infants	31,436
Children	47,164

Women's Health

Pregnant women served	7,750
High-risk mothers and infants served through PHRM (Perinatal High Risk Management/Infant Services System)	24,546

Reproductive Health

Adult patients served	50,572
Teens served	20,295

Health Regulation

Environmental Health

Environmental samples collected and analyzed for radioactivity	1,274
Radon in indoor air evaluations and/or screenings	1,410
Boilers and pressure vessels inspected	13,951
Food establishments permitted	12,903
Food establishments inspected	27,832
General sanitation complaints investigated	1,947
Sewage disposal inspections and soil/site evaluations	24,417

Dairy farm inspections	2,195
Dairy samples collected for evaluation	3,132

Sanitary Surveys (total)	1,364
Community water supplies inspected	1,159
Non-transient, non-community water supplies	93
Transient non-community water supplies inspected	112
Construction plans and specifications reviewed	1,033
Capacity assessments completed	1,254

Licensure

Ambulance permits issued	566
Emergency medical technicians certified/recertified:	
Paramedics	549
Intermediates	86
Basics	724
EMS drivers certified/recertified	995
Emergency services:	
Emergency service providers in Mississippi	82
Licenses issued	143
Youth camp inspections	82
Child residential care homes monitored per	
Notification Act X	12
Daycare facilities inspected and licensed	1,713
Daycare complaints investigated	538

Licenses issued for art therapists, athletic trainers, audiologists, dietitians, hearing aid specialists, occupational therapists and occupational therapy assistants, respiratory care practitioners, speech–language pathologists 4,946

Registered or certified audiology aides, body piercers, eye enucleators, speech-language pathology aides, tattoo artists, radiation technologists 2,799

Planning and Resource Development

Certificate of Need applications reviewed	50
Declaratory rulings issued	165

Rural Health

Number of technical assistance requests	78
Number of rural critical access hospitals assisted	21

Primary Care Development

County primary health care provider needs assessed	82
J-1 physicians placed	37
Patients served through MQHC program	42,311

Licensure and Certification

Hospitals – accredited	.67
Hospitals – non–accredited	.54
Nursing facilities	204
Home health agencies	.61
Intermediate care facilities for the mentally retarded	.13
Psychiatric Residential Treatment Facilities	.7
Personal care homes	.183
Hospices	101
Ambulatory surgical facilities	.24
Community mental health centers	.5
Rural health clinics	.143
End stage renal disease facilities	.68
Comprehensive outpatient rehabilitation facilities	.6
Portable x-ray	.6
Outpatient physical therapy facilities	.55
Abortion facilities	.1
Utilization review agents	.125
Laboratories – Clinical Laboratory Improvement Act surveys	.272
Health facilities surveyed	741
Health facility complaints investigated	1,266

Chief of Staff and Operations

Deputy Director Danny Miller serves as Chief Operating Officer for MDH and administers the Offices of Communications, Health Policy and Planning, Human Resources, Information Technology, Legal Counsel, and Performance Accountability.

Miller is dedicated to providing quality public health service to all MDH customers and brings a wealth of knowledge to the area of health policy and planning. Miller ensures that performance-based accountability is a priority in all program areas throughout the agency.



*Danny Miller, CPA
Deputy Director, Chief of Staff*

Communications plans and coordinates agency-wide communication activities on county, district and statewide levels. The Office houses a variety of professional and versatile talent that handles mass media relations, graphic art production, public health campaign development and implementation, social marketing, website development and public records requests. The Office of Communications is also responsible for emergency and risk communication endeavors.



*Liz Sharlot, Director
Communications*



*Sam Dawkins, Director
Health Policy and Planning*

Health Policy and Planning provides planning for health services, facilities and manpower on a statewide basis through the development and publication of the State Health Plan, administers the Certificate of Need (CON) program and maintains the office of Rural Health to address rural health care needs; and supports Primary Care Development.

- The **State Health Plan** provides an overview of the broad spectrum of services provided by MDH to the state of Mississippi, discusses the priority health needs of the state and its population, and documents plans and progress toward meeting those needs. Each plan covers the fiscal year in which it is published. The State Health Plan is available

for viewing or printing on the MDH website or in bound or loose-leaf format (for a fee) from the Office of Health Policy and Planning.

- The **Certificate of Need Program**, a regulatory mechanism, is designed to balance the growth of health facilities and services with the need for those services. Accordingly, staff provides technical assistance to health care facilities and conducts CON reviews of proposed capital expenditures for defined health care facilities and providers.
- **Rural Health** is responsible for maintaining an information clearinghouse on rural health care issues and innovative approaches to the delivery of rural health care services; coordinating state rural health care activities; providing information on federal, state, and foundation programs to improve rural health care and assisting public and private non-profit entities to participate in programs; collecting data and conducting policy analysis of rural health issues; and assisting hospitals and communities in the recruitment and retention of health care professionals.

- **Primary Care** is responsible for analyzing trends and determining the need for primary care services, resources and professionals in the state; recruiting health care professionals to perform needed services while working to expand the capacity of current staff; preparing Health Professional Shortage Area (HPSA) information for primary care, dental and mental health professionals; developing programs of retention for those primary care physicians currently assigned to Mississippi through the J-1 Visa Waiver and National Health Service Corps (NHSC) programs; assisting in the development of strategies for reducing health care disparities, and administering grants to Mississippi Qualified Health Centers (MQHC).

Human Resources operates under the guidance of the Mississippi State Personnel Board and is responsible for the recruitment, employment, classification, compensation, benefits, affirmative action, employee relations and professional enrichment of the 2,200 employees within the state’s public health workforce.



*Pat Klar, Director
Human Resources*

Information Technology is responsible for technology development, management and solutions for the agency, as well as data technology procurement, software support, maintenance of computer hardware, operation of the MDH computer network and telecommunications. Information Technology facilitates strategic plans outlining what technology improvements must be considered to help MDH better achieve its overall mission.



*Mike Scales, Director
Information Technology*

- **Technology Infrastructure Support** is responsible for operation of the agency’s computer hardware including the primary administrative system and all personal computers. The unit is also responsible for data processing-related procurement, software support, maintenance of computer hardware, and operation of the MDH computer network. This unit provides telecommunications facilities for the agency.
- **Patient Information Management System (PIMS)** is the statewide operational system that tracks patient services and billing of clinic and lab services to Medicaid, Medicare and the Children’s Health Insurance Program.
- **Public Health Statistics** provides a system of vital and health statistics for use at the local, district, state and federal levels; direct vital records services to the general public; surveys, evaluation, and statistical systems expertise to district, administrative and programmatic staff; information on births and infant deaths, a listing of births for immunization follow-up and information on all Sudden Infant Death Syndrome deaths for follow-up by district and county nurses.

Legal Counsel is assigned by the Attorney General's office and is responsible for handling legal matters that pertain to the Mississippi Department of Health.



*Jason Easley, CPA, Director
Performance Accountability*

Performance Reviews conducts internal audits and reviews of the public health programs in the Central Office, county health departments, WIC distribution centers and regional home health offices to measure compliance with current program and agency policies.



*Sanford R. Horton, Jr., J.D.
Head Legal Counsel*

The agency's **Public Health Pharmacy** provides over 400 different medications to the local health departments statewide for a multitude of programs including family planning, AIDS/HIV, Tuberculosis and cystic fibrosis, just to name a few. The Public Health Pharmacy filled more than 150,000 individual prescriptions and over 11,000 shipments of additional clinical supplies in 2005. In addition, the Public Health Pharmacy prepared and distributed 90,000 packages of drugs intended for distribution to first responders in case of a bioterrorism event within the state.



*Charles Nix, PhD
Director, State Pharmacy*

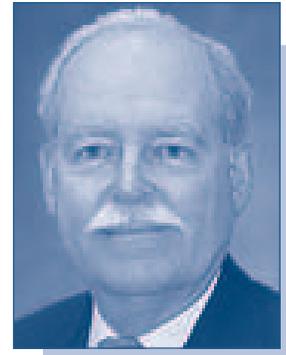
State Epidemiologist

The Office of Epidemiology is responsible for surveillance and detection of reportable diseases and other conditions, assisting with laboratory confirmation, and coordination of contact investigation and follow-up for cases which require provision of prophylactic medication, vaccine or counseling.

The Office monitors occurrences and trends of reportable conditions, initiates investigations of outbreaks of disease, helps coordinate the interruption of outbreaks or disease problems, and reports morbidity incidence and trends to the medical community and the public.

Through assistance provided by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), the Office is developing additional capacity and expertise in organizing appropriate response messages and response plans for food borne illness, antibiotic resistant organisms and infections, influenza outbreaks and arborviral disease. Additional support assists the Public Health Laboratory in these areas. Active surveillance for influenza, influenza-like illness, upper respiratory infections, and unexplained rashes is collected and frequently reviewed as part of early detection of a possible bioterrorism event.

The Surveillance Branch conducts injury surveillance, hazardous substances emergency events surveillance and environmental surveillance. The Branch responds to more than 600 environmental telephone calls annually, providing consultations and on-site investigations.



*Mills McNeill, MD, PhD
State Epidemiologist*

Chief Science Officer



*Peggy Honoré D.H.A.
Chief Science Officer*

The position of Chief Science Officer originated three years ago to incorporate and foster science and research into the programs and policies of the agency. The Chief Science Officer also facilitates the translation of research findings into the practice of public health throughout MDH. This type of knowledge is crucial in the design and implementation of MDH programs. It also allows the agency to understand and identify target areas and populations for improvement while also ensuring that programs and interventions are built on sound science and evidence-based strategies.

The Office of Science developed a valuable tool for achieving successful program and grant outcomes. The system is computer-based and includes modules for identifying program and grant requirements, steps that promote effective program and grant planning, a database of science and evidence-based best practices, and templates for the development of logic models and program evaluation.

The Chief Science Officer is also leading a national project to increase the dissemination of research findings on public health systems research and public health finance. MDH serves as a model for translating research into practice settings through the role of the Chief Science Officer. The project is funded by the Robert Wood Johnson Foundation. Partners on the project include Emory University, the University of Arkansas for Medical Science, and the *Journal of Public Health Management and Practice*.

State Dental Program

The Dental Program in the Division of Health Services plans and implements the agency's state oral health program to promote and protect oral health for all Mississippians. The state dental director provides leadership for the state oral health program. The following activities were performed in FY 2005:

- Completed a statewide clinical oral health survey of third-grade school-children in Mississippi's public schools
- Completed a statewide dental health professional shortage area determination (DHPSA) survey with the Office of Primary Care for all 82 counties in Mississippi. 59 of 82 counties were determined to qualify under the federal definition of dental health professional shortage areas
- Performed secondary data analysis using the 2003 Behavioral Risk Factor Surveillance Survey (results were reported at the 2005 CDC Chronic Disease Directors Annual Meeting)
- Implemented an internet-based Water Fluoridation Reporting System (WFRS) to monitor fluoridation activities in public water systems
- Integrated standardized oral health questions in the Pregnancy Risk and Monitoring (PRAM) survey
- Integrated standardized oral health questions in the WIC Certification process
- Developed a secure web application for internet-based collecting of clinical oral health surveillance and risk assessment data
- Initiated and provided oversight for six regional oral health consultants for preventive services statewide
- Completed the development of a state oral health plan
- Completed a Head Start Oral Health Manual to guide Head Start programs statewide with their oral health program improvements
- Established working relationships with Head Start Programs in all nine health districts
- Approved contract agreements with 17 public water systems (PWS) to begin water fluoridation programs to serving 112,638 citizens. Nine of these PWSs have activated their program
- Assured school-based prevention programs for 12,519 children at 44 public schools statewide
- Placed 6,508 preventive dental sealants on permanent first molar teeth in 2,081 children in 11 counties in collaboration with the University of Mississippi School of Nursing Mobile Health Program
- Provided oral health screenings at 42 events at state agencies, community colleges, and other venues



*Nicholas G. Mosca, DDS
State Dental Director*

The following public water systems (PWS) have approved or activated new water fluoridation programs:

PWS	District	County	City
McComb	VII	Pike	McComb
Port Gibson	V	Claiborne	Port Gibson
Tchula	III	Holmes	Tchula
Iuka	II	Tishomingo	Iuka
Farmington WA	II	Alcorn	N/A
Freeny WA	VI	Leake	N/A
Cason WA	IV	Monroe	N/A
Richland	V	Rankin	Richland
Alcorn WA	II	Alcorn	N/A
N. Lauderdale WA	VI	Lauderdale	N/A
Topisaw Creek WA	VII	Lincoln	N/A
Picayune	IX	Pearl River	Picayune
W. Lamar WA	VIII	Lamar	N/A
Petal	VIII	Forrest	Petal
Summit	VII	Pike	Summit
Greenfield WA	V	Rankin	N/A
Okatoma WA	V	Simpson	N/A
Pontotoc	II	Pontotoc	Pontotoc
University of MS	II	Lafayette	Oxford
Combined Utilities WA	IX	George	N/A
Collinsville WA	VI	Lauderdale	N/A
Maben	IV	Oktibbeha	N/A
Ashland	II	Lee	Ashland
Prairie Land	IV	Lowndes	N/A

District Health Officers

The Mississippi Department of Health's District Health Officers serve as medical directors with direct responsibility for public health programs in their districts including: communicable disease, preventive health, environmental health, maternal child health, emergency preparedness and various other programs.



Alfio Rausa, MD
Health Officer
Districts I & III



Robert Trotter, MD
Health Officer
Districts II & IV



Mary Gayle Armstrong, MD
Acting Health Officer
District V



Rebecca James, MD
Acting Health Officer
District VI



Clay Hammack, MD
Health Officer
Districts VII & VIII



Robert Travnicek, MD
Health Officer
District IX



*Lovetta Brown, MD
Medical Director
Health Disparity*

Medical Director for Health Disparity

Health Disparity assists in carrying out MDH's mission to promote and protect the health status of all Mississippians through education and the elimination of health disparities. The goal is to eradicate health disparities within our agency and advocate removing health disparities throughout Mississippi. Despite notable progress in the overall health of the nation, research shows continuing disparities in the burden of illness, medical access and treatment, and death experienced by various cultural and social groups throughout the country. The demographic changes anticipated over the next decade magnify the importance of addressing disparities in health status, especially in Mississippi. MDH will develop tools to monitor the state's progress toward improving the health status of the population.



*Mitchell Adcock, CPA
Director*

Finance and Administration

Districts, Local Health Departments, WIC Distribution Centers

& Home Health Offices operated by the agency provide direct client services to local Mississippians. The local health departments provide a wide range of services including but not limited to health services such as Women, Infants & Children (WIC) certification, family planning, maternity services, childhood early intervention, preventive health, maternal and child health and newborn genetics follow-up.

These health departments also provide health protection services such as immunizations, STD/HIV treatments, TB interventions, and bioterrorism monitoring and response. These offices are staffed by physicians, public health nurses, nurse practitioners, disease investigators, environmentalists, clerks, social workers, and nutritionists.

There are 98 local health departments spread throughout the state. These facilities served approximately 530,000 clients with over 1.2 million visits in the past fiscal year.

