



This report presents the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention/Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry's (CDC\*) FY 2006 Annual Plan for the White House Executive Orders on Minority Initiatives on Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders (AAPIs). The CDC FY 2006 Annual Plan for the AAPI Initiative is based on the overarching goals identified by the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS). CDC's mission contributes to accomplishing four of the five overarching goals provided by HHS. Measurable objectives to accomplish the goals were developed in collaboration with CDC's centers, institute, and offices (CIOs).

The measurable objectives are (1) increase the total direct funding for AAPI organizations that support health disparity prevention by 15 percent; (2) increase the number of AAPI organizations that receive funding and/or support to address health disparities among specific racial/ethnic minority populations by 15 percent; (3) increase the total direct funding and/or support to AAPI organizations for domestic and international training opportunities (fellowships, internships, scholarships, and other support) for minority students and faculty by 15 percent; (4) promote data collection of racial and ethnic minority populations, e.g., through AAPI minority organizations.

Five CIOs proposed activities and a funding amount of \$7,989,363 to accomplish these measurable objectives. The CIOs included in this report are the National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion (NCCDPHP), the National Center for HIV, STD, and TB Prevention (NCHSTP), the National Center for Infectious Disease (NCID), the National Center for Injury Prevention and Control (NCIPC), and the National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH). Significant activities proposed for FY 2006 by CIO are as follows.

NCCDPHP plans to increase funding to support community-based organizations, such as *Steps to a HealthierUS*, that receive funding and support to address health disparities in chronic diseases and to promote health promotion activities. NCCDPHP will also continue research projects to reduce HIV risk behavior, along with HIV/STD prevention, youth violence prevention and reduction; adolescent health promotion; and cancer and cardiovascular disease prevention.

NCID plans to continue conducting and disseminating research and prevention activities that address the infectious disease burden among racial and ethnic minorities and among women. Central to NCID's success has been its ability to engage key racial and ethnic minority institutions and their constituents, whether as researchers, community advocates, or students

\* Note: References to CDC refer also to ATSDR throughout this plan.

During FY 2006, NCID will continue to address urgent infectious disease concerns in racial and ethnic populations, and hold its position as a key player in the focus on how infectious diseases are understood and confronted among racial and ethnic minority communities. NCID will continue to fund cooperative agreements with the Hawaii Department of Health, and the Republic of Palau Ministry of Health. The Agreements

are in place to sustain, enhance, and improve Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity (ELC) for Infectious Disease Surveillance Activities in the region.

NCIPC funds research and intervention projects that target all citizens of highest risk based on the latest available data. This approach to program support effectively targets individuals and communities among the poor, the elderly, and racial and ethnic groups including Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders.

NIOSH's mission is to provide national and world leadership to prevent work-related illness, injury, and death by gathering information, conducting scientific research, and translating the knowledge gained into products and services. In order to fulfill its mission, NIOSH continues to support activities that improve our ability to attract, recruit and hire individuals that represent the diverse population we serve. NIOSH FY 2006 plans are to continue to support 10 post-doctoral students at the National Research Council. In addition, NIOSH supports the Hawaii's Department of Health's research to verify exposure levels in a cohort of Japanese males.

**Goal, Objectives, and Activities in Support of  
The White House Executive Orders on Minority Initiatives**

**Goal #1      Increase access to and the participation of minority institutions of higher education and/or other minority organizations in HHS programs and services.**

NCCDPHP

Objectives: By year end FY 2006, increase the total direct funding for AAPI organizations that support health disparity prevention by 15%.

Activities: Support agency-wide diversity initiatives and special emphasis programs by assisting AAPI organizations in the development of chronic disease prevention and health promotion programs, such as cancer prevention and control, diabetes, REACH 2010 and *Steps to a HealthierUS* program.

Support AAPI national organizations in strategies for prevention, early detection or survivorship of chronic diseases in underserved AAPI populations.

Measure: Increase in chronic disease awareness and education among AAPI populations.

**Goal #2      Strengthen the capacity of minority institutions of higher education and/or minority organizations that address racial/ethnic minority populations to provide the highest quality education and service.**

Not applicable.

**Goal #3      Increase access to and the participation of racial and ethnic minority populations in HHS programs and services (including education-related activities and HHS workforce).**

NCCDPHP

Objectives: By year end FY 2006, increase the total direct funding and/or support to AAPI organizations for domestic and international training opportunities (fellowships, internships, scholarships, and other support) for minority students and parents by 15%.

