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ATTENTION: MATTHEW
Phone: _____
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FROM: Peggy BENTLEY

Phone: 919 843 9962
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MESSAGE:
Matthew Here is the
agenda -- you could follow up with
ward Cates at Fitts or

Henry Gabelnick at CONRAD for
the outcomes of the meeting

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Oct. 21 1998 08:15AM P2

FAMILY HEALTH INTERNATIONAL

We are writing to invite you to an important meeting, "Microbicides/Spermicides: Opportunities For Industrial Collaboration", that will take place October 21-23, 1998. The meeting is being jointly organized by Family Health International, the Consortium for Industrial Collaboration in Contraceptive Research/Contraceptive Research and Development Program (CICCR/CONRAD) and the International Working Group on Microbicides. It will bring together key players in microbicide development, representatives of the pharmaceutical industry, and representatives of the regulatory agencies. All sectors will be able to share up-to-date information on the status of research and development in this area, and explore the opportunities for industrial involvement/collaboration. The meeting will also provide the opportunity to hold private meetings in specially reserved rooms.

We have a growing need for microbicidal products which couples could use to prevent the transmission of sexually transmitted diseases, including HIV. While the global HIV epidemic continues to progress at an alarming rate, the use of condoms is limited in many of the worst affected communities. Microbicides that are highly effective, and easy and safe to use, would fill a major gap in "safe sex" products, especially for women who cannot always persuade their partners to use condoms. Ideally, these microbicides should be available in contraceptive and non-contraceptive forms.

In bringing microbicides to the people who urgently need them the role of industry will be crucial, because these products will need to be formulated, manufactured, packaged and distributed on a major scale. This meeting in October will provide an exceptional opportunity, to discuss at a high level, all aspects of industrial involvement in microbicides, including such issues as marketing and profitability, product liability, drug regulatory agency perspectives, and protection of intellectual property rights. The meeting is certain to be educational to everyone involved.

A two-and-a-half day meeting is scheduled for October 21-23, 1998. The meeting will be held at the Durham Marriott and Convention Center in Durham, North Carolina, USA, near the Research Triangle Park.

The final meeting agenda is enclosed. The first afternoon, October 21, will be registration and a poster/exhibit session. (Note: The International Working Group for Microbicides (IWGM) will be holding a meeting in the same location October 21.) At dinner, the keynote address will be given by Dr. Helene Gayle of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC). The second day offers sessions on the state-of-the-art of preclinical and clinical research on microbicides, consumer demand, industry views and perspectives, and a second opportunity to view the posters and exchange information with other participants. Separate meeting rooms will be available all day Thursday and



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Friday to schedule private side meetings. The third day offers sessions on drug regulatory and legal issues.

We are making final preparations for the meeting and have enclosed several important documents that require your immediate attention. We believe the materials are self-explanatory, but please do not hesitate to call us if you have any questions. The following items are enclosed:

- Final agenda and registration form;
- Poster/Exhibit guidelines;
- Poster/Exhibit submission forms.

Please note that there are a limited number of guest rooms available at the group rate, and we cannot guarantee a room at the conference hotel at the group rate. Please return your registration forms as soon as possible.

The poster/exhibit sessions are a special feature and an important component of the meeting. Time has been allocated for them on the agenda, with no parallel activity. As noted above, there will also be separate rooms available for private meetings. Research institutions/organizations may wish to share interesting research findings and invite industrial collaboration. Or your institution may wish to prepare a poster that illustrates the organization and capabilities of your organization. Participants from industry are encouraged to participate in these sessions as well. If you wish to present a poster/exhibit, please complete the enclosed form. We shall accept these on a first-come, first-served basis, as limited by space available. Instructions on poster/exhibit format are also enclosed.

Please send us the completed registration forms and poster/exhibit forms as soon as possible. Please call Ms. Bethany Lewis, or, after October 7, Mrs. Sara Tenorio, our Meeting Coordinators, if you have any questions.

We are delighted by the enthusiasm and interest already shown in the meeting. Thank you in advance for your help with the administrative matters. We look forward to a very exciting meeting in October.

On behalf of the Steering Committee,


Willard Cates, Jr., M.D., M.P.H.
President
Family Health International


Henry Gabelnick, Ph.D.
Director
Contraceptive Research and Development
Program (CONRAD)

Enclosures

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- **Carolyn Makinson**
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- **Susan McMullen**
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- **Roberto Rivera**
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- **Jeffrey Spielor**
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- **Alan Stone**
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Meeting Coordinators

- **Bethany Lewis**
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- **Sara Tenorio**
Family Health International

Microbicides/Spermicides: Opportunities for Industrial Collaboration in Contraceptive Research

October 21-23, 1998

Durham Marriott Hotel & Convention Center

Durham, North Carolina

Wednesday, October 21

- 3:00 - 6:00 pm Registration
- 4:00 - 6:00 pm Posters/Exhibits
- 7:00 - 9:00 pm Dinner and Speaker

Speaker: Dr. Helene Gayle, M.D., M.P.H.,Director, National Center for HIV, STD, and TB Prevention,
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), U.S.A.**Thursday, October 22***Rooms will be available all day for scheduling private side meetings.*

- 7:30 - 8:00 am Registration
- 8:00 - 8:10 am Welcome
Ward Cates, Family Health International
- 8:10 - 8:25 am Introduction
Mahmoud Fathalla, The Rockefeller Foundation
- 8:25 - 8:30 am Meeting Overview
Roberto Rivera, Family Health International

Session I

Research and Development Summary: The State of the Art

Co-chairs: *David Katz, Duke University/Henry Gabelnick, CONRAD*

- 8:30 - 9:00 am State-of-the-Art of Pre-Clinical Studies
Zeda Rosenberg, NIAID
- 9:00 - 9:20 am State-of-the-Art of Phase I and II Trials
Marianne Callahan, CONRAD
- 9:20 - 9:40 am State-of-the-Art of Phase III and IV Trials
Ward Cates, Family Health International
- 9:40 - 10:00 am Acceptability
Chris Ellas, The Population Council
- 10:00 - 10:30 am Break

Session II

Consumer Demand

Chair: *Jeff Spielor, USAID*

Women's Issues

- 10:30 - 10:50 am *Regina Barbosa, Instituto de Saude, Brazil*
- 10:50 - 11:10 am *Lori Heise, Health Development Policy Project*

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Thursday, October 22 (Continued)

Market Studies

- 11:10 - 11:40 pm Alan Guttmacher Institute
Jacqueline Darroch
- 12:00 - 1:00 pm Lunch
- 1:00 - 1:30 pm