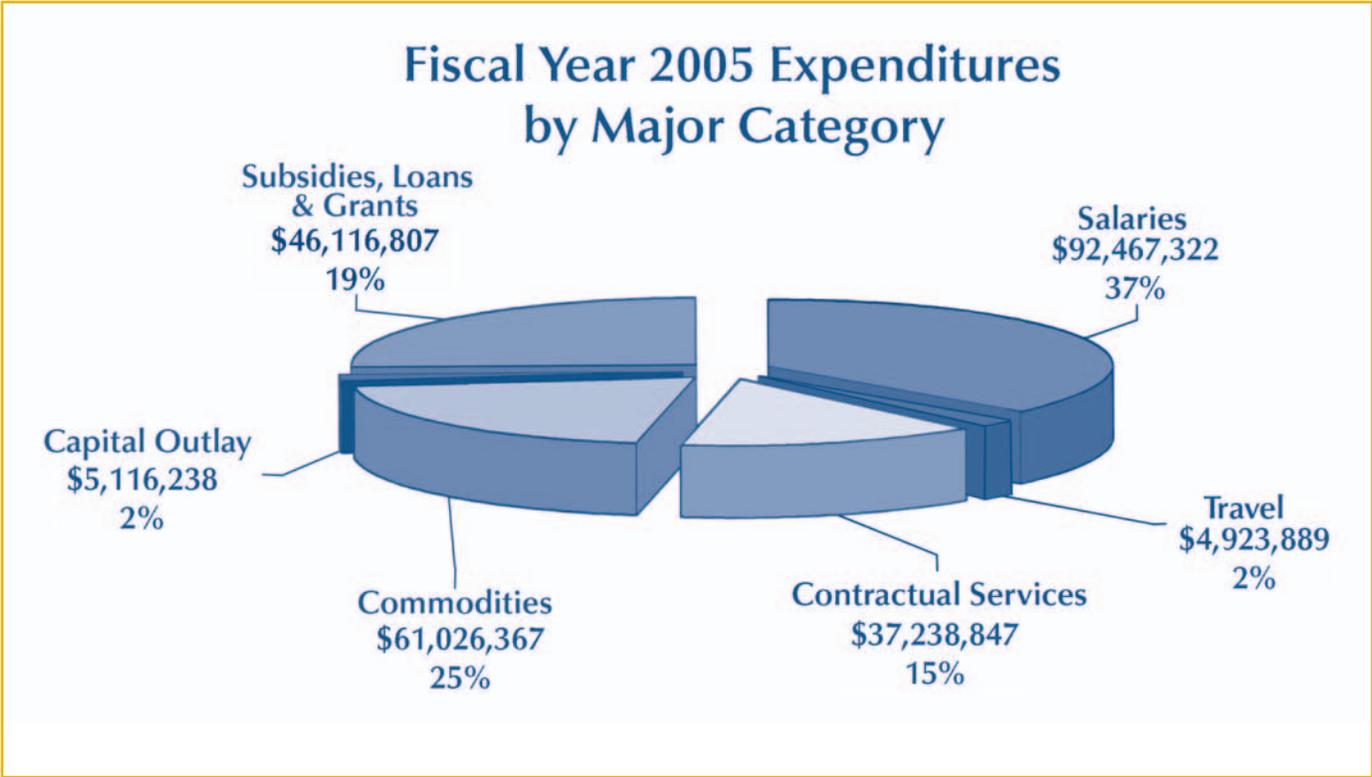
The agency's locally operated **WIC Distribution Centers** provide nutrition education and special supplemental food to pregnant, breastfeeding or postpartum women, infants and children under the age of five through its implementation of the WIC program. Last year the agency served an average of 101,000 WIC clients each month and delivered approximately \$45 million in nutritional supplemental food. There are 94 WIC distribution centers across the state.

The agency also operates regional **Home Health** offices throughout the state. Home Health addresses the needs of Mississippians who are essentially homebound and in need of skilled health care. These offices emphasize effective, cost-efficient quality health care to individuals in their residence. Through this statewide network of regional offices, the agency provides comprehensive health care to persons who require skilled nursing visits, nutritional consultations, psychosocial evaluations, aide visits, physical therapy, occupational therapy and speech therapy. During the past year the Home Health division served 1,605 patients with over 93,000 visits.

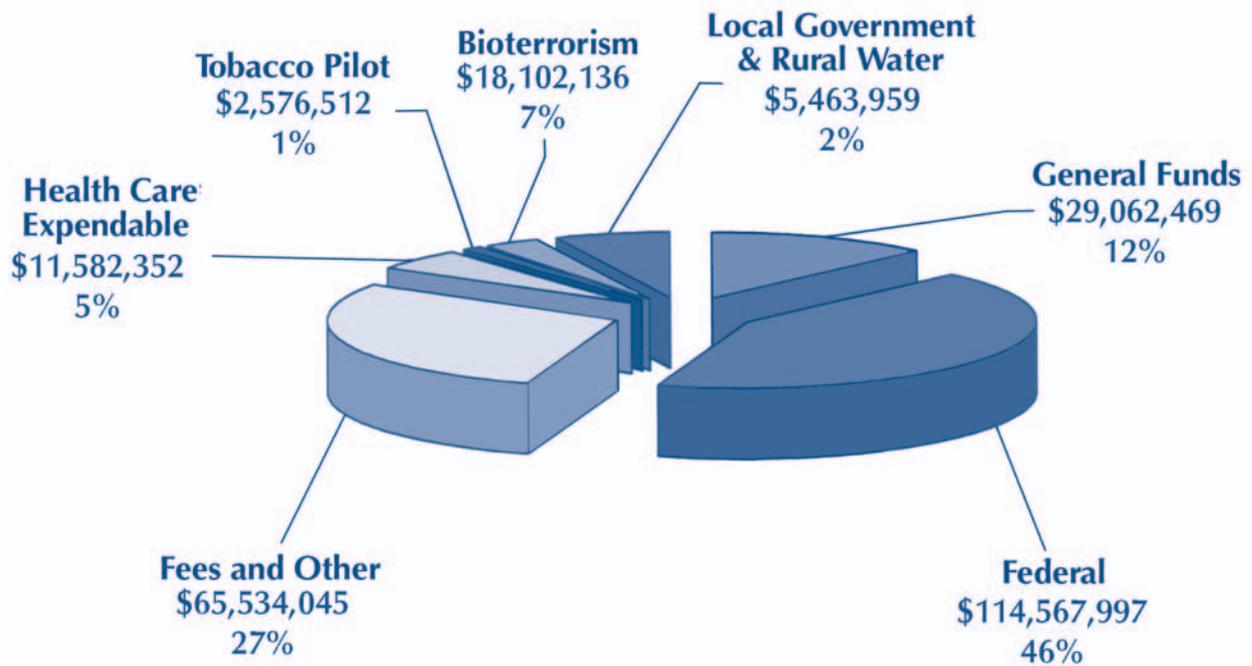
Facilities Support and Maintenance provides support services for all facilities operated by the agency. These services include purchasing, central supply, operating a print shop, vehicle fleet management, mailroom, courier service management, central campus maintenance and grounds and local health department facilities improvement support.

Finance and Accounts is responsible for performing the financial duties for the agency. These duties include accounts payable, cash management, budgeting, grants management, property management, third-party payer collections and payroll. The division is responsible for developing and reporting financial information for the agency and therefore submits the most recent financial information.

The Mississippi Department of Health expended \$246,225,232 in state general federal and generated funds providing health related services for Mississippians in FY 2005



Funding Sources for Fiscal Year 2005 Expenditures

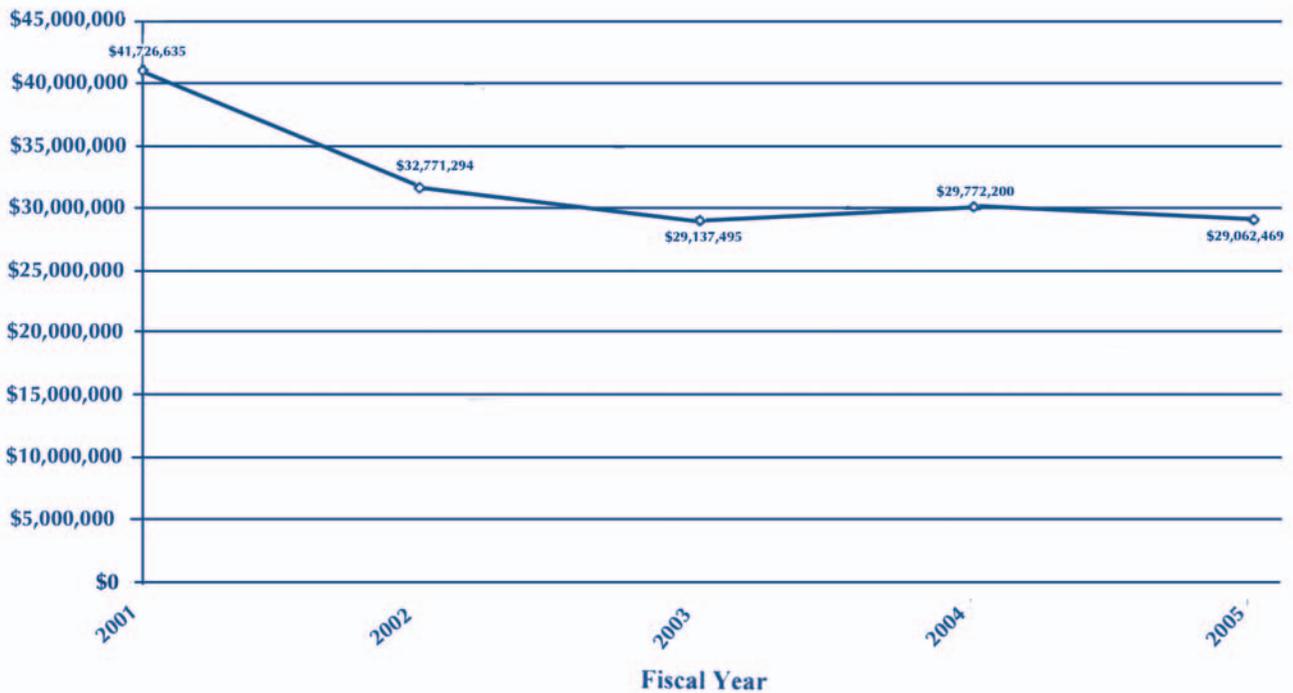


Expenditure Funding Sources For Fiscal Years 2001 through 2005

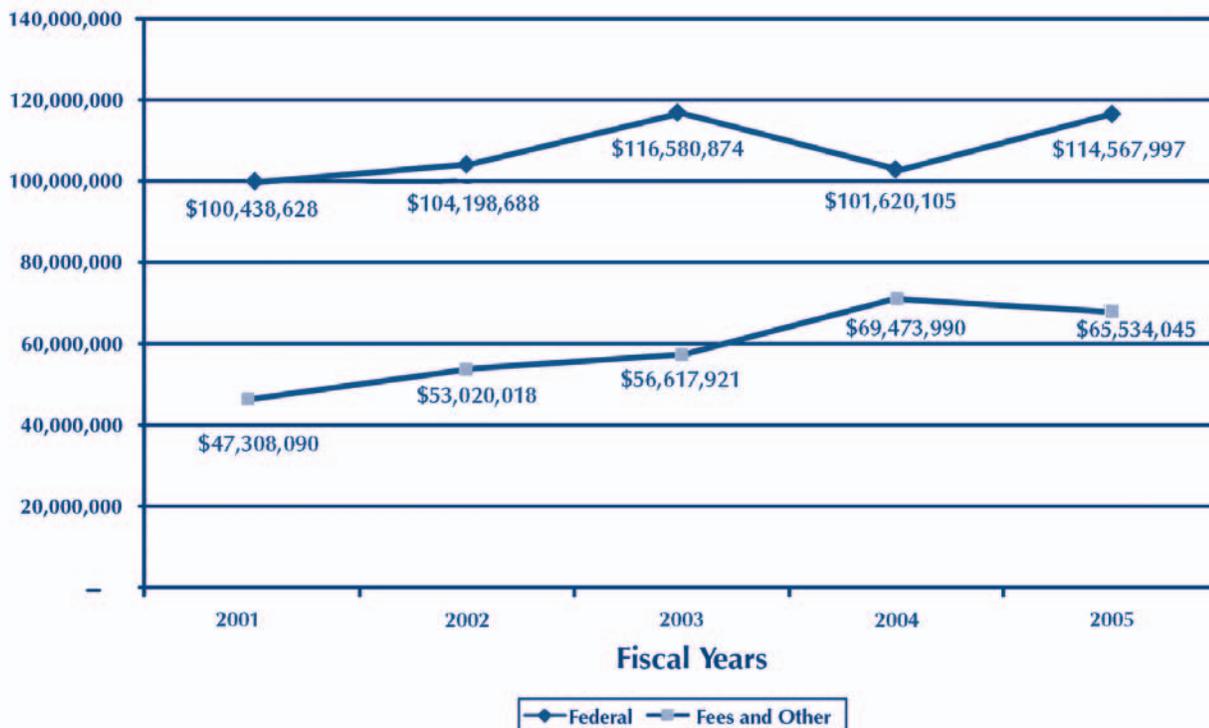
	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
General Funds	41,726,635	32,771,294	29,137,495	29,772,200	29,062,469
Federal	100,438,628	104,198,688	116,580,874	101,620,105	114,567,997
Fees & Other	47,308,090	53,020,018	56,617,921	69,473,990	65,534,045
Health Care Expendable	11,400,000	14,150,000	14,150,000	12,271,557	11,582,352
Tobacco Nurses	1,126,647	2,450,000	2,550,340	2,598,422	2,576,512
Bioterrorism			5,674,130	7,831,677	18,102,136
Local Government & Rural Water	9,995,435	10,000,000	18,246,590	14,960,790	5,463,959
Total	\$211,995,435	\$216,590,000	\$224,710,760	\$238,528,741	\$246,889,470

*Decrease in State General Funds of 30.4%
from Year 2001 to Fiscal Year 2005*

General Fund Expenditures



Special Fund Expenditures



**Expenditures By Major Category
Fiscal Years 2000 through 2004**

	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Salaries	\$86,946,000	\$84,190,000	\$88,229,152	\$87,978,179	\$92,467,322
Travel	4,350,643	4,500,000	4,229,755	4,269,310	4,923,889
Contractual Services	27,691,702	31,500,000	31,072,953	33,397,467	37,238,847
Commodities	47,500,000	47,350,000	56,769,785	48,301,676	61,026,367
Capital Outlay	3,260,000	2,750,000	4,979,597	3,722,605	5,116,238
Subsides, Loans & Grants	42,247,090	46,300,000	57,679,954	60,859,504	46,116,807
	<u>\$211,995,435</u>	<u>\$216,590,000</u>	<u>\$242,961,196</u>	<u>\$238,528,741</u>	<u>\$246,889,470</u>

**Expenditures By Programs
Fiscal Years 2000 through 2004**

	<u>2001</u>	<u>2002</u>	<u>2003</u>	<u>2004</u>	<u>2005</u>
Chronic Illness	13,965,532	12,124,890	11,601,126	11,390,063	7,688,694
Disease Prevention	36,426,585	36,977,414	43,916,785	41,511,872	46,872,513
Environmental Health	12,945,289	12,939,893	13,081,067	24,386,875	12,689,733
Health Care Plan & Lic.	18,674,935	18,539,032	19,889,917	13,440,635	24,330,851
Maternal & Child Health	106,852,385	109,055,771	113,908,129	108,188,618	112,267,120
Support Services	12,008,627	14,503,000	14,089,266	14,219,789	16,897,952
Tobacco Nurses	1,126,647	2,450,000	2,550,340	2,598,422	2,576,512
Bioterrorism			5,674,130	7,831,677	18,102,136
Local Government & Rural Water	<u>9,995,435</u>	<u>10,000,000</u>	<u>18,246,590</u>	<u>14,960,790</u>	<u>5,463,959</u>
Total	<u>\$211,995,435</u>	<u>\$216,590,000</u>	<u>\$242,961,196</u>	<u>\$238,528,741</u>	<u>\$246,889,470</u>



Jim Craig, Director
Health Protection

Health Protection

Health protection for the people of Mississippi is one of the chief responsibilities of the Mississippi Department of Health. From the quality of our food and water, to child care and professional licensing, our concerns embrace every aspect of life across the state. Our goal is to achieve and maintain the highest standard of health for all Mississippians.