Activity: Support a Prevention Research Center (PRC) training project that offers opportunities to AAPI doctoral students in the field of public health.

Measure: Increase in the number of AAPI doctoral students that have gained practical prevention research experience through the program.

## NCID

Objectives: By year end FY 2006, increase the total direct funding and/or support to AAPI organizations for domestic and international training opportunities (fellowships, internships, scholarships, and other support) for minority students, parents and faculty by 15%.

Activities: Continue to fund the Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity (ELC) for Infectious Disease Surveillance Activities for the Republic of Palau Ministry of Health.

Continue to fund the Republic of Palau to enhance the capacity of its epidemiologic and laboratory surveillance efforts. During 2006, emphasis will be placed on developing a manual to incorporate policies and standard procedures for investigation.

Develop island training schedules for local staff from all relevant areas.

Measures: Enhanced surveillance will adequately identify outbreaks in a timely manner, and data will be reported to CDC.

Conduct laboratory testing in investigations according to agreed protocols and results incorporated into the findings.

Ensure that legislation and policies are in place to adequately cover public health staff in their assigned duties, and allow investigations and response actions to be carried out in a timely manner, without additional approval steps for most outbreaks.

Activities: Continue to fund Epidemiology and Laboratory Capacity (ELC) for Infectious Disease Surveillance Activities with Hawaii's Department of Health (DOH). Due to Hawaii's unique ethnic and racial diversity, immigrant population, as well as its geographic location, it is a distinct surveillance site for emerging infectious diseases. FY 2006 funding will enable the Hawaii DOH to enhance the capacity of its epidemiologic and laboratory surveillance efforts.

Measures: Recruit an Antimicrobial Resistance (AR) Coordinator, and an AR Health Educator to coordinate the public health campaign.

Enhance the respiratory testing services.

Establish capacity to conduct telediagnosis of parasitic diseases.

#### NCIPC

Objective: By the end of FY 2006, increase the number of AAPI national and minority organizations to address health disparities among specific racial and ethnic populations.

Activities: Continue to fund injury and violence prevention research and interventions that target or benefit AAPI populations.

Measures: Continue to support the development of injury prevention training programs in domestic violence, violence against women, youth violence and suicide prevention, childhood injury prevention and unintentional injury prevention.

#### NIOSH

Objectives: By year end FY 2006, increase the total direct funding and/or support to AAPI organizations for domestic and international training opportunities (fellowships, internships, scholarships, and other support) for minority students and parents by 15%.

Activity: Support and fund training and internship programs with a history of targeting, attracting and supporting significant numbers of AAPIs.

Measures: Increase number of AAPI students participating in domestic training programs from an FY 2005 base of 8 students to approximately 10.

Continue to support the National Research Council's (NRC) Post-Doctoral Fellowship Program which has a high enrollment of AAPIs who are recruited to work in NIOSH laboratories.

#### **Goal # 4 Promote data collection of racial and ethnic minority populations, e.g., through minority institutions of higher education and minority organizations.**

##### NCCDPHP

Objective: By year end FY 2006, improve the quality of quantitative and qualitative data on AAPI populations through data collection in specific AAPI communities.

Activity: Evaluate widespread changes in risk-reduction behaviors and reductions in health disparities using REACH 2010 Risk Factor Survey which collects health status information on REACH 2010 community members where local REACH 2010 programs focus on breast and cervical cancer prevention, cardiovascular health, and diabetes.

Measure: Continue to conduct annual REACH 2010 Risk Factor Survey data collection in REACH 2010 AAPI populations.

Conduct analysis of the health of AAPIs.

Continue to collect qualitative data and conduct analysis on intervention approaches used to reduce risk and promote protective behavior among AAPIs.

NIOSH

Objectives: By year end FY 2006, increase the funding for minority-serving institutions of higher education and AAPI organizations to improve coordination, communication, and application of health research results by 15%.

Activity: Improve data collection, analysis, and dissemination of research for AAPIs.

Measure: Continue funding projects in collaboration with the Hawaii Department of Health to establish relations between cause and effect hampered by a lack of defined human cohorts, verification exposure and the lack of quantitative index of brain tissue.

**Goal# 5      Increase participation and support in HHS programs and services for other education-related activities toward educational attainment at early and post-secondary education.**

Not Applicable.

