Office of Rural Health Policy: Rural Health Community-Based Grant Programs

Performance Improvement and Measurement System (PIMS) Database

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Network Development Planning Grant Program

Table 1: NETWORK

1	Number of member organizations in the consortium / network.	Number
	Type(s) of member organizations in the consortium / network.	
2	(Check all that apply)	Selection list
	Hospital	
	Critical Access Hospital	
	Rural Health Clinic	
	Free Clinic	
	Private Practice	
	Community Health Center	
	Migrant Health Center	
	Health Department	
	AHEC	
	University	
	School District	
	Social Services Organization	
	Non-profit organization	
	Faith-based organization	
	For-profit business	
	Other	

Table Instructions: Networks

Please provide the number of organizations in the consortium or network for your project and the type(s) of member organizations; check all that apply. Please refer to the detailed definitions for consortium/networks.

Table 2: SUSTAINABILITY

	Has a sustainability plan been developed using sources of funding	
3	besides grants?	Y/N
	Type(s) of sources of funding for sustainability:	
4	(Check all that apply)	Selection list
	Program revenue	
	In-kind	
	Member fees	
	Other grants	
	Other	
	None	

Table Instructions: Sustainability:

Please identify if a sustainability plan has been developed using funding sources other than grants and then select the type(s) of sources for that funding. Please check all that apply. If your grant project has not received any additional funding, please type N/A for not applicable.

Table 3: NETWORK DEVELOPMENT

	Within six (6) months of the end of the original Planning Grant	Selection list : Yes / No / In
5	project period:	Progress
	a) Did the Network Members develop a formal Board of	
	Directors that is composed of a representative from each network	
	member organization?	
	b) Did the Network Members sign a formal, legally binding	
	agreement to work as one entity for a common goal?	
	c) Did the Network Members develop by-laws?	
	d) Did the Network Members complete a strategic plan or	
	develop a timeline to complete a strategic plan?	

Table Instructions: Network Development

Please select Yes, No or In Progress for each performance measure question.

Definition of Key Terms for Rural Health Community-Based Grant Programs

Charity Care: any services provided free of cost or reimbursement

<u>Consortium/Network</u>: Comprised of at least 3 separately owned organizations that are working together towards the project's goals and objectives. Specifically respond only for the formal member organizations, for the purposes of your grant project.

Medical Home: provides patients with continuous access to services.

Target Population: The population identified by the grant project to receive services.

Total Encounters: The number of documented services provided to all individuals.

Total Non Duplicated Encounters: The number of unique individual users who have received documented services.

<u>Underinsured</u>: A person who has health insurance but face significant cost sharing or limits on benefits that may affect its usefulness in accessing or paying for needed health services and/or who may lack continuous access to health insurance coverage.