- **Public Health Preparedness/Emergency Medical Services (EMS)**

Public Health Preparedness is responsible for preparedness, plans, and responses for public health and agency needs created by a natural or man-made event. Federal resources such as the CDC's Strategic National Stockpile, and Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA)

Hospital Preparedness activities are managed by this office. All activities related to emergencies are coordinated through the Mississippi Emergency Management Agency (MEMA) and MDH as part of the state emergency response plan. The Emergency Medical Services Bureau organizes, regulates, and maintains a statewide program to improve emergency medical care; tests and certifies Emergency Medical Technicians (EMTs) on the basic, intermediate, and paramedic levels; and administers federal and state funding for local level EMS. EMTs responded to more than 331,000 calls for help in FY 2005.

During FY 2005, the 22nd year of the EMS Operating Fund's existence, MDH's Bureau of EMS spent \$1.76 million to enhance Emergency Medical Services in Mississippi. Collections came from a \$5 assessment on each moving vehicle violation fine.

- **Environmental Health** oversees programs to control hazards to health from radioactive materials, x-ray devices, unsafe boiler and pressure vessels, and from rats, mosquitoes and other disease vectors; administers the state-authorized consultative occupational health and safety program; and enforces standards for the protection of consumers against preventable hazards in food, milk and water.

- **The Radiological Health Division** maintains and enforces regulatory standards designed to ensure that the exposure of Mississippians to harmful radiation is kept at a low level.

- **Water Supply** regulates the engineering design, construction, operation and maintenance of public water systems; coordinates the water quality monitoring program; enforces the water quality standards of the Federal and Mississippi Safe Drinking Water Acts; ensures that each community/non-transient non-community public water system is operated by a certified waterworks operator; and administers the Drinking Water State Revolving Loan Fund. More than 98% of Mississippi community and non-community, non-transient public water systems employed certified operators during the year. The Mississippi Drinking Water State Revolving Loan Fund has awarded \$129,277,583 for construction of improvements on 134 projects since 1997. In FY 2005, 11 projects were initiated for \$10,267,979.

Public health's approximately 111 county and field environmentalists issued final approvals for:

- 4,316 individual onsite wastewater disposal systems
- 4,467 existing wastewater disposal systems
- 63 sewage pumpers' licenses
- 1,916 private wells
- 1,947 general sanitation complaints

The Mississippi Department of Health's Water Supply division helps ensure that the 2.8 million Mississippians – approximately 97% of the state's population who rely on the state's 1,400 public water systems – are routinely provided safe drinking water.

- **Licensure** provides oversight and enforcement of regulations; technical support for the provision of emergency medical services; minimum standards of health and safety in child care facilities; and licensure of special health professionals and health care facilities.

In FY 2005, Licensure:

- *Licensed or registered in excess of 9,300 individuals in allied health professions*
- *Licensed 1,713 child care facilities and completed 3,357 inspections*
- *Inspected and licensed 42 youth camps*
- *Investigated approximately 542 complaints related to child care facilities and providers*
- *Inspected 741 health care facilities*
- *Investigated 1,266 complaints and incidents in healthcare facilities*

Staff:

- *Inspected 2,170 x-ray devices used in the healing arts professions and 163 radioactive material licenses.*
- *Inspected and analyzed 1,274 environmental samples from the vicinity of Grand Gulf Nuclear Station and the Salmon Test Site in Lamar County.*
- *Tested 599 water supplies for radioactivity in accordance with EPA Safe Drinking Water Act.*
- *Evaluated 1,410 occupied areas in public schools and government buildings for radon.*

- **Communicable Disease** staff work with the Immunization, STD/HIV and Tuberculosis programs:

- The **Immunization Program** staff strives to ultimately eliminate morbidity and mortality from vaccine-preventable diseases by working with federal and state agencies, local health departments, physicians and other private immunization providers, schools, hospitals, nursing homes, licensed child care facilities, community-based organizations and the public. Targeted diseases include diphtheria, tetanus, pertussis, polio, measles, mumps, rubella, varicella, Haemophilus influenza type B, hepatitis B, influenza and pneumonia.

During FY 2005, approximately 20,000 cases of reportable diseases were recorded. Reported cases included such diseases and conditions as required, including encephalitis, E.Coli O157:H7, hepatitis, Lyme disease, malaria, meningitis, salmonellosis, rabies, tetanus, tularemia, rocky mountain spotted fever, legionellosis, tuberculosis, and sexually-transmitted diseases.

In FY 2005, Mississippi reported:

- *27 cases of hepatitis A*
- *36 cases of pertussis (whooping cough)*
- *no cases of mumps*
- *no cases of measles, diphtheria, or polio.*
- *89.7 percent of Mississippi's two-year-olds were fully immunized by 27 months old.*

- The **Sexually Transmitted Disease (STD)/Human Immunodeficiency Virus (HIV)** area consists of three branches: Surveillance, Quality Assurance, Prevention and Education and Comprehensive AIDS Resources Emergency Act (CARE) and Services. The staff also operates the Mobile Medical Clinic, a 38-foot long vehicle with two examination and treatment rooms, complete climate control, and a power generation system that allows it to appear at numerous events and sustain operations independent of any external support.
 - The **Surveillance and Quality Assurance** branches provide ongoing, systematic collection, analysis, evaluation, and dissemination of data describing STDs and HIV disease.
 - The **Prevention and Education** branch plans, implements and evaluates prevention interventions designed to reach high-priority target populations. It also coordinates the distribution and management of federal funding provided to nine community-based organizations (CBOs) throughout the state.
 - The **CARE and Services** branch manages funds Mississippi receives under the provision of Title II of the Ryan White Comprehensive AIDS Resources Emergency (CARE) Act. These federal dollars are often the only funds available to people living with HIV disease for life-sustaining therapies.
 - The **Housing Opportunities for People with AIDS (HOPWA)** Program, also managed by this branch, enables people living with HIV disease and their families to remain together by providing assistance for emergency and long-term housing, and with essential activities of daily living.

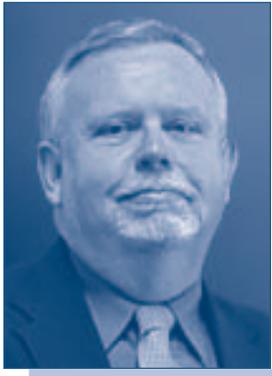
STD/HIV

- *Mississippi now ranks 26th in the nation in syphilis, down from first in the nation nine years ago.*
- *During CY 2004, 59 cases of Primary and Secondary (P & S) Syphilis were reported – a decline from 2,150 in 1995 to 59 in CY 2004.*
- *The number of new HIV disease cases (see note) in Mississippi continues to decline from 770 in 1995 to 607 in CY 2004.*
- *During CY 2004, an estimated 15,000 people benefited from STD/HIV prevention education services.*
- *The AIDS Drug Program served over 1,050 people in CY 2004.*
- *The Home-Based Program provided aerosolized pentamidine and injection therapies to 78 people during CY 2004.*

Note: HIV disease is based on the date of first report of either HIV infection or AIDS to the Mississippi Department of Health.

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- The ***Tuberculosis Program*** provides early and rapid detection of persons with tuberculosis or those at risk of developing tuberculosis; appropriate treatment and follow-up of diagnosed cases of tuberculosis; and preventive therapy to persons at risk of developing tuberculosis.
 - The ***Public Health Laboratory***, built in 1956, serves as a reference lab for the entire state, providing low-cost, high-quality testing services. Laboratory personnel provide clinical and environmental analysis for public health clinics, private physicians, hospitals, laboratories, public water systems, and individuals. Mississippi's Public Health Laboratory is accredited by the Food and Drug Administration for milk testing, the Environmental Protection Agency for drinking water testing, and the U.S. Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services for clinical testing. The lab is registered and accredited under the Clinical Laboratory Improvement Amendments of 1988 and is a member of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the Association of Public Health Laboratories Laboratory Response Network for Bioterrorism.

The Public Health Laboratory performed more than 670,000 tests in FY 2005.



Danny Bender, Director
Health Services

Health Services

Health Services addresses women's and children's health care needs in Mississippi. Health programs provide Mississippi women and children in the state with optimal health opportunities by offering services and assistance in the areas of breast and cervical cancer, early intervention, and related programs.

- **Child/Adolescent Health** provides preventive and sick child services statewide to children at or below 185 percent of poverty. Children in need of further care are linked with other MDH programs and/or private care providers as necessary for effective treatment and management.
 - The **Children's Medical Program (CMP)** provides services directed toward assuring availability of comprehensive care for children and adolescents with special health care needs. Programs are rehabilitative in nature and link families and patients to related resources. CMP generally serves individuals from birth to 21 years.
 - **First Steps** is an interagency early intervention system of services for infants and toddlers with developmental disabilities. MDH serves as the lead agency for this system of coordinating services. The system is designed according to federal regulations under Part C of the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA). Mississippi has fully implemented the statewide system of services as an entitlement for children with disabilities and their families.
- **Women's Health** provides and ensures access to comprehensive health services that affect positive outcomes for women, including early cancer detection, domestic violence prevention and intervention, family planning and maternity services.
 - **The Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program** works to reduce high morbidity and mortality caused by breast and cervical cancer in Mississippi's uninsured, underinsured and minority women. Women 50 years of age and older are the target group for mammography screening, and women 45 years and older are the target for cervical cancer screening. From July 1998 to August 22, 2005, more than 16,530 women were screened through the agency's Breast and Cervical Cancer Program.
 - **Family Planning Services** promotes awareness of and ensures access to reproductive health benefits by encouraging individuals to make informed choices that provide opportunities for healthier lives. More than 70,000 Mississippians – some 20,000 of them 19 years of age or younger – took advantage of comprehensive family planning services during FY 2005. High on the target priority list of recipients are sexually active teens and women 20 to 44 years of age with incomes below 150 percent of poverty level. In FY 2005, the family planning patient case load decreased by 17,762. However, program providers met all indicators required for compliance with federal regulations. Based on the numbers and characteristics of Family Planning Program participants in FY 2005, some 11,551 unwanted, unplanned pregnancies were prevented; of those, some 3,308 would have been pregnancies to teens.

In FY 2005, the First Steps Early Intervention Program served 2,195 children and families according to an individualized plan. Approximately 2,400 children were referred to the program.

- **Osteoporosis Screening and Awareness** establishes, maintains and promotes an osteoporosis prevention, treatment and education program. Osteoporosis is a silent disease discovered frequently when an unexpected fracture of a hip, the spine, or a wrist occurs. In CY 2004, MDH screened 1,768 women and men using the Luna PIXI Densitometer; 72 of these individuals were found to be osteoporotic (osteoporosis), 427 were osteopenic (low bone mass), and 1,122 were normal (147 records had missing information).
- **The Domestic Violence/Rape Prevention and Crisis Intervention Program** provides specific resources through contracts with domestic violence shelters and rape crisis programs. The domestic violence shelters provide direct services to women and children who are victims of domestic violence.

In FY 2005, the 14 domestic violence shelters that received funding from the program:

- answered 45,021 crisis line calls
- provided shelter for 3,446 women and children
- provided educational activities to 76,783 participants through a total of 1,571 programs

Rape Crisis Programs:

- answered 19,996 service and referral calls
- conducted 421 community education sessions with a total of 14,692 participants
- provided youth education training to 25,994 males and females
- provided law enforcement training in 27 sessions to a total of 585 participants

- The **Genetics Program** provides comprehensive genetic services statewide, including newborn screening, diagnosis, counseling, and follow-up of a broad range of genetic-related disorders. The program screens Mississippi newborns for a total of 40 genetic disorders. Mississippi has one of the most comprehensive newborn screening programs in the nation. The Genetics Program screens an average of 3,600 newborns per month for genetic disorders. Approximately 260 infants per month require follow-up for inconclusive or abnormal newborn screening results.
- **Maternity Services** aim to reduce low birth weight and infant mortality and morbidity in Mississippi by providing comprehensive, risk-appropriate prenatal care through county health departments. These services are designed for pregnant women at or below 185 percent of the Federal Poverty Level. Between 40,000 and 42,300 mothers deliver babies in Mississippi each year; approximately 18 percent of these mothers receive prenatal care through county health departments. MDH provides maternity services statewide to more than 7,750 women. Ambulatory care is provided throughout pregnancy and the postpartum period by a multi-disciplinary team including physicians, nurse practitioners, nurses, nutritionists, and social workers, after which entry into family planning services for the mother and well-child care for the infant are emphasized. Close follow-up for both is a high priority for 18 months after delivery.

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- **Maternal and Infant Mortality Surveillance:** This surveillance system is designed to collect information on both infant and maternal deaths to identify and examine factors associated with the death of a woman who had been pregnant or the death of an infant. The information is compiled from a variety of sources such as medical and public health records and family interviews, and reviewed to determine if or how this death could have been prevented. These reviews are used to improve services, resources, and community support for pregnant women, infants, and their families.
 - The **Perinatal High Risk Management/Infant Services System (PHRM/ISS)** provides a multidisciplinary team approach to high-risk mothers and infants statewide. These enhanced services include nursing, nutrition and social work. This team of professionals provides risk screening assessments, counseling, health education, home visiting and monthly case management. Targeted case management and a team approach can better treat the whole patient, improve access to available resources, provide for early detection of risk factors, allow coordinated care, and decrease low birth weight and pre-term delivery.
 - **Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring System (PRAMS)** is part of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) initiative to reduce infant mortality and low birth weight. PRAMS is an ongoing, state-specific, population-based surveillance system designed to identify and monitor selected maternal behaviors and experiences before, during and after pregnancy. This data can be analyzed and used to develop, monitor and assess programs designed to identify high-risk pregnancies, and to reduce adverse pregnancy outcomes.
 - **WIC — Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children** improves the outcome of pregnancies; reduces health problems associated with poor nutrition during pregnancy, infancy and early childhood; and reduces infant mortality. WIC provides special supplemental food and nutrition education to low-income pregnant, postpartum, and breastfeeding women, infants, and preschool children who have nutrition-related risk conditions.
 - The **Mississippi Breastfeeding Promotion and Support Program** has been recognized as a national model by the USDA Food and Nutrition Services. The Loving Support Breastfeeding Campaign is recognized as a national model for 19 states and the Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians.

