

## EXHIBIT 1

### HEAD START ORAL HEALTH INITIATIVE

Winter 2006-2007

Site: [Site ID]  
Dates of interview: [xx/xx/xx]  
Interviewer: [Name]

#### **1. RESPONDENT INFORMATION**

*(Questions 1-3: Job title, current responsibilities, time employed by grantee, time in current position, other positions held at agency)*

#### **2. GRANTEE CHARACTERISTICS**

##### **2.1 OHI CONTACT INFORMATION**

*(Intro and Question 4: Agency address and phone number; OHI contact, job title, and email address)*

##### **2.2 AGENCY BACKGROUND**

*(Question 5-6, 10: Main programs agency operates (other than HS), agency size, number of families served annually, number of staff, years of operation in the community)*

##### **2.3 HEAD START PROGRAM**

*(Question 7-11: Whether agency operates Head Start, Early Head Start, Migrant/Seasonal Head Start and number of families agency is funded to serve annually under each program; service options, number of centers, years of operation of HS, EHS, and/or MSHS program; operating schedule for HS, EHS, MSHS programs)*

#### **3. COMMUNITY AND FAMILY CHARACTERISTICS**

##### **3.1 SERVICE AREA**

*(Questions 12 and 14: Geographic service area for HS, EHS, MSHS programs; service area for OHI and reason if different from HS service area; variation in implementation across sites; availability of other services in community)*

##### **3.2 FAMILY CHARACTERISTICS**

*(Questions 13, 15-16: Family characteristics, including languages spoken and cultural/ethnic backgrounds; barriers to accessing oral health care, including availability of providers, access to insurance coverage, and cultural competency of providers; families' cultural norms and oral health care practices; prevalence of practices that threaten oral health)*

#### **4. OHI GOALS, OBJECTIVES, AND KEY COMPONENTS**

##### **4.1 GOALS AND OBJECTIVES**

*(Questions 17- 18: Rationale for applying for OHI grant; OHI goals and objectives, whether they have changed since beginning implementation, and if so, why)*

## **4.2 KEY COMPONENTS**

*(Questions 19-21: Key components of OHI; number of children and pregnant women to be served, and how program decided which children and families to target for OHI; whether program will serve other family members; annual budget for OHI and proportion of funds spent on staff, dental services, supplies, and other expenses)*

## **5. DESIGN PROCESS**

*(Questions: 22-27: How program identified goals and objectives; who was involved in the OHI design process; resources used for designing the initiative; whether program did a community needs assessment or used an existing one; if needs assessment used, how it was used; whether built on existing activities or designed a new approach, and how this was done; community and family characteristics most important in design decisions)*

## **6. STAFFING STRUCTURE AND TRAINING**

### **6.1 STAFFING STRUCTURE**

*(Questions 28-32: Informant's time on OHI; number of staff assigned to OHI, including their job titles, main duties, and qualifications; whether all planned OHI positions are filled and how long this took; how staffing was decided; whether used new and/or existing staff and why; how well staffing structure is working out so far)*

### **6.2 STAFF TRAINING**

*(Question 33-36: Content of OHI preservice training and staff who received it; training received since implementation began; plans for future training; plans for training new hires due to turnover in OHI staff; T/TA received from OHS, oral health consultants, other sources and helpfulness of T/TA)*

## **7. COMMUNITY PARTNERS**

### **7.1 NUMBER AND TYPES OF COMMUNITY PARTNERS**

*(Question 37: Number and types of OHI partners, rationale for recruiting them, other partners needed and their potential roles on OHI)*

### **7.2 DEVELOPING PARTNERSHIPS**

*(Question 38-39 42: How partners identified and recruited, whether formal partnership agreements in place, content of agreements, training provided to partners, and helpfulness of training)*

### **7.3 PARTNERS' ROLES ON OHI**

*(Questions 40-41: Partners roles and services provided to HS children and families, whether partners receive referrals, whether partners report outcomes of referrals back to HS agency)*

### **7.4 PARTNERSHIPS SUCCESSES AND CHALLENGES**

*(Question 43: How well partnerships are working out, successes and challenges)*

## **8. SERVICE DELIVERY**

### **8.1 RISK ASSESSMENT**

*(Questions 44-46: Whether program conducts routine oral health assessments, how assessments are conducted, who conducts assessments, whether a formal assessment tool is used and why selected, how assessment results are used)*

### **8.2 CLINICAL SERVICES**

*(Questions 47-49: Types of clinical preventive and treatment services provided to children and pregnant women, whether provided directly or through partners/community providers, where services are provided, how costs of the services are covered, types of clinical services provided to other family members )*

### **8.3 SUPPORT SERVICES**

*(Questions 41, 50-52: Whether program has referral system in place and how it works; how program tracks treatment outcomes and follow up needs; whether program provides help making appointments, transportation, translation/interpretation, or supports; who provides support services)*

#### **8.4 DENTAL HOME**

*(Question 53: Program's definition of a dental home, whether program helps families establish dental homes, how programs help families establish dental homes)*

#### **8.5 ORAL HEALTH EDUCATION**

*(Questions 54-57, 59-60: Oral health education for parents, pregnant women, and children; who provides oral health education, where oral health education provided; curricula used to provide oral health education; helpfulness of the curriculum and whether changes have been made; steps taken to tailor oral health education to needs and cultural norms of families)*

#### **8.6 ORAL HYGIENE SUPPLIES**

*(Question 58: Types of oral hygiene supplies provided, who receives supplies, how often provided, whether training on how to use the supplies is provided)*

#### **8.7 COMMUNITY OUTREACH**

*(Question 60: Steps taken to expand OHI to the broader community, such as participation in community health fairs or other events)*

### **9. EARLY IMPLEMENTATION EXPERIENCES**

#### **9.1 FUNDING**

*(Questions 61-62: Sufficiency of OHI funding to implement as planned, additional funding sources, whether program has applied for additional funding sources, how new funds will be used if received)*

#### **9.2 DESIGN CHANGES, SUCCESSES, AND CHALLENGES**

*(Questions 63-67: Progress towards goals, design changes and rationale for changes, successes, challenges, strategies to address challenges, how well strategies are working)*

#### **9.3 CONSULTATION AND T/TA**

*(Questions 68-69: consultation with other OHI grantees, additional T/TA that would be helpful from OHS or T/TA network)*

### **10. OTHER ISSUES**

*(Question 70: other issues mentioned by informant)*