

Health response	Exposure
Traumatic Injury Eye Injury Electrocutions Falls Neck, Shoulder and Other Upper Extremity Disorders Low Back Disorders Fertility and Pregnancy Outcomes Occupational Asthma Pneumoconioses Inhalation Injury Hypersensitivity lung disease Occupational Chronic Diseases (Selected) Chronic Obstructive Lung Disease Chronic Renal Disease Ischemic Heart Disease Neurodegenerative Disease (Cognitive and Movement Disorders) Occupational Infectious Diseases Depression and Anxiety Immune Dysfunction Neuroimmune Function Hearing Loss Contact Dermatitis	Chemical Mixtures (Including Hazardous Waste). Pesticides. Solvents. Oils and related derivatives (e.g., Cutting Fluids, Diesel). Indoor Environment. Thermal stresses. Mineral and Synthetic Fibers. Metals and Related Compounds. Hormonally Active Substances. Violence/Assaults. Motor Vehicles. Heavy Machinery. Hand Tools. Mechanical Stressors. Noise. Electric and Magnetic Fields. Behavioral Risk Factors.
Sector—work environment—workforce	Research process
Construction Agriculture Small Businesses Work Organization (Changing Economy and Workforce) Emerging Technologies Vulnerable Populations Service Workers	Intervention and Prevention. Effectiveness Research. Engineering and Technologic Solutions. Exposure Assessment Methods Development. Hazard Surveillance. Disease Surveillance. Injury Surveillance. Risk Assessment Methodology. Identification of Molecular Correlates of Cancer and other Chronic Diseases. Occupational Health Services Research (e.g., Manpower Needs; Clinical Outcomes Research).

From this list and additional items that are recommended, NIOSH anticipates producing a final agenda of 15–25 of the highest scientific priorities for advancing safety and health. The following criteria were used in developing this initial discussion list and are proposed for the development of the research agenda:

(1) the seriousness of the hazard in terms of death, injury, disease, disability, and economic impact;

(2) the number of workers exposed or the magnitude of the risk;

(3) the potential for risk reduction;

(4) the expected trend in the importance of the subject; and,

(5) the need for research (the sufficiency of existing research) for improving worker protection.

NIOSH will be seeking input over the next five months to assure that the final agenda includes input from the broadest base of occupational safety and health expertise. The process will include the following elements:

(1) Corporate and worker liaison committees and a broader-based stakeholders outreach committee will assist NIOSH in obtaining involvement and input from employers, employees, health officials, health professionals, scientists, and public health, advocacy, scientific, industry and labor organizations;

(2) The November 30 public meeting, described in this notice, to obtain early input

on the research priorities, criteria for selection of priorities, and the process for developing the agenda;

(3) Three work groups comprising researchers, health professionals, and representatives of stakeholder organizations will meet in public sessions in December and January to provide individual input and recommendations based on the communities they represent; time will be reserved to allow observers the opportunity to comment;

(4) Regional public meetings will be held to increase the opportunities for input from employers, employees, scientists, and other public stakeholders across the United States;

(5) A final public meeting in March 1996 to present a preliminary research agenda and provide the opportunity for public review and comment; and

(6) Public input throughout the process; the public is encouraged to provide oral comments at the public meetings and written comments through March 6, 1996.

(7) The final agenda will be presented at a scientific symposium commemorating the 25th anniversary of the Occupational Safety and Health Act on April 29, 1996.

NIOSH encourages the public to provide recommendations on research priorities, criteria for determining priorities, and the process of developing the research agenda as early in the process as possible. To register to attend, to register to speak, or to receive additional information on the November 30

meeting, please contact Ms. Sandy Lange as indicated below. On-site registration will be available; however, to assist in planning for the meeting, advance registration is requested.

Addresses: Comments should be mailed to Ms. Diane Manning, NIOSH, CDC, Robert A. Taft Laboratories, NIOSH, CDC, M/S C34, 4676 Columbia Parkway, Cincinnati, Ohio 45226.