A formal evaluation of the Mississippi Loving Support campaign showed it had a profound impact on Mississippi's breastfeeding rates. Current data reflects an overall statewide initiation rate of 49.1% and a WIC-specific rate of 42.9%.

USDA will utilize the "Loving Support" program to implement best practices in peer counseling. The model being used in this program reflects the Mississippi model.

Mississippi will receive over \$100,000 in additional funding to enhance the breastfeeding program statewide and to develop standardized training.

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- **Preventive Health** works to prevent and manage disease and injury by promoting optimal health through health education, program implementation, policy development, evaluation and partnerships. It provides support services aimed at schools, community, health, and work-site programs to improve the health of all Mississippians.
 - The **Health Education Program** provides and supports services aimed at schools, communities, worksites and health care settings.
 - Through its **Tobacco Prevention Program**, the Mississippi Department of Health is continuing to take actions in making tobacco prevention a mechanism for positive social change. During FY 2005, the program conducted 20 in-service smoking cessation meetings for doctors, healthcare professionals, school staff and the general public. The program is conducting tobacco prevention projects in each of the nine public health districts. Approximately 36,580 students have been served through the School Health Nurses for a Tobacco-Free Mississippi.
 - Since September 1998, the **Cardiovascular Health (CVH) Program** has received funding from CDC to conduct activities to prevent and control heart diseases, stroke and related complications. The CVH program partners with other organizations to improve the provision and quality of medical care for optimal health outcomes, implement program services that encourage healthy communities, increase public awareness of cardiovascular disease risk factors and prevention, and impact policies that help build healthy lifestyles and communities.
 - The **Injury and Violence Prevention Program** provides public education, technical assistance, safety assessment, and awareness of preventable death and disability due to injury and violence. During FY 2005, approximately 6,242 child safety seats were distributed and 3,600 residential smoke detectors were installed. Additionally, 99% of households were in compliance with fire safety guidelines one year after having a smoke detector installed.
 - The **Community and School Health Program** advocates community awareness, public health education and coordinated school health education initiatives that promote healthy lifestyles. Fifty-eight health screening events and 399 health education presentations regarding diabetes, cardiovascular health, cancer prevention and injury prevention were conducted.
 - The **Chronic Disease Program** serves in the capacity of program planning, objective setting, establishing protocol, quality assurance, and lending support services to public health districts and county health departments.

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- The **Diabetes Medication Program** provides support services for persons with diabetes, including screening and referral for definitive diagnosis, joint medical management, education, public information materials and diet counseling. During FY 2005, 177 patients were visited for treatment and 197 patients were visited for monitoring.
 - The **Diabetes Prevention and Control Program** (DPCP) is funded by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and addresses seven national objectives: to increase annual foot examinations, to increase annual eye examinations, to increase flu/pneumococcal vaccinations, to increase HgA1C testing, to reduce health disparities, to establish successful wellness programs, and to establish measurement procedures to track the program's success. During FY 2005, 66 healthcare providers received Lower Extremity Amputation Prevention training. Trained healthcare providers conducted an average of 137 foot screenings monthly. An additional 359 healthcare providers received continuing education regarding standards of care for diabetes; nine community-based organizations and community health centers received funding to conduct diabetes control and prevention activities; and 10 registered nurses were trained as Certified Congregational Health Nurses.
 - The **Hypertension Program** provides screening, detection, diagnosis, treatment or referral for treatment and follow-up on compliance in cooperation with the patient's physician as a joint management effort. Approximately 1,156 patients were served in the hypertension program during FY 2005.
 - The **Comprehensive Cancer Control Program** (CCCP) was established in 2003 through the CDC model of an integrated and coordinated approach to reducing cancer incidence, morbidity, and mortality through prevention, early detection, treatment, rehabilitation and palliation. The MDH CCCP has been collaborating with a statewide broad-based comprehensive cancer control coalition (MP3C) and partners to assess the burden of cancer; to determine priorities for cancer prevention and control; to provide educational awareness; and to develop a State Cancer Plan. The plan will serve as a blueprint for coordinated action, ideally laying out measurable objectives through enhancing infrastructure, partnership collaboration, addressing the cancer burden, and evaluating the planning process.

Changes in State Law

2005 Legislation Affecting the Mississippi Department of Health:

Health Regulation – Health Care Facility Licensure

Require Hair Braiders to Register with Department

House Bill 454 extended the automatic repeal date of State Board of Cosmetology until July 1, 2010. The bill also required hair braiders to register with the Department of Health and complete a self-test brochure on infection control techniques. These new provisions will repeal July 1, 2008.

Health Regulation – Professional Licensure

Hearing Aid Dealers

House Bill 246 deleted the automatic repeal date of the laws providing for the licensure and regulation of Hearing Aid Specialists.

Speech Pathologists and Audiologists

House Bill 236 deleted the automatic repeal date of the laws providing for the licensure and regulation of Speech Pathologists and Audiologists.

Health Services

Mississippi Disability Resource Commission

Senate Bill 2931 established the Mississippi Disability Resource Commission. The purpose of the Commission is to assimilate and provide current information about disabilities, refer persons to appropriate agencies, facilitate coordination of agency services, and be a comprehensive information clearinghouse and single point of contact for people with disabilities. This bill also established a statewide toll-free telephone line for people with disabilities seeking access to services and programs.

Vital Statistics

Adoption Reporting

House Bill 988 required the Bureau of Vital Statistics of MDH to maintain a record with information regarding the number of adoptions in this state where an adopting parent is or is not a blood relative of an adoptee. The Administrative Office of Courts assists by reporting finalized adoptions in each chancery court district monthly to the bureau.

Health Regulation – Child Care Facility Licensure

Child Care Background Checks

Senate Bill 2053 required background checks of employees and volunteers in child care service performed by MDH to include a search of the sex offender registry maintained by the Department of Public Safety.

Other Legislation

Abortion Facility Licensure as a Level I or II Facility

Senate Bill 2883 provided that an abortion facility may apply for issuance of a license by the Department as a Level I or Level II facility. Only a Level I abortion facility may perform an abortion after the first trimester and must meet the minimum standards for ambulatory surgical facilities. This section has an automatic repealer of June 30, 2006.

Public Water Systems Corrosion Control Treatment

House Bill 683 extended, until July 1, 2007, the requirement that the operator of a public water system provide for corrosion control treatment (by operating and maintaining the system's water treatment facilities in order to continuously provide the optimum pH of the treated water or optimum dosage of corrosion inhibitor). The purpose of corrosion control is to protect the infrastructure of the entire water system.

Individual On-site Wastewater Disposal System Law

House Bill 287 extended, until July 1, 2006, the Individual On-site Wastewater Disposal System Law and transferred (from Department of Environmental Quality to Department of Health) responsibility for suitability review of individual on-site wastewater disposal systems where a developer proposes its use in a subdivision.

Infant Mortality Task Force

Senate Bill 2511 extended, until July 1, 2006, the Infant Mortality Task Force.

Changes in Regulations

The State Board of Health adopted the following changes in health plans and agency regulations during the 2005 fiscal year.

JULY 14, 2004

Adopted the proposed update of FY 2005 State Health Plan.

Adopted revised regulation that allows Level II Rehabilitation Facilities to treat two additional diagnostic categories: major multiple trauma and neurological disorders.

Adopted proposed changes to Chapter XII (Comprehensive Medical Rehabilitation CON Criteria and Standards) of the FY 2005 State Health Plan.

These changes allow Level II Rehabilitation Facilities to treat two additional diagnostic categories: major multiple trauma and neurological disorders.

Adopted policy changes to the State Health Plan for Establishment of an End Stage Renal Disease (ESRD) facility.

Provided that an applicant proposing the establishment of a limited care renal dialysis facility or the relocation of a portion of an existing ESRD facility's dialysis stations shall demonstrate, subject to verification by the Mississippi Department of Health, that each individual existing ESRD facility in the proposed ESRD Facility Service Area has (a) maintained a minimum annual utilization rate of eighty (80) percent, or (b) that the location of the proposed ESRD facility is in a county which does not currently have an existing ESRD facility but whose ESRD relative risk score using current ESRD Network 8 data is 1.5 or higher. (b) criterion presently include: Humphreys, Jefferson, Montgomery, and Tallahatchie. Note: ESRD Policy Statements 2, 4, 5, and 6 do not apply to criterion 1 (b).

Adopted changes to regulations governing licensure of Child Care Facilities and Regulations Governing Licensure of Child Care Facilities for 12 or Fewer Children in the Operator's Home.

Provided that an agreement may be made between the child care facility and the child's parent, guardian or contact person at the time of registration to inform the parent, guardian or contact person if the child does not arrive at the facility within a reasonable time.

Adopted changes to the Minimum Standards of Operation for the Institution for the Aged and Infirm, Personal Care Homes – Assisted Living, Personal Care Home – Residential Living, Operation for Home Health Agencies, and Operation of Hospices.

Added new definition and facility requirements for criminal history record checks and it mandates that facilities conduct a disciplinary check on each employee, with their employee's licensing professional agency.

Adopted changes to the Minimum Standards of Operation for Hospitals.

Included the criminal history record check changes in the other facility minimum standards.

Adopted changes to the Minimum Standards of Operation for Abortion Facilities.

Added the definition of Medical Treatment and added requirement that a physician shall file a written report with the Department of Health regarding each patient who requires medical treatment or suffers death that the attending physician has a reasonable basis to believe is a primary, secondary, or tertiary result of an induced abortion.

Adopted changes to the Amendments to Existing Emergency Management Services (EMS) Rules and Regulations.

Added definitions and requirements for Medical First Responder to First Responder Section and added requirements for Special Use Vehicle to Ambulance Service Licensure.

Adopted Amendments to the Regulation Governing Individual Onsite Wastewater.

Made changes to Design Standard III Aggregate Replacement Systems.

Adopted changes to the List of Reportable Diseases and Conditions.

Added benign brain tumors as a Class IV reportable condition. The addition will become part of Section XVII, Specific Disease Control Measures.

OCTOBER 13, 2004

No regulations adopted.

JANUARY 12, 2005

Adopted changes to the Minimum Standards of Operation for Mississippi Hospitals.

Revised general policies to update current standards.

Adopted changes to the Minimum Standards of Operation for Home Health Agencies.

Changed physical therapy assistant supervision time requirements and removed the requirement that an Occupational Therapist countersign an Occupational Therapy Assistant's documentation.

Adopted changes to the Regulations for Control of Radiation in Mississippi.

Waived annual registration fees for local, county and state governments having small amounts of radioactive material associated with Homeland Security.

Adopted Regulations Governing Review of Applications and Issuance of Certificates of Public Advantage to Rural Hospitals that Enter into Cooperative Agreements for Certain Purposes.

APRIL 13, 2005

Adopted amendments to Regulations for Control of Radiation in Mississippi.

Revised Standards for Protection Against Radiation and Radionuclides in the Healing Arts

Adopted changes to the Minimum Standards of Operation:

- **Mississippi Hospital**
- **Hospice**
- **Abortion Facilities**
- **Ambulatory Surgical Facilities**

Required the applicable facility to maintain a written disaster preparedness plan that includes procedures to follow in the event of fire, train derailment, explosions, severe weather and other possible disasters as appropriate for the specific geographic location.

Report On Conventions, Associations, Or Meeting

Name	Place	Purpose	Cost	Source
ALEXANDER, JUDY	DALLAS, TX	CMS BASIC HOSPITAL	\$1,358.60	Federal
ALGEE, JEFFREY L.	CHATTANOOGA, TN	NRC LICENSING PRACTICES AND PROCEDURES	\$1,251.33	Other
	ST. ROSA, LA	NRC SAFETY INDUSTRIAL (H-305) RADIOGRAPHY COURSE	\$1,179.41	Other
ALLEN, HARVEY KEITH	LEXINGTON, KY	EPA REGION IV/ STATE WATER DIRECTORS MEETING	\$419.89	Federal
ALLEN, MARK EDGAR	KANSAS CITY, MO	CLEAR 2004 ANNUAL CONF. AND TRAINING	\$889.99	Other
AMY, BRIAN W.	ST. PAUL MN	ASHTO AND APHL 2004 ANNUAL MEETING: BUILDING BRIDGE	\$480.05	State
	WASHINGTON, DC	AMERICAN COLLEGE OF PREVENTIVE MEDICINE	\$1,961.21	State
	WASHINGTON, DC	AMERICAN PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOC.	\$2,360.19	State
	WASHINGTON, DC	132 ANNUAL MTG/EXPO STATE & TERRITORIAL HEALTH OFFICER MEETING	\$757.31	State
ANDERSON, SILAS	CINCINNATI, OH	EPA'S RADIOCHEMISTRY WORKSHOP	\$665.45	Other
	HARRISBURG, PA	NATIONAL RADIOLOGICAL EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS CONF	\$819.77	Other
	NEWPORT, RI	14TH ANNUAL NATIONAL RADON MEETING	\$822.48	Federal
	TN, AL, LA & AR	LICENSE INSPECTION	\$303.92	Other
ARMSTRONG, MARY G.	DESTIN, FL	MS ACADEMY OF FAMILY PHYSICIANS	\$246.00	Federal
BAKER, KAREN RENE	KANSAS CITY, MO	BASIC LONG TERM CARE	\$1,304.03	Federal
	BATON ROUGE, LA	WATERFORD-3 STEAM ELECTRIC STATION EXERCISE	\$112.12	Other
BARNES, TINA MECHELLE	DALLAS, TX	LABORATORY METHODS	\$749.98	Federal
BENDER, DANIEL R.	ARLINGTON, VA	THE POWER OF PARTNERSHIP: MEETING TODAY'S MCH CHALLENGES	\$1,281.78	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA	MCH BLOCK GRANT REVIEW PROCESS	\$875.98	Federal
BOONE, SUSAN	ATLANTA, GA	HILTON/EARLY HEADSTART TRAINING PROGRAM SPECIAL	\$54.90	Federal
BOOTH, JOYCE JONES	BALTIMORE, MD	THIRD ANNUAL NATIONAL HEPATITIS SUMMIT	\$1,007.01	Federal
BOYER, SUZANNE	CINCINNATI, OH	CINCINNATI CHILDREN'S PEDIATRIC DYSPHASIA SERIES	\$780.28	Federal
BRACEY-WILSON, VERNESIA	OAKBROOK, IL	MCH LEADERSHIP CONF.	\$429.53	Federal
	PORTLAND, OR	CITYMATCH/PPOR APPROACH CONFERENCE	\$312.00	Federal
	TAMPA, FL	COMMUNITY HEALTH SOLUTIONS: KEEPING THE DRIVE ALIVE	\$965.86	Federal
BROWN, LOVETTA	DENVER, CO	THE DENVER TB COURSE	\$834.03	State
	WASHINGTON, DC	STATE MINORITY HEALTH LEADERSHIP MEETING	\$72.80	Other
	WINSTON-SALEM, SC	FACES OF A HEALTHY FUTURE: CONFR TO END HEALTH DISPARITY	\$447.31	Other
BROWN, MELVERTA M.	ATLANTA, GA	LET'S GET CENTERED: PROVIDING CASE MANAGEMENT	\$1,565.04	Federal
	SALT LAKE CITY, UT	FUNDAMENTALS OF PREVENTIVE COUNSELING: ADDRESSING	\$643.88	Federal
BRUCE, CHARLENE W.	ROCKVILLE, MD	ELECTRONIC STATE ACCESS TO FACTS	\$1,433.63	Other
	ST. SIMONS ISLAND, GA	FDA SOUTHEAST REGIONAL FOOD SEMINAR	\$1,058.62	State