**Fiscal Year 2006**  
**TABLE C-1 SUMMARY OF PLANNED DIVISION AWARDS BY CATEGORY**  
**Division Name: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention**  
**Initiative: AAPI**

**Category: Research and Development**

Name of Awardees	Funding Type	Summary of Activities	Amount of Award	Minority Population(s)	Projected Number of Targeted Population(s)
University of Hawaii at Monoa	2	Fund to forge partnerships between universities and communities to translate research into effective prevention practices designed to reduce youth violence. This comprehensive center draws on past expertise in surveillance; etiological research; designing, implementing, and evaluating youth violence prevention programs.	\$860,000	Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders	150
University of California, Riverside	2	Fund to build the scientific infrastructure necessary to support the development and widespread application of effective youth violence interventions, promote interdisciplinary research strategies to address the problem of youth violence, foster collaboration between academic researchers and communities, and empower communities to address the problem of youth violence.	\$860,000	Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders	80
Totals			Total \$1,720,000		Total 230

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Name of Awardee	*Funding Type	Summary of Activities	*Amount of Award	Minority Population(s)	Projected Number of Targeted Population(s)
Hawaii Department of Health	2	Provide funding to support a PEP request for letter of intent under an AAPI organization.	\$107,095	Asian Americans	8,006 Japanese American men
Totals			Total \$107,095	Asian Americans	Total 8,006

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**Category: Program Evaluation**

Name of Awardees	*Funding Type	Summary of Activities	Amount of Award	Minority Population(s)	Projected Number of Targeted Population(s)
The National Asian Women's Health Organization	3	Develop and implement an evidenced-based, five-component model for preventing SV and IPV among college-aged Asian-American women that will be initiated in seven states: California, Georgia, Illinois, Massachusetts, New York, Texas, and Washington through a project called "Breaking the Silence: Culturally Competent Approaches to Violence Prevention for Asian-American women."	\$399,055	Asian Americans	Approx 150
Family Crisis Shelter, Inc. / Turning Point, Inc.	3	Develop, implement, and evaluate a culturally competent prevention intervention. Other goals are to decrease the incidence, severity, and types of violence perpetrated by Native Hawaiian men against their intimate partners and family members and to enhance self-care and agency among Native Hawaiian women who experience violence.	\$365,897	Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders	200
Totals			Total \$764,952	Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders	Total Approx 350

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**Category: Technical Assistance**

Name of Awardee	*Funding Type	Summary of Activities	*Amount of Award	Minority Population(s)	Projected Number of Targeted Population(s)
Hawaii Youth Services Network	3	Provide capacity building assistance to implement science-based approaches to prevent adverse maternal and child health outcomes, unintended teen pregnancies, STDs & HIV in Native Hawaiian Youth.	\$150,000	Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders	N/Av
Total			Total \$150,000	Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders	Total N/Av

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Guam	2	Provide resources to states and territories for rape prevention and education programs conducted by rape crisis centers, state sexual assault coalitions, and other public and private nonprofit entities for: educational seminars; operation of hotlines; training programs for professionals; informational material; and education and training programs for students and campus personnel designed to reduce the incidence of sexual assault at colleges and universities.	\$787,440	Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders	150
Mariana Islands	2	Provide resources to states and territories for rape prevention and education programs conducted by rape crisis centers, state sexual assault coalitions, and other public and private nonprofit entities for: educational seminars; operation of hotlines; training programs for professionals; informational material; and education and training programs for students and campus personnel designed to reduce the incidence of sexual assault at colleges and universities.	\$10,566	Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders	50

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Palau	2	Provide resources to states and territories for rape prevention and education programs conducted by rape crisis centers, state sexual assault coalitions, and other public and private nonprofit entities for: educational seminars; operation of hotlines; training programs for professionals; informational material; and education and training programs for students and campus personnel designed to reduce the incidence of sexual assault at colleges and universities.	\$5,142	Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders	15
Micronesia	2	Provide resources to states and territories for rape prevention and education programs conducted by rape crisis centers, state sexual assault coalitions, and other public and private nonprofit entities for: educational seminars; operation of hotlines; training programs for professionals; informational material; and education and training programs for students and campus personnel designed to reduce the incidence of sexual assault at colleges and universities.	\$20,518	Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders	15