Contact Person for Additional Information: Ms. Sandy Lange, NIOSH, CDC, 200 Independence Avenue, Room 317B, Washington, DC 20201, telephone 202/401-0721.

Dated: October 31, 1995.

John C. Burckhardt,

Acting Director, Management Analysis and Services Office, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

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**DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND
URBAN DEVELOPMENT**

**Office of the Assistant Secretary for
Public and Indian Housing**

[Docket No. FR-3921-N-02]

**Announcement of Funding Awards for
Technical Assistance and Training for
Public Housing Crime Prevention
Through Environmental Design**

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant
Secretary for Public and Indian
Housing, HUD.

ACTION: Announcement of funding
awards.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 102(a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989, this document notifies the public of the funding award for Fiscal Year (FY) 1995 Technical Assistance and Training for Public Housing Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design. The purpose of this document is to announce the name and address of the award winner and the amount of the award.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Elizabeth A. Cocke, Drug-Free Neighborhoods Division, Office of Community Relations and Involvement, Public and Indian Housing, Department of Housing and Urban Development, Room 4116, 451 Seventh Street, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20410, telephone (202) 708-1197. A telecommunications device for hearing or speech impaired persons (TDD) is available at (202) 708-0850. (These are not toll-free telephone numbers.)

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Authority

This grant is authorized under Chapter 2, Subtitle C, Title V of the Anti-Drug Abuse Act of 1988 (42 U.S.C. 11901 *et. seq.*), as amended by Section 581 of the National Affordable Housing Act of 1990 (NAHA), approved November 28, 1990, Pub. L. 101-625, and Section 161 of the Housing and Community Development Act of 1992 (HCDA 1992) (Pub. L. 102-550, approved October 28, 1992).

II. Federal Fiscal Year 1995 Funding

The Departments of Veterans Affairs and Housing and Urban Development, and Independent Agencies Appropriations Act 1995, (approved September 28, 1994, Pub. L. 103-327), (95 App. Act) appropriated \$290 million for the Drug Elimination Program of which \$10 million is to be used for funding technical assistance and

training. The funding available under this program is a part of this \$10 million.

III. Grant Award

On July 25, 1995, HUD published a Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) announcing the availability of \$500,000 in FY 1995 funds for Technical Assistance and Training for Public and Indian Housing Crime Prevention Through Environmental Design (60 FR 38214). The Department reviewed, evaluated and scored the applications received based on the criteria in the NOFA. As a result, HUD has funded the application announced below, and in accordance with section 102(a)(4)(C) of the Department of Housing and Urban Development Reform Act of 1989 (Pub. L. 101-235, approved December 15, 1989), the Department is publishing details concerning the recipient of the funding award, as follows:

Grant Recipient: SPARTA Consulting Corporation
Recipient contact Person: Severin Sorensen
Address: P.O. Box 34469, Bethesda, Maryland, 20827.
Telephone Number: (301) 656-6600
Amount Awarded: \$500,000.00

General Objectives

The United States Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and the SPARTA Consulting Corporation (grantee) have entered into a grant agreement for \$500,000.00 of Public and Indian Housing Drug Elimination Program Technical Assistance funds to: (1) develop a technical assistance (TA) and training program to improve the capacity of public housing staff and residents in their plans for physical changes to enhance security, and (2) to provide the TA and training in a variety of formats.

This is a cost-reimbursable grant for \$500,000.00 for a 2-year base period, with possible optional years. Each additional fiscal year award will be for comparable amounts based upon an evaluation of grant performance and the availability of funds.

Dated: October 31, 1995.

Kevin Emanuel Marchman,

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Distressed and Troubled Housing Recovery.

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**Announcement of Funding Awards for
Training and Technical Assistance for
the Prevention of Youth Violence in
Public Housing—Fiscal Year 1995**

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant
Secretary for Public and Indian
Housing, HUD.

ACTION: Announcement of funding
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