BURK, KATHY GIBSON	ALEXANDRIA, VA	FOOD DISTRIBUTION 101	\$1,903.46	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA	REGIONAL WIC DIRECTORS'	\$931.81	Federal
	CHAPEL HILL, NC	FNS HANDBOOK 901 TRAINING	\$1,567.61	Federal
	PASADENA, CA	CSFP NATIONAL CONFERENCE	\$970.09	Federal
BURNETT, SYLVIA A. BUSLER, CHARLIE GRAY	ST. LOUIS, MO	NATL WIC ASSN ANNUAL CONFERENCE	\$779.32	Federal
	ORLANDO, FL	PHOTOSHOP WORLD 2004	\$1,070.92	State
BYERS, PAUL E. CANNON, GENEVA	ST. SIMONS ISLAND, GA	FDA SOUTHEAST REGIONAL FOOD SEMINAR	\$1,105.37	State
	DENVER, CO	THE DENVER TB COURSE	\$1,060.15	State
CAREY, FLOYD THOMAS	ATLANTA, GA	MCH BLOCK GRANT REVIEW PROCESS	\$462.75	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	ASSN OF MATERNAL & CHILD HLTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE	\$1,197.62	Federal
	SAN FRANCISCO, CA	AMERICAN ACADEMY OF PEDIATRICS	\$2,771.11	Other
CARLISLE, VALERIE LYNN	SEATTLE, WA	AUTISM SOCIETY OF AMERICA 35 TH NATIONAL CONFERENCE	\$1,626.16	Federal
	DESTIN, FL	MS BAR CONTINUING LEGAL EDUCATION	\$664.08	State
CARR, TIMOTHY BROOKS	CHARLESTON, SC	FDA SOUTHEAST REGIONAL MILK SEMINAR	\$772.03	State
	COLUMBUS, OH	NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON INTERSTATE MILK SHIPMENTS	\$1,632.17	State
CARSON, JIMMY L.	KANSAS CITY, MO	2005 MAMMAGRAPHY CONTINUING EDUCATION & AAPM	\$1,079.91	Other
CLARK, BRENDA R.	ST. SIMONS ISLAND, GA	FDA SOUTHEAST REGIONAL FOOD SEMINAR	\$1,076.01	State
CLARK, LAWRENCE H.	ATLANTA, GA	MCH BLOCK GRANT REVIEW PROCESS	\$452.04	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	MCH CHALLENGES THROUGH PARTNERSHIPS	\$1,139.63	Federal
CONLEY, ULYSSES	ATLANTA, GA	MCH BLOCK GRANT REVIEW PROCESS	\$503.75	Federal
COX, KENDALL R.	NEW ORLEANS, LA	TECHNICAL VISIT FOR USDA GRANT USING LOVING SUPPORT	\$421.74	Federal
		PROVIDENCE, RI SUPPORTING BREASTFEEDING IN RHODE ISLAND	\$642.67	Federal
	TIFTON MACON, GA	TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE VISIT FOR GA BREASTFEEDING GR	\$972.80	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	USDA FINAL REPORT ON LOVING SUPPORT GRANT	\$358.15	Federal
COX, LYNN T.	LAS VEGAS, NV	AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF NURSES ASSESSMENT COORDINA	\$875.17	Federal
	SEATTLE, WA	BASIC ICF/MR_SURVEY OR TRAINING COURSE	\$1,705.93	Federal
CRAFT, CHRISTY LEIGH	ARLINGTON, VA	4TH ANNUAL TRAUMA PROGRAM AND SYSTEM MANAGEMENT	\$789.76	Other
	KANSAS CITY, MO	CLEAR 2004 ANNUAL CONFERENCE AND TRAINING	\$1,024.50	Other
	MIAMI, FL	3RD ANNUAL RISKWATCH CHAMPION CONFERENCE	\$984.66	Other
CRAIG, JAMES H. III	ATLANTA, GA	SOUTHEAST REGIONAL SYMPOSIUM	\$240.31	Federal
DACE, PATRINA ROBINSON	ATHENS, GA	EPA REGION STATE LAB DIRECTOR/MICROBIOLOGY WORKSHOP	\$517.27	Other
DANIEL, BETTYE	ANAHEIM, CA	HEALTH DISPARITIES COLLABORATIVE 2005	\$2,156.14	Federal
	BATON ROUGE, LA	LEAP PROGRAM REVIEW AND UPDATE	\$78.01	Federal
DAVIS, CLARA BEE	ATLANTA, GA	TITLE X FAMILY PLANNING NATIONAL GRANTEE MEETING	\$592.45	Federal
DAVIS, JANICE DAVIS BACON, CAROLYN	ATLANTA, GA	WIC FINANCIAL TRAINING AT USDA	\$1,207.75	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA	IDEA IMPLEMENTATION MEETING	\$275.14	Federal
-	NEW ORLEANS, LA	NL ACCOUNTABILITY CONF. ON SPECIAL EDUCATION	\$516.52	Federal

DEAVER, ANTHONY WARREN	WASHINGTON, DC COVINGTON, LA	OSEP NATIONAL EARLY SOUTH CENTRAL PUBLIC HEALTH LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE	\$998.94 \$143.25	Federal Other
DENSON, FELECIA	CHARLESTON, SC	CLIA SOUTHERN CONSORTIUM TRAINING	\$994.13	Federal
	COLUMBIA, MD	BASIC CLIA LAB SURVEYOR TRAINING COURSE	\$1,206.00	Federal
DENSON, LOUISA ETHELENE	ATLANTA, GA	10TH ANNUAL MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH EPIDEMIOLOGY	\$1,275.21	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	ASSN OF MATERNAL & CHILD HLTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE	\$1,156.88	Federal
DOVE, CASSANDRA ANQUALA	ATLANTA, GA	DHPE/DHR PARTNERSHIP MTG.	\$1,181.47	Federal
	MIAMI, FL	CDC DIABETES TRANSLATION CONFERENCE	\$1,111.23	Federal
EASLEY, JASON D. EGGER, STEPHEN G.	ORANGE BEACH, AL ATLANTA, GA	SCPHLI 2005 CMS ATLANTA REGION PROVIDER CONGRESS	\$244.52 \$520.50	State Federal
	BALTIMORE, MD	NATIONAL QIES TECHNICAL CONFERENCE	\$1,006.49	Federal
ELLINGTON, JOE A.	CHATTANOOGA, TN	G-108 INSPECTIONS PROCEDURES	\$2,588.77	Other
	ST. ROSA, LA	NRC SAFETY INDUSTRIAL RADIOGRAPHY COURSE (H-305)	\$928.65	Other
FAHNER, JOSEPH A.	ATLANTA, GA WASHINGTON, DC	IDEA IMPLEMENTATION MEETING OSEP NATIONAL EARLY	\$361.78 \$1,087.36	Federal Federal
FARRISH, DANIEL ASHLEY FORTUNE, MELODY	DALLAS, TX ATLANTA, GA	CHILDHOOD CONFERENCE BASIC CRYSTAL REPORT DESIGN I NATIONAL CANCER PREVENTION & CONTROL MEETING	\$1,100.89 \$1,920.37	Other Federal
FOWLER, CHERYL	ARLINGTON, VA	NCCSBN 2005 NURSING ASSISTANT WORKSHOP	\$703.23	Federal
FRANKEL, HARDIE H.	LITTLE ROCK, AR	CERTIFICATE OF TRAINING IN CHILDHOOD, ADOLESCENT	\$431.34	Federal
FUNCHESS, TANYA TOMEKIO	ATLANTA, GA	2005 HEALTH COMMUNICATIONS, SURVEILLANCE, & EVAL	\$1,067.50	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA	ORIENTATION FOR NEW PROGRAM MANAGERS AND 2004 NTCP	\$894.84	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA	QUITLINES - PARTNERING FOR GROWTH	\$626.61	Federal
	CHICAGO, IL	2005 NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON TOBACCO HEALTH	\$1,070.96	Federal
	INDIANAPOLIS, IN	4TH NATIONAL TOBACCO SYMPOSIUM ON YOUNG ADULTS	\$493.92	Federal
	SEATTLE, WA	2004 NATIONAL PREVENTION SYMPOSIUM	\$1,058.96	Federal
GALES, MARY ELLA	ATLANTA, GA	WIC COMMODITY FOOD SUPPLY TRAINING	\$1,034.26	Federal
	PASADENA, CA	CSFP NATIONAL CONFERENCE	\$823.00	Federal
GALOFARO, DIANA S. GAUDIN, CYNTHIA MARIE	ATLANTA, GA ARLINGTON, VA	2005 PEER COUNSELOR TRAINING THE POWER OF PARTNERSHIP: MEETING TODAY MCH CHALLENGES	\$875.08 \$1,018.40	Federal Federal
GERMAN, JACQUILYN R.	SAN DIEGO, CA	PREVENTIVE HEALTH HEALTH SERVICES BLOCK GRANT	\$282.72	Federal
GETTIS, DAPHNEE VERDELL	SCOTTSDALE, AZ	NTL BIRTH DEFECTS PREVENTION 8TH ANNUAL MEETING	\$1,143.63	Federal
GILMER, TRACY LOUISE GLASCOE, HAROLD LEE	DALLAS, TX BALTIMORE, MD	LABORATORY METHODS FREE SAFETY EVALUATION SYSTEM HEALTHCARE	\$2,236.86 \$1,162.79	Federal Federal
	EMMITSBURG, MD	R102: PLANS REVIEW FOR INSPECTORS	\$392.88	Federal
GOFF, ROBERT W.	BATON ROUGE, LA	WATERFORD-3 STEAM ELECTRIC STATION EXERCISE	\$114.34	Other
	KING OF PRUSSIA, PA	2004 ORGANIZATION (OAS) OF AGREEMENT STATES	\$1,105.97	Other
GUTHRIE-LEWIS, ELVIE P. HAMLIN, DORSEY PHILANDER HAMMACK, THOMAS CLAY JR.	HARRISBURG, PA EMMITSBURG, MD DENVER, CO	MEETING WITH PA WIC E341 RADIOLOGICAL ACCIDENT THE DENVER TB COURSE	\$647.17 \$195.07 \$864.29	Federal Other State

HAND, SHERYL OWEN	SEATTLE, WA	PULSENET UPDATE MEETING & FOODBORNE EPIDEMIOLOGY	\$1,255.86	Federal
HARGROVE, ROLAND	FORT MCCLELLAN, AL	RADIOLOGICAL EMERGENCY	\$153.85	Other
HARRION, GENE A., JR.	NEW ORLEANS, LA	NATIONAL RURAL HEALTH	\$1,540.51	Federal
	ROCKVILLE, MD	SORH DIRECTOR'S	\$296.85	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	ORIENTATION TRAINING		
	WASHINGTON, DC	FIRST BHPR ALL GRANTEE	\$1,015.45	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	CONFERENCE		
	WASHINGTON, DC	STATE PRIMARY CARE OFFICE	\$1,310.80	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	ANNUAL MEETING		
HARRIS, ROZELIA	ATLANTA, GA	RURAL HEALTH WORKS TRAINING	\$1,167.65	Other
HART, WALTER R	WASHINGTON, DC	CDC NTL BIRTH DEFECTS & DEVELOPMENTAL DISABILITIES	\$913.18	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	OSEP NATIONAL EARLY	\$1,085.38	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	CHILDHOOD CONFERENCE		
HAYDEL, CARL LAWRENCE, JR	SAN DIEGO, CA	24 ANNUAL ESRI INTERNATIONAL	\$1,520.83	Other
	WASHINGTON, DC	USER CONFERENCE		
	WASHINGTON, DC	2004 ESRI INTERNATIONAL	\$1,033.91	Other
	WASHINGTON, DC	HEALTH GIS USER CONFERENCE		
HAYNES, LINDA ANN	DALLAS TX	PARTNER COUNSELING	\$1,204.23	Federal
	DALLAS, TX	AND REFERRAL SERVICES		
	DALLAS, TX	SITE VISIT STD/HIV CLINIC	\$14.14	Federal
HEINRICHS, HERRI ELLEN	BALTIMORE, MD	BASIC LONG TERM CARE	\$1,410.93	Federal
	BALTIMORE, MD	HEALTH FACILITY		
HERRING, TAMMY L.	ATLANTA, GA	2005 PEER COUNSELOR	\$1,264.32	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA	TRAINING		
HODGES, REBECCA	DESTIN, FL	MS ACADEMY OF FAMILY	\$1,182.45	State
	DESTIN, FL	PHYSICIANS		
HOGGATT, PHILIS H.	SANDESTIN, FL	SERGG ANNUAL MEETING	\$223.57	Other
HOLCOMBE, JAMES M.	HUNTSVILLE, AL	1ST ANNUAL CDIS	\$395.75	State
	HUNTSVILLE, AL	CONSORTIA MEETING		
HOLSEN, VICTOR DARYLE	COLUMBIA, MD	FIRE SAFETY EVAL. SYS.	\$1,057.08	Federal
	COLUMBIA, MD	HEALTH CARE SUR TRAINING		
	DALLAS, TX	BASIC LIFE SAFETY COURSE	\$1,313.36	Federal
HONORE, PEGGY A.	ATLANTA, GA	HEALTH ECONOMIST	\$516.98	Other
	ATLANTA, GA	IN MS DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH		
	BOSTON, MA	ANNUAL RESEARCH MEETING 2005	\$1,130.87	State
	NEW ORLEANS, LA	NATIONAL NETWORK OF PUBLIC	\$253.90	Other
	NEW ORLEANS, LA	HEALTH INSTITUTES		
HORNE, ROSE MARY W.	ATLANTA, GA	5TH ANNUAL IMMUNIZATION	\$1,205.89	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA	REGISTRY CONFERENCE		
HOUSTON, ISABEL HANNA	BALTIMORE, MD	BASIC HEALTH FACILITY	\$1,263.77	Other
	BALTIMORE, MD	HOSPICE TRAINING COURSE		
HOUSTON, SAMUEL FORD	ATLANTA, GA	EMSC SERC CONFERENCE	\$168.22	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA	AND EMS EXPO		
	TN, AL, LA & AR	LICENSE INSPECTION	\$115.43	Other
HOWARD, TENNILLE	ANAHEIM, CA	HEALTH DISPARITIES	\$1,475.33	Federal
	ANAHEIM, CA	COLLABORATIVE 2005		
	ATLANTA, GA	2ND NTL CDC PREVENTION	\$667.78	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA	CONFERENCE ON HEART DISEASE		
	ATLANTA, GA	-LONG TERM CARE		
HOWZE WARKIE, ORDENIA	SAN MATEO, CA	BASIC HEALTH FACILITY	\$1,490.83	Federal
HUGHES, ISABELLA	DALLAS, TX	LABORATORY METHODS	\$1,248.98	Federal
HUNTER, CYNTHIA G.	BALTIMORE, MD	BASIC LONG TERM CARE	\$1,429.34	Federal
	BALTIMORE, MD	HEALTH FACILITY		
IRVIN, REGINA L.	PHOENIX/MESA, AZ	GPRA MEDICAID CHILDHOOD	\$648.02	Federal
	PHOENIX/MESA, AZ	IMMUNIZATION MEETING		
	WASHINGTON, DC	NATIONAL IMMUNIZATION	\$1,400.81	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	CONFERENCE		
IRWIN, THERESA ANN	CHARLESTON, SC	CLIA SOUTHERN CONSORTIUM	\$963.03	Federal
	CHARLESTON, SC	TRAINING		
	COLUMBIA, MD	BASIC CLIA LAB SURVEYOR	\$849.78	Federal
	COLUMBIA, MD	TRAINING COURSE		
IVY, STEPHANIE NICOLE	BOSTON, MA	MATERNAL & CHILD HLTH	\$292.61	Other
	BOSTON, MA	EPIDEMIOLOGY CONFERENCE		