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American Samoa	2	Provide resources to states and territories for rape prevention and education programs conducted by rape crisis centers, state sexual assault coalitions, and other public and private nonprofit entities for: educational seminars; operation of hotlines; training programs for professionals; informational material; and education and training programs for students and campus personnel designed to reduce the incidence of sexual assault at colleges and universities.	\$11,979	Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders	15
National Prevention Information Network	3	Provide a single, user-friendly point of access for important information about youth violence prevention, including intervention strategies. The center has established a toll-free number, bilingual in English and Spanish, and an Internet website, to provide accurate youth violence and suicide prevention and intervention information and resources available through the federal agencies.	\$26,583	Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders	75
Pennsylvania Coalition Against Rape	3	Provide leadership in the prevention of sexual violence; provide comprehensive information and resources, and to provide technical assistance and professional consultation to sexual assault programs, state and local organizations, community volunteers, and the media.	\$19,840	Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders	80

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Pennsylvania Coalition Against Domestic Violence/ California Coalition Against Sexual Assault	3	Develop and support effective local, state and national intervention and prevention initiatives through electronic informational documents and technical assistance on violence against women.	\$14,123	Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders	60
Totals			Total \$896,191		Total 460

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**Initiative: AAPI**

**Category: Faculty, Student, Individual Recruitment and Support, Student Tuition Aid, Scholarships, and Other Aid**

Name of Awardee	*Funding Type	Summary of Activities	*Amount of Award	Minority Population(s)	Projected Number of Targeted Population(s)
National Research Council (NRC)	3	Provide funding for education and training and occupational safety and health research opportunities in the NIOSH labs for two additional fellows.	\$422,500	Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders	10 Post-doctoral fellows
Totals			Total \$422,500		Total 10 fellows

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**Category: Facilities and Equipment**

Name of Awardee	*Funding Type	Summary of Activities	*Amount of Award	Minority Population(s)	Projected Number of Targeted Population(s)
Republic of Palau Ministry of Health	3	Fund the Republic of Palau to enhance the capacity of its epidemiologic and laboratory capacity for infectious disease surveillance activities. During 2006, emphasis will be placed on developing a manual to incorporate policies and standard procedures for investigations.	\$92,363	Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders	N/A
Hawaii Department of Health	3	Fund the Hawaii Department of Health to enhance the capacity of its epidemiologic and laboratory capacity (ELC) for infectious disease surveillance activities in Hawaii.	\$812,644	Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders	N/A
Totals			Total \$905,007		Total N/A

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**Category: Major Agency Program**

Name of Awardee	*Funding Type	Summary of Activities	*Amount of Award	Minority Population(s)	Projected Number of Targeted Population(s)
Asian & Pacific Islander American Health Forum (APIAHF)	3	Assist the National Organization Strategies for the Prevention, Early Detection or Survivorship of Cancer in Underserved Populations program to work with national organizations in the development of health programs and cancer prevention and control infrastructure to deliver cancer education and awareness activities for individuals who may be underserved, uninsured or underinsured, at risk, or of racial/ethnic minorities.	\$342,985	underserved, uninsured or underinsured, at risk, or of racial/ethnic minorities	Varies by state, territory and tribal organization.
Center for Pan Asian Community Service (CPACS)	3	Implement, in collaboration with <i>Steps to a HealthierUS</i> Dekalb County, a linguistically and culturally appropriate program for Southeast Asians living in the <i>Steps</i> intervention area. The program promotes the adoption of healthy lifestyles through skill-based education and community social supports to increase knowledge and awareness of eating healthy, becoming physically active and abstaining from tobacco use.	\$5,000	AAPIs	30,000

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Lowell Community Health Center	3	Work to eliminate health disparities among the Cambodian population of Lowell, Massachusetts, with regard to cardiovascular health and diabetes. Project Activities include educational group workshops, physical activities, such as Tai Chi, healthy eating, and participant referrals to culturally appropriate health services.	\$883,280	Asian Americans	25,000
Seattle-King County Department of Health	3	Work to eliminate health disparities among the Asian Americans/Pacific Islanders, Hispanics/Latinos, and African Americans with regard to diabetes prevention and control. Project activities include utilizing lay peer educators to facilitate monthly support groups for diabetes patients among each of the three ethnic groups. Health education classes will be offered six times per year, and self-management classes will be offered twice per year.	\$898,633	AAPIs, Hispanic, African American	8,000
University of California, San Francisco	3	Work to eliminate health disparities with regard to cervical cancer among women of Vietnamese origin living in Santa Clara County, California. Project activities and interventions include developing media campaigns, establishing a lay health worker intervention program to conduct research about cervical cancer and pap smears; establishing a half-day pap smear clinic; and a pap smear registry and reminder system.	\$893,720	Asian Americans	54,000
Totals			Total \$3,023,618	AAPIs	Total Approx 117,000

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