	WASHINGTON, DC	NTL FETAL&INFANT MORTALITY REVIEW PROGRAM	\$980.86	Other
JACKSON, ANN H.	ATLANTA, GA	T.B. EDUCATION AND	\$749.54	Federal
JAMES, REBECCA C.	DENVER, CO	THE DENVER TB COURSE	\$1,067.82	State
JEFFERSON, DOROTHY D.	ATLANTA, GA	WIC COMMODITY FOOD SUPPLY TRAINING	\$498.85	Federal
JOHNSON, RICHARD A.	ATLANTA, GA	BEHAVIOR RISK FACTOR SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM	\$742.63	Federal
JOHNSON, TAMEKA L.	GAITHERSBURG, MD	MQSA INSPECTION PROCEDURES COURSE II	\$4,050.67	Other
	GAITHERSBURG, MD	MSQA INSPECTION PROCEDURES COURSE III	\$4,106.15	Other
JONES, CAROL A.	HERSHEY, PA	FARMER'S MARKET NATIONAL CONFERENCE	\$952.23	Federal
JONES, CHERYL BERNICE	SAN MATEO, CA	BASIC HEALTH FACILITY - LONG TERM CARE	\$1,327.31	Federal
JONES MARILYN SUE W.	ATLANTA, GA	10TH ANNUAL MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH EPIDEMIOLOGY	\$702.47	Federal
JORDAN, CURTIS	IRVING, TX	VACCINE MANAGEMENT BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT PROJECT	\$611.90	Federal
JORDAN, DARRELL A.	ATLANTA, GA	10TH ANNUAL MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH EPIDEMIOLOGY	\$1,809.39	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA	SUDAAN TRAINING	\$1,007.50	Federal
JORDAN, MARY L.	ATLANTA, GA	2005 PEER COUNSELOR REGIONAL WIC DIRECTORS' & NUTRITION MEETING	\$1,044.71	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA		\$826.59	Federal
	ST. LOUIS, MO	NATL WIC ASSN ANNUAL CONFERENCE	\$878.02	Federal
JUSTICE, JOHN DANIEL	MURFREESBORO, TN	WATER FLUORIDATION: PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICES	\$918.55	Federal
	ORANGE BEACH, AL	SCPHLI	\$71.23	Federal
KING, KATHERINE A.	MEMPHIS, TN	2004 FALL THERAPEUTICS SEMINAR	\$287.56	State
KITTLE, THERESA	SAN JOSE, CA	2005 NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON WEST NILE IN THE USA	\$985.10	Federal
KNOTT, SHARON	NEW ORLEANS, LA	NTL ACCOUNTABILITY CONFERENCE ON SPECIAL EDUCATION	\$35.17	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	OSEP NATIONAL EARLY CHILDHOOD CONFERENCE	\$1,007.32	Federal
KRESGE, JEFFERY	COLLEGE PARK, GA	SERRC SECOND PART C /SECTION 619 COORDINATORS FORUM	\$658.19	Federal
KWELLER, DAVID B.	KANSAS CITY, MO	STATE LICENSURE LIAISON GROUP MEETING	\$83.75	Other
LAMBERT, RUTHIE GAIL	CHARLSTON, WV	NATIONAL REGISTRY REPRESENTATIVE TRAINING	\$1,019.11	Other
	TN, AL, LA & AR	LICENSE INSPECTION	\$145.71	Other
LASHLEY, YANCI TAHITA	NEW ORLEANS, LA	NTL ACCOUNTABILITY	\$309.19	Federal
LEE, JAE-EUN	WASHINGTON, DC	AMERICAN PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOC. 132 ANNUAL MTG/EXPO	\$2,329.09	Other
LI, MINA	ATLANTA, GA	19H NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON CHRONIC DISEASE PREVENTIONS	\$849.56	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA	NATIONAL CANCER PREVENTION & CONTROL MEETING	\$1,218.63	Federal
	NASHVILLE, TN	SUMMIT ON THE BURDEN OF CANCER	\$450.74	Federal
LIGHTWINE, DAVID	MEMPHIS, TN	RURAL HOSPITAL BALANCED SCORECARD DEMO PROJECT	\$196.52	Federal
	PORTLAND, OR	RURAL HEALTH AND NOSDRH ANNUAL MEETING	\$1,022.66	Federal
		LONG TERM CARE		
LLOYD, KIMBLEY EARBY	SEATTLE, WA	PULSENET UPDATE MEETING & FOODBORNE EPIDEMIOLOGY	\$1,219.99	Federal
LOWERY, ROBERT G., JR.	WASHINGTON, DC	RYAN WHITE 2004 GRANTEE CONFERENCE	\$1,512.80	Federal
LUCKETT, MICHAEL A.	DALLAS, TX	CMS BASIC HOSPITAL	\$1,160.77	Federal
LUCKETT, VERONICA J.	CHAPEL HILL, NC	FNS HANDBOOK 901 TRAINING	\$1,525.03	Federal
	ST. LOUIS, MO	NATL WIC ASSN ANNUAL CONFERENCE	\$852.83	Federal
LUTHER, SANDRA K.	MEMPHIS, TN	LOW CARB DIETS WHAT ARE HEALTH IMPLICATIONS	\$75.00	Federal

MADDOX, PANSY N.	NEW ORLEANS, LA	2004 LOUISIANA FOOD SERVICE EXPO	\$67.00	State
MADISON, LORENZO DAMON	DALLAS, TX	LABORATORY METHODS	\$2,038.99	Federal
MAGEE, PATRICIA COLLEEN	CLEARWATER BEACH, FL	END STAGE RENAL DISEASE ANNUAL UPDATE	\$1,802.25	Federal
	MEMPHIS, TN	2004 ANNUAL NETWORK 8 MEETING	\$682.41	Federal
MAGERS, WANDA KAY	ATLANTA, GA	2ND NTL CDC PREVENTION CONFERENCE ON HEART DISEASE	\$972.21	Federal
MANNING, TERI D.	CHARLESTON, SC	CLIA SOUTHERN CONSORTIUM TRAINING	\$1,080.36	Federal
	COLUMBIA, MD	BASIC CLIA LAB SURVEYOR TRAINING COURSE	\$1,302.12	Federal
MARANGER, GEORGE KEITH	BATON ROUGE, LA	LEAD HAZARD RISK ASSESSMENT REFRESHER COURSE	\$194.07	State
MARLOWE, MARCIA	BALTIMORE, MD	BASIC LONGTERM CARE FACILITY SURVEYOR TRAINING COURSE	\$1,541.58	Other
MARTIN, BEVERLY HOPE	BALTIMORE, MD	CMS BASIC HEALTH FACILITY HOME HEALTH AGENCY	\$1,483.63	Other
MATHEWS, TABATHA PARRISH	COVINGTON, LA	SOUTH CENTRAL PUBLIC HEALTH LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE	\$292.90	Other
MAY, HERMAN L.	ALBANY, NY	FIRE SAFETY EVAL SYSTEM: CARE SURVEYOR TRAINING	\$2,019.09	Other
MCANALLY, EDWARD R.	ATLANTA, GA	BEHAVIOR RISK FACTOR SURVEILLANCE SYSTEM	\$1,102.55	Other
	ATLANTA, GA	BFRSS TRAINING WORKSHOP	\$458.84	Other
MCCANN, TIMOTHY	MEMPHIS, TN	LEAD RISK ASSESSOR REFRESHER CLASS	\$350.71	Federal
MCELWAIN, SHERRIE S.	SEATTLE, WA	BASIC ICF/MR_SURVEYOR TRAINING COURSE	\$1,706.35	Federal
MCEWEN, HENRY T.	LITTLE ROCK, AR	ARKANSAS BOILER INSPECTOR CONFERENCE	\$406.96	Other
MCFARLAND, CARRIE M.	ARLINGTON, VA	AMERICAN TRAUMA SOCIETY CONFERENCE	\$1,055.92	Other
	HOUSTON, TX	CRYSTAL REPORTS TRAINING	\$1,230.14	Other
	KANSAS CITY, MO	CLEAR 2004 ANNUAL CONFERENCE AND TRAINING	\$945.62	Other
	RICHARDSON, TX	RIGHT FAX ADMINISTRATOR TRAINING	\$896.78	Other
MCGILVER, IRMA FAYE	BALTIMORE, MD	NATIONAL QIES TECHNICAL CONFERENCE	\$1,008.84	Federal
	LONGMONT, CA	OIES ASPEN TECHNICAL	\$705.15	Other
MCNEILL, KEVIN M.	ATLANTA, GA	INSTITUTE FOR QUALITY IN LABORATORY MEDICINE	\$253.48	State
MENG, LIJUAN	ATLANTA, GA	NATIONAL CANCER PREVENTION & CONTROL MEETING	\$1,530.52	Federal
METCALFE, BARBARA B.	NEW ORLEANS, LA	22 ANNUAL SOUTHEASTERN TB CONTROLLERS CONFERENCE	\$516.68	Federal
MILLER, DANNY L.	BOSTON, MA	NACCHO-ASTHO JOINT CONFERENCE	\$744.68	State
	BURLINGTON, VT	11TH ANNUAL SENIOR DEPUTIES MEETING	\$1,454.48	State
	ST. PAUL, MN	ASHTO AND APHL 2004 ANNUAL DEPUTIES MEETING	\$662.83	State
MOAK, JAYSON DANIEL	AUSTIN, TX	G-108 INSPECTION PROCEDURES	\$1,740.12	Other
MOODY, WILLIAM F.	SAN DIEGO, CA	EPA/CIFA INFRASTRUCTURE FINANCING AUTHORITIES	\$1,049.22	Other
	SANDESTIN, FL	AL-MS SECTION AMERICAN WATER WORKS ASSOCIATION	\$689.40	Federal
MOORMAN, GARY L.	CHARLESTON, SC	FDA SOUTHEAST REGIONAL MILK SEMINAR	\$869.04	State
	COLUMBUS, OH	NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON INTERSTATE MILK SHIPMENTS	\$1,764.54	Other
MOSCA, NICHOLAS G.	BALTIMORE, MD	AMERICAN DENTAL ASSN & DENTAL ADVISORY MEETING	\$1,275.73	Federal
	BATON ROUGE, LA	LOUISIANA 2004 ORAL HEALTH SUMMIT	\$131.25	Federal
	NEW ORLEANS, LA	MEETING WITH CHARLOTTE CONNICK AT L.S.U.M.C.	\$161.00	Federal

	PITTSBURGH, PA	NATIONAL ORAL HEALTH CONFERENCE	\$1,418.31	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	MCH CHALLENGES THROUGH PARTNERSHIPS	\$731.73	Federal
MOSS, HELEN W.	WASHINGTON, DC	AMERICAN PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOC. 132 ANNUAL MTG/EXPO	\$875.86	Federal
MOZINGO, JAMES ROBERT III	FT. LAUDERDALE, FL	CRYSTAL REPORT TRAINING FOR DATABASE ANALYSIS	\$1,023.21	Other
	PHOENIX, AZ	ESS EXPO 2005	\$2,302.09	Other
NEWMAN, JOHN L.	NEW ORLEANS, LA	NTL ACCOUNTABILITY CONFERENCE ON SPECIAL ED.	\$366.60	Federal
	FAIRHOPE, AL	ALABAMA TED TRAINING	\$386.74	State
	SAN DIEGO, CA	ANNUAL CONFERENCE OF THE NASCSA	\$771.04	Other
OMOBUDE, PAMELA J.	ATHENS, GA	EPA REGION STATE LAB DIRECTOR/MICROBIOLOGY WRKSHOP	\$168.09	Other
PARKER, KEITH E.	ARLINGTON, VA	HRSA ANNUAL TRAUMA LEADERSHIP MEETING	\$378.13	Other
	ATLANTA, GA	EMSC SERC CONFERENCE AND EMS EXPO	\$898.50	Other
	BETHESDA, MA	NATL ASSOC OF STATE EMS DIRECTORS & GRANTEE MEETING	\$612.40	Other
	CHARLESTON, SC	REGION IV TRAUMA SYSTEM MANAGER CONFERENCE	\$814.14	Other
	KANSAS CITY, MO	CLEAR 2004 ANNUAL CONFERENCE AND TRAINING	\$920.17	Other
	PARK CITY, UT	NTL ASSOC. OF EMS DIRECTORS RURAL AED GRANT MTG	\$1,230.56	Other
PARKER, MELISSA L.	HELEN, GA	EPA/STATE DIRECTORS' MEETING	\$1,131.21	Federal
	LEXINGTON, KY	EPA REGION IV/ STATE WATER DIRECTORS MEETING	\$458.00	Federal
	NEW ORLEANS, LA	ASDWA/EPA DATA MANAGEMENT USERS CONFERENCE	\$1,310.73	Federal
PARROTT, JUDY K.	HERSHEY, PA	FARMER'S MARKET NATIONAL CONFERENCE	\$938.45	Federal
PATE, LINDA FAY	BALTIMORE, MD	QUALITY INDICATORS SURVEY	\$798.13	Federal
	COLUMBIA, MD	SURVEY & CERTIFICATION LEADERSHIP SUMMIT	\$1,082.91	Federal
PATE, STEPHEN L.	ATLANTA, GA	19H NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON CHRONIC DISEASE PREVENTION	\$901.51	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA	CDC CHRONIC DISEASE/ PREVENTIVE HEALTH OFFICIALS	\$1,248.80	Federal
PEARSON, KEVIN E.	COVINGTON, LA	SOUTH CENTRAL PUBLIC HEALTH LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE	\$195.07	State
PENDLETON, LINDA FAYE	ATLANTA, GA	10TH ANNUAL MATERNAL AND	\$1,435.85	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA	SUDAAN TRAINING	\$597.95	Federal
PENMAN, ALAN D.	ATLANTA, GA	2ND NTL CDC PREVENTION CONFERENCE ON HEART DISEASE	\$535.44	Federal
PEVEY, JOYCELYN H.	ST. PETERSBURG, FL	THE ASSOCIATION OF HEALTH FACILITY SURVEY AGENCIES	\$1,318.75	Federal
PITTS, MARA L.	ST. PETERSBURG, FL	ORIENTATION FOR NEW PROGRAM MANAGERS AND 2004 NTCP	\$776.81	Federal
	CHICAGO, IL	2005 NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON TOBACCO HEALTH	\$1,003.07	Federal
POWELL, DEBRA ANN	MCLEAN, AZ	NHSC ANNUAL SCHOLARS CONFERENCE	\$443.69	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	FIRST BHPR ALL GRANTEE CONFERENCE	\$1,136.90	Other
POWELL, ROSELYN ANNE	BALTIMORE, MD	BASIC LONGTERM CARE FACILITY SURVEYOR TRAINING COURSE	\$1,996.34	Other
PRATHER, DEBORAH FAYE	BALTIMORE, MD	BASIC LONGTERM CARE FACILITY SURVEYOR TRAINING COURSE	\$1,497.98	Other

QUILTER, STEPHEN M.	NEW ORLEANS, LA	22 ANNUAL SOUTHEASTERN TB CONTROLLERS CONFERENCE	\$700.02	Federal
RANKIN, CAROL W.	NASHVILLE, TN	SOUTHEAST CIVIL RIGHTS CONFERENCE	\$1,354.65	Federal
RAUSA, ALFIO	ST. PAUL, MN	NACCHO ANNUAL 2004 CONFERENCE	\$932.26	State
REED, MARY ALICE	DENVER, CO	NATIONAL INJURY PREVENTION & CONTROL CONFERENCE	\$1,152.92	Federal
SCALES, MICHAEL D.	HARRISBURG, PA	MEETING WITH PA WIC	\$621.72	Federal
SCARBROUGH, BOBBY J., JR	CHARLSTON, WV	NATIONAL REGISTRY REPRESENTATIVE TRAINING	\$1,097.45	Other
	KANSAS CITY, MO	CLEAR 2004 ANNUAL CONFERENCE AND TRAINING	\$993.68	Other
SELESTAK, KAREN	ATLANTA, GA	QUARTERLY REGION IV DIRECTOR'S MEETING	\$644.82	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA	QUARTERLY REGION IV SURVEY AGENCY DIRECTORS MEETING	\$390.86	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA	REGION IV SURVEY AGENCY DIRECTOR MEETING	\$597.88	Federal
	BALTIMORE, MD	BASIC PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITAL SURVEYOR TRAINING	\$1,041.02	Federal
	COLUMBIA, MD	SURVEY & CERTIFICATION LEADERSHIP SUMMIT	\$1,093.51	Federal
	ST. LOUIS, MO	THE ST. LOUIS ACCORD CONFERENCE	\$799.41	Federal
	ST. PETERSBURG, FL	THE ASSOCIATION OF HEALTH FACILITY SURVEY AGENCIES	\$1,097.39	Federal
SENNETT, DEBORAH J.	WASHINGTON, DC	NATIONAL IMMUNIZATION CONFERENCE	\$1,344.76	Federal
SIMPSON, WANDA	ATLANTA, GA	TB PROGRAM MANAGERS COURSE	\$870.49	Federal
SKELTON, LELA A.	PHOENIX, AZ	NWA 2004 NUTRITION & BREASTFEEDING CONFERENCE	\$676.16	Federal
SMITH, CENETA S.	ATLANTA, GA	LACTATION EDUCATION FOR HEALTHCARE PROFESSIONALS	\$1,293.20	Federal
	METARIE, LA	LOUISIANA LACTATION CONSULTANT ASSOC/SCIENCE	\$235.59	Federal
SMITH, JAN P.	CHARLESTON, SC	CLIA SOUTHERN CONSORTIUM TRAINING	\$1,103.87	Federal
	COLUMBIA, MD	BASIC CLIA LAB SURVEYOR TRAINING COURSE	\$1,313.08	Federal
SMITH, ROGER WILLIAM	BALTIMORE, MD	BASIC LONGTERM CARE FACILITY SURVEYOR TRAINING COURSE	\$1,698.24	Federal
STALLINGS, NANCY C.	SAN DIEGO, CA	EPA/CIFA INFRASTRUCTURE FINANCING AUTHORITIES	\$1,457.12	Other
STEGALL, JUDITH S.	ROCKVILLE, MD	ELECTRONIC STATE ACCESS TO FACTS	\$1,367.19	Other
STEWART, SYLVIA D.	AURORA, CO	BASIC END STAGE RENAL DISEASE TRAINING	\$1,126.63	Other
	BALTIMORE, MD	BASIC HEALTH FACILITY HOSPICE TRAINING COURSE	\$1,195.28	Other
	BALTIMORE, MD	BASIC PSYCHIATRIC HOSPITAL SURVEYOR TRAINING	\$969.87	Federal
	BALTIMORE, MD	CMS BASIC HEALTH FACILITY HOME HEALTH AGENCY	\$1,417.66	Other
STINSON, SCOTT A.	ATLANTA, GA	EMS EXPO/NTL ASSOC. OF EMT'S/AMERICAN AMBULANCE ASSOC	\$1,358.10	Other
	CHARLESTON, WV	NATIONAL REGISTRY REPRESENTATIVE TRAINING	\$1,136.79	Other
	KANSAS CITY, MO	NTL COUNCIL OF STATE EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES	\$227.01	Other
SULLIVAN, JAMES CONNIE	BALTIMORE, MD	BASIC LONGTERM CARE FACILITY SURVEYOR TRAINING COURSE	\$1,461.01	Other

SUTTON, VICTOR D.	ATLANTA, GA	CDC CHRONIC DISEASE/PREVENTIVE HEALTH OFFICIALS	\$618.25	Federal
TAYLOR, DEBRA ANN	ST. SIMONS ISLAND, GA	FDA SOUTHEAST REGIONAL FOOD SEMINAR	\$956.77	State
THOMAS, KIWANA VALESIA	LAS VEGAS, NV	ENVIRONMENTAL RADIO CHEMISTRY	\$1,452.60	Federal
TRAVNICEK, ROBERT G.	DENVER, CO	THE DENVER TB COURSE	\$429.25	State
	WASHINGTON, DC	PREVENTIVE MEDICINE 2005	\$595.63	State
TROTTER, ROBERT E.	DENVER, CO	THE DENVER TB COURSE	\$1,387.01	State
TURNBO, RALPH J. JR.	NEW ORLEANS, LA	2004 SOUTHEASTERN COASTAL STATES 20TH ONSITE MGRS	\$858.16	State
WADLINGTON, JIM E. III	ARLINGTON, VA	4TH ANNUAL TRAUMA PROGRAM AND SYSTEM MANAGEMENT	\$819.88	Other
	ARLINGTON, VA	HRSA ANNUAL TRAUMA LEADERSHIP MEETING	\$1,140.85	Other
	BETHESDA, MD	NATL ASSOC OF STATE EMS DIRECTORS & GRANTEE MEETING	\$918.39	Other
	CHARLESTON, SC	REGION IV TRAUMA SYSTEM MANAGER CONFERENCE	\$800.59	Other
	KANSAS CITY, MO	CLEAR 2004 ANNUAL CONFERENCE AND TRAINING	\$1,011.56	Other
WALLACE, JANIE	ORLANDO, FL	HIV DIAGNOSTICS: NEW DEVELOPMENTS AND CHALLENGES	\$1,406.80	Federal
	SAN JOSE, CA	NATL CONFERENCE ON WEST NILE VIRUS IN THE US	\$1,109.49	Federal
WALTERS, KAREN L.	NEW ORLEANS, LA	ASDWA/EPA DATA MANAGEMENT USERS CONFERENCE	\$1,210.73	Federal
WALTERS, LAURIE	DENVER, CO	CDC ASTHMA GRANTEE MEETING	\$926.86	Federal
WELCH, STANLEY RAY	CHARLESTON, SC	FDA SOUTHEAST REGIONAL MILK SEMINAR	\$694.59	State
	NORTH CHARLESTON, SC	FDA MILK PASTEURIZATION CONTROLS & TESTS COURSES	\$890.91	Other
WESTBERRY, JANIE CLARK	ATLANTA, GA	TB PROGRAM MANAGERS COURSE	\$1,046.10	Federal
WHITE, SHARON E.	ATLANTA, GA	LEARNING MANAGEMENT SYSTEM	\$1,216.29	Federal
WHITT, ANNA G.	ATLANTA, GA	10TH ANNUAL MATERNAL AND CHILD HEALTH EPIDEMIOLOGY	\$797.05	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	AMERICAN PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOC. 132 ANNUAL MTG/EXPO	\$975.98	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	ASSN OF MATERNAL & CHILD HLTH ANNUAL CONFERENCE	\$2,032.72	Other
WILKERSON, ROBIN	WASHINGTON, DC	OSEP NATIONAL EARLY CHILDHOOD CONFERENCE	\$1,761.51	Federal
WILLIAMS, ARTHUR LEE	CLEARWATER BEACH, FL	BASIC LONG TERM CARE HEALTH FACILITY SURVEYOR TRNG	\$1,227.40	Federal
WILLIAMS, CHERYL ANN	KANSAS CITY, MO	BASIC LONG TERM CARE MEETING WITH PA WIC	\$1,231.12	Federal
WILLIAMS, MARCIA E.	HARRISBURG, PA	EPA/2004 NATIONAL CAPACITY DEVELOPMENT WORKSHOP	\$585.55	Federal
WILLIAMS, SHEILA T.	DENVER, CO	REGION IV SURVEY AGENCY DIRECTORS MEETING	\$810.59	Federal
WINBORNE, LUCY M.	ATLANTA, GA	USING LOVING SUPPORT TO BUILD A BREASTFEEDING COMMUNITY	\$534.52	Federal
WOMACK, CARYN ALICE	BECKLEY, WV		\$442.89	Federal

	JACKSON, TN	USING LOVING SUPPORT TO BUILD BREASTFEEDING	\$524.74	Federal
	PHOENIX, AZ	NWA 2004 NUTRITION & BREASTFEEDING CONFERENCE	\$771.17	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	SPECIAL GRANT: USING LOVING SUPOORT	\$1,620.24	Federal
WRIGHT, LAURA LYNN	ATLANTA, GA	2005 PEER COUNSELOR TRAINING	\$910.44	Federal
	MONTGOMERY, AL	USDA LOVING SUPPORT TRAINING	\$377.81	Federal
	PHOENIX, AZ	NWA 2004 NUTRITION & BREASTFEEDING CONFERENCE	\$930.79	Federal
	PIERRE, SD	LOVING SUPPORT TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE	\$421.60	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	LLL INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE & IMS RECRUITMENT COORDINATOR'S TRAINING MEETING	\$2,502.14	Federal
YOUNG, TIFFANIE	CHICAGO, IL	2005 MISSION CONFERENCE OF SUSAN G. KOMEN FOUNDATIONS	\$1,070.51	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	G-108 INSPECTIONS PROCEDURES	\$1,252.35	Federal
YOUNGBLOOD, DELLA LENE	CHATTANOOGA, TN	CDC ASTHMA GRANTEE MEETING	\$1,436.26	Other
ZHANG, LEI	DENVER, CO	2004 DATA USERS CONFERENCE	\$733.89	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	AMERICAN PUBLIC HEALTH ASSOC. 132 ANNUAL MTG/EXPO	\$1,042.17	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	MCH BLOCK GRANT REVIEW PROCESS	\$1,424.36	Federal
ZOTTI, MARIANNE E.	ATLANTA, GA		\$809.39	Federal

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ABRAMS, KIM R.	ATLANTA, GA	CDC/OTPER STATE AND LOCAL HEALTH READINESS CONFERENCE	\$947.75	Federal
ANDERSON, JANNIFER GAIL	ATLANTA, GA	PANDEMIC INFLUENZA PLANNING MEETING	\$412.05	Federal
AVEN, GERALD M. JR.	MEMPHIS, TN	REGIONAL STRATEGIC NATIONAL STOCKPILE MOBILE	\$48.75	Federal
BASS, WANDA	ORANGE BEACH, AL	SOUTH CENTRAL PUBLIC HLTH LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE	\$281.78	Federal
BEGGERLY, KATHERINE ANNE	RICHMOND, VA	BT CONFIRMATORY TESTING WORKSHOP	\$1,419.65	Federal
BOOKER, DEGINA REDD	ST. PAUL MN	ASHTO AND APHL 2004 ANNUAL MEETING:BUILDING BRIDGE	\$1,772.14	Federal
BOYD, PHYLLIS GROSS	ATLANTA, GA	AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR MICROBIOLOGY	\$1,174.67	Federal
BRINSON, JAMES ARTHUR	KANSAS CITY, MO	CLEAR 2004 ANNUAL CONFERENCE AND TRAINING	\$532.03	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	CAPABILITIES WORKSHOP	\$1,074.97	Federal
CALVERT, MATTHEW J.	SANTA MONICA, CA	STATE & LOCAL HEALTH INFORMATICS CONSORTIUM	\$1,126.22	Federal
CAMPBELL, JANE P.	ORANGE BEACH, AL	SOUTH CENTRAL PUBLIC HLTH LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE	\$28.88	Federal
CARPENTER, HEATH R.	ATLANTA, GA	THE SCIENCE AND ART OF EFFECTIVE WEB APPLICATION	\$1,046.31	Federal
	MONTGOMERY, AL	TELEVISION STUDIO TOUR	\$181.83	Federal

CARTER, CHARLES D.	MEMPHIS, TN	REGIONAL STRATEGIC NATIONAL NATIONAL STOCKPILE MOBILE	\$120.95	Federal
	MOBILE, AL	ALABAMA DEPT OF HEALTH TED TRAINING	\$184.60	Federal
CASTLEBERRY, BRIAN SCOTT	ATLANTA, GA	CDC BLOOD LEVEL TRAINING	\$1,043.61	Federal
CHAMBERS, MARK E.	HOLDEN, LA	CLANDESTIN LABORATORY CERTIFICATION	\$978.15	Federal
	EMMITSBURG, MD	NATIONAL TRAINING AND EXERCISE CONFERENCE	\$289.84	Federal
	MOBILE, AL	ALABAMA DEPT OF HEALTH TED TRAINING	\$514.89	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	2004 NTL BIOTERRORISM HOSPITAL PREPAREDNESS MTG	\$1,083.44	Federal
CHAMBLEE, TAMMY B.	MEMPHIS, TN	REGIONAL STRATEGIC NATIONAL STOCKPILE MOBILE	\$225.75	Federal
	MOBILE, AL	ALABAMA DEPT OF HEALTH TED TRAINING	\$431.47	Federal
CHANEY, JONATHAN MAX	KANSAS CITY, MO	NATIONAL CERTIFIED INVESTIGATIVE INSPECTION TRNG	\$885.25	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	1ST NTL CONGRESSION PUBLIC HEALTH READINESS	\$1,518.22	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA	PANDEMIC INFLUENZA PLANNING MEETING	\$684.80	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA	STATE AND TERRITORIAL PUBLIC HEALTH PREPAREDNESS	\$492.70	Federal
	CHARLESTON, SC	REGION IV TRAUMA SYSTEM MANAGER CONFERENCE	\$942.66	Federal
	COLUMBIA, SC	CERTIFIED GRANT ADMINISTRATOR	\$785.08	Federal
	MOBILE, AL	ALABAMA DEPT OF HEALTH TED TRAINING	\$415.92	Federal
COODY, CHERYL L	BALTIMORE, MD	GERSTEL TRAINING-MPS2/TDU MAINTENANCE AND OPERATION	\$959.90	Federal
CRAIG, JAMES H. III	ATLANTA, GA	CDC PUBLIC HEALTH PREPAREDNESS CONFERENCE 2005	\$735.37	Federal
	ST. PAUL, MN	PREPARING FOR PUBLIC HEALTH EMERGENCIES	\$1,344.00	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	READY!EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE CONFERENCE	\$708.60	Federal
DONG, FAY C.	MONTGOMERY, AL	ALABAMA EXERCISE OF THE STRATEGIC NTL STOCKPILE	\$158.84	Federal
DRAKE, CHARLES C.	MIAMI, FL	BIO-DETECTION SURVEILLANCE WORKSHOP	\$534.41	Federal
DVORAK, CLAUDIA	ATLANTA, GA	PUBLIC HEALTH INFORMATION NETWORK CONFERENCE	\$754.80	Federal
	MONTGOMERY, AL	RISK COMMUNICATION BEGINNERS TRAINING	\$451.39	Federal
	SANTA MONICA, CA	STATE & LOCAL HEALTH INFORMATICS CONSORTIUM	\$1,238.30	Federal
FERRILL, WENDY R.	ORANGE BEACH, AL	SCPHLI	\$144.96	Federal
FORETICH, LOIS CAMILLE	ATLANTA, GA	CDC PUBLIC HEALTH PREPAREDNESS CONFERENCE 2005	\$885.53	Federal
	BOSTON, MA	2004 NTL PUBLIC HEALTH INFORMATION COALITION CONF	\$2,730.20	Federal
	FAIRHOPE, AL	ALABAMA TED TRAINING	\$127.90	Federal
	MONTGOMERY, AL	TELEVISION STUDIO TOUR	\$178.48	Federal

FRENCH, KELLY S.	MEMPHIS, TN	REGIONAL STRATEGIC NATIONAL STOCKPILE MOBILE	\$171.50	Federal
GASTON, DOROTHY	BIRMINGHAM, AL	SOUTH CENTRAL PARTNERSHIP ANNUAL MEETING	\$331.99	Federal
HORNE, EVERETTE J.	CHAPEL HILL, NC	COMPREHENSIVE INDUSTRIAL HYGIENE REVIEW COURSE	\$904.91	Federal
INGERSOLL, WANDA LYNN	ATLANTA, GA	CHEMICAL TERRORISM LAB TRAINING	\$540.50	Federal
JACKSON, TOMMY SCATES	MEMPHIS, TN	REGIONAL STRATEGIC NATIONAL STOCKPILE MOBILE	\$361.25	Federal
JERNIGAN, CURTIS D.	MEMPHIS, TN	REGIONAL STRATEGIC NATIONAL STOCKPILE MOBILE	\$232.75	Federal
JOHNSON, JIMMY H.	BIRMINGHAM, AL	DIRTY BOMBS, RADIOLOGICAL TERRORISM AND PUBLIC HEALTH	\$300.30	Federal
	BIRMINGHAM, AL	SOUTH CENTRAL PARTNERSHIP ANNUAL MEETING	\$310.75	Federal
	MONTGOMERY, AL	SOUTH CENTRAL PUBLIC HEALTH LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE	\$310.12	Federal
	NEW ORLEANS, LA	SOUTH CENTRAL CENTER FOR PUBLIC HEALTH PREPAREDNES	\$303.54	Federal
	SAN FRANCISCO, CA	CALIFORNIA DISTANCE LEARNING CONFERENCE	\$581.71	Federal
KENNEDY, KIMBERLY S.	ATLANTA, GA	AGENTS OF BIOTERRORISM RAPID DETECTION METHODS	\$472.27	Federal
KING, KATHERINE A.	MONTGOMERY, AL	ALABAMA EXERCISE OF THE STRATEGIC NTL STOCKPILE	\$153.57	Federal
KITTLE, THERESA	ATLANTA, GA	CDC PUBLIC HEALTH BIO-DETECTION	\$1,159.37	Federal
	MIAMI, FL	SURVEILLANCE WORKSHOP	\$512.00	Federal
KREYLING, PAMELA G.	MEMPHIS, TN	REGIONAL STRATEGIC NATIONAL STOCKPILE MOBILE	\$106.64	Federal
LAWES, JEAN B.	MOBILE, AL	ALABAMA DEPT OF HEALTH TED TRAINING	\$642.42	Federal
LEA, SUSAN E.	THOMASVILLE, AL	STRATEGIC NATIONAL STOCKPILE-TED	\$335.40	Federal
LEEPER, DANA L.	BIRMINGHAM, AL	DIRTY BOMBS, RADIOLOGICAL TERRORISM AND PUBLIC HEALTH	\$283.01	Federal
	FT. WALTON BEACH, FL	INFECTIOUS SUBSTANCES PACKING AND SHIPPING TRNG	\$580.63	Federal
	OGUNQUIT, MAINE	FUNDAMENTALS OF LABORATORY SAFETY	\$1,398.15	Federal
LI, MINA	RICHMOND, CA	MOLECULAR DIAGNOSTIC TECHNIQUES FOR PUBLIC HEALTH FOR MICROBIOLOGY	\$2,053.01 \$1,313.14	Federal Federal
MARSHALL, REGINA	BIRMINGHAM, AL	DIRTY BOMBS, RADIOLOGICAL TERRORISM AND PUBLIC HEALTH	\$230.93	Federal
	MIAMI, FL	SHIPPING GUIDELINES FOR INFECTIOUS SUBSTANCES	\$502.36	Federal
	NASHVILLE, TN	PACKAGING AND SHIPPING TRAINERS	\$513.46	Federal
	NEW ORLEANS, LA	LRN NATIONAL MEETING	\$757.68	Federal

	OKLAHOMA CITY, OK	INFECTIOUS SUBSTANCE TRANSPORTATION	\$816.46	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	2004 NTL BIOTERRORISM HOSPITAL PREPAREDNESS MTG	\$1,350.92	Federal
MCNEILL, KEVIN M.	ALBUQUERQUE, NM	COUNCIL OF STATE & TERRITORIAL EPIDEMIOLOGISTS	\$427.33	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA	CDC PUBLIC HEALTH PREPAREDNESS CONFERENCE 2005	\$807.68	Federal
		PANDEMIC INFLUENZA PLANNING MEETING	\$1,059.88	Federal
	NEW ORLEANS, LA	LRN NATIONAL MEETING	\$868.99	Federal
	ST. PAUL, MN	ASHTO AND APHL 2004 ANNUAL MEETING: BUILDING BRIDGE	\$517.63	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	1ST NTL CONGRESSION		
NEWKIRK, JAMES T.	PORTLAND, OR	PUBLIC HEALTH READINESS PUTTING RESEARCH INTO PRACTICE AND PRACTICAL USABILITY	\$1,144.39	Federal
			\$1,961.58	Federal
NUTT, PAMELA RISHER	COVINGTON, LA	SOUTH CENTRAL PUBLIC HEALTH LEADERSHIP INSTITUTE	\$147.00	Federal
	FAIRHOPE, AL	ALABAMA TED TRAINING	\$548.67	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	1ST NTL CONGRESSION	\$1,462.92	Federal
PATTERSON, LYDIA D.	ORANGE BEACH, AL	PUBLIC HEALTH READINESS SCPHLI	\$253.57	Federal
PATTON, GLENNIS CORDER	MEMPHIS, TN	REGIONAL STRATEGIC	\$122.50	Federal
PORTER, PATRICE	ATLANTA, GA	PUBLIC HEALTH INFORMATION NETWORK CONFERENCE	\$907.35	Federal
	RICHARDSON, TX	RIGHT FAX ADMINISTRATOR TRAINING	\$637.30	Federal
	SANTA MONICA, CA	STATE & LOCAL HEALTH INFORMATICS CONSORTIUM	\$1,243.80	Federal
REDMOND, DOROTHY MAE	MEMPHIS, TN	REGIONAL STRATEGIC NATIONAL STOCKPILE MOBILE	\$406.13	Federal
REESE, VICKI C.	MEMPHIS, TN	REGIONAL STRATEGIC NATIONAL STOCKPILE MOBILE	\$90.00	Federal
	THOMASVILLE, AL	STRATEGIC NATIONAL STOCKPILE-TED	\$391.20	Federal
SCALES, MICHAEL D.	ATLANTA, GA	CDC PUBLIC HEALTH PREPAREDNESS CONFERENCE 2005	\$855.98	Federal
	FAIRHOPE, AL	ALABAMA TED TRAINING	\$405.38	Federal
SCHWIRIAN, KENNA Y.	MT. PLEASANT, SC	SOUTHEAST REGION MILK SEMINAR	\$534.50	Federal
	ST. LOUIS, MO	STATE MILK LABORATORY EVALUATION OFFICER'S WORKSHOP	\$1,106.74	Federal
SEAWRIGHT, KENNETH C.	ATLANTA, GA	CDC PUBLIC HEALTH PREPAREDNESS CONFERENCE 2005	\$1,243.20	Federal
		CDC/OTPER STATE AND LOCAL HEALTH READINESS CONFERENCE	\$181.05	Federal
		HHS REGIONAL TRIBAL CONSULTATION SESSION	\$801.10	Federal
	COLUMBIA, SC	STRATEGIC NTL STOCKPILE-OPERATIONS SAFETY NET	\$802.76	Federal
	MEMPHIS, TN	REGIONAL STRATEGIC NATIONAL STOCKPILE MOBILE	\$114.35	Federal
	WASHINGTON, DC	2004 NTL BIOTERRORISM	\$1,188.30	Federal

SENNETT, DEBORAH J.	ATLANTA, GA	HOSPITAL PREPAREDNESS MTG PANDEMIC INFLUENZA PLANNING MEETING	\$1,128.72	Federal
SHARLOT, ELIZABETH MELAINE	MOBILE, AL	ALABAMA DEPT OF HEALTH TED TRAINING	\$115.90	Federal
SIMMONS, MARGARET H.	MONTGOMERY, AL	TELEVISION STUDIO TOUR	\$170.88	Federal
	MEMPHIS, TN	REGIONAL STRATEGIC NATIONAL STOCKPILE MOBILE	\$289.94	Federal
SNAZELLE, TERI	MOBILE, AL	ALABAMA DEPT OF HEALTH TED TRAINING	\$58.32	Federal
	ATLANTA, GA	CDC BLOOD LEVEL TRAINING	\$1,085.40	Federal
		CHEMICAL TERRORISM LAB TRAINING	\$885.50	Federal
STAGGS, ROBERT M.	NASHVILLE, TN	NLTV REGIONAL CONFERENCE	\$890.62	Federal
	NEW ORLEANS, LA	LRN NATIONAL MEETING	\$755.48	Federal
	MOMTGOMERY, AL	RISK COMMUNICATION BEGINNERS TRAINING	\$340.12	Federal
STRIDER, MACK NEAL	MEMPHIS, TN	REGIONAL STRATEGIC NATIONAL STOCKPILE MOBILE	\$372.50	Federal
SURKIN, JOSEPH M.	ATLANTA, GA	PUBLIC HEALTH INFORMATION NETWORK CONFERENCE	\$419.37	Federal
	MIAMI, FL	BIO-DETECTION SURVEILLANCE WORKSHOP	\$608.46	Federal
	SANTA MONICA, CA	STATE & LOCAL HEALTH INFORMATICS CONSORTIUM	\$1,269.13	Federal
TAYLOR, CHARLOTTE KAY	ATLANTA, GA	PUBLIC HEALTH INFORMATION NETWORK CONFERENCE	\$612.93	Federal
UNDERWOOD, RAMONA F.	PENSACOLA, FL	INFECTIOUS SUBSTANCES PACKAGING & SHIPPING	\$437.11	Federal
VAIL, MELANIE L.	ATLANTA, GA	ANNUAL PUBLIC HEALTH DISTANCE LEARNING SUMMIT	\$1,045.17	Federal
WALLACE, JANIE	ORANGE BEACH, AL	SCPHLI	\$194.06	Federal
WEIR, JOYCE	ATLANTA, GA	EPI-IN ACTION	\$2,449.03	Federal
WELCH, STANLEY RAY	MOBILE, AL	ALABAMA DEPT OF HEALTH TED TRAINING	\$455.27	Federal
WILLIAMS, BARBARA E.	MEMPHIS, TN	REGIONAL STRATEGIC NATIONAL STOCKPILE MOBILE	\$248.00	Federal
WILLIAMS, VICKI L.	NASHVILLE, TN	NLTV REGIONAL	\$850.17	Federal
	ORLANDO, FL	49CFR/IATA DANGEROUS GOODS TRANSPORTAION	\$958.25	Federal

Total State Cost for Conventions, Associations & Meetings: State		\$30,686.47
Federal		\$287,856.81
Other		\$92,109.40
Total Out-of-State Travel		\$410,652.68

Vehicle Inventory As of June 30, 2005

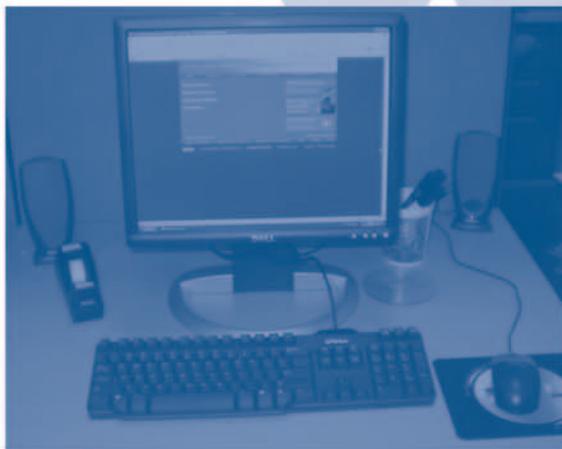
Vehicle	Model Year	Model	Use	Tag Number	Mileage	Mileage Per Year
Truck (Chevy)	1989	Surburban Van	Radiological Health	S-10795	90,449	5,653
Truck (Dodge)	1989	Cargo Van	Motor Pool	S-10929	30,805	1,925
Truck (Chevy)	1991	Surburban Van	Radiological Health	S-12576	106,134	7,581
Truck (Ford)	1995	Cargo Van	Postal Service	S-15595	129,554	12,955
Truck (Ford)	1995	Bronco	Motor Pool	S-15493	99,906	9,991
Truck (GMC)	1997	Jimmy	Water Supply	G-02714	63,381	7,923
Truck (GMC)	1997	Jimmy	Water Supply	G-02715	63,334	7,917
Truck (Ford)	2001	Passenger Van	Motor Pool	G-17775	42,381	10,595
Truck (Ford)	2001	Passenger Van	Motor Pool	G-17776	57,723	14,431
Other (Ford)	2001	Motor Home	STD	G-18672	26,278	6,570
Truck (Ford)	2002	RV	EMS	G-23821	15,063	5,021
Truck (Dodge)	2005	Van Pass	Motor Pool	G-028953	30,978	30,978
Truck (Dodge)	2005	Van Pass	Motor Pool	G-028954	24,390	24,390
Truck (Dodge)	2005	Van Pass	Motor Pool	G-028955	2,495	2,495
Truck (Chevy)	2005	Van SBR	Radiological Health	G-027772	4,486	4,486
Truck (Ford)	2004	Van Cargo	Motor Pool	G-029683	14,302	14,302
Crown Vic (Ford)	2005	Sedan	Health Officer	G-033757	254	254
Truck (Dodge)	2005	Passenger	Motor Pool	G-033837	735	735
Truck (Dodge)	2005	Passenger	Motor Pool	G-033835	246	246
Truck (Dodge)	2005	Passenger	Motor Pool	G-033836	357	357
Truck (GMC)	2004	Pick-Up 1/2 Ton	Maintenance	G-030526	1,965	1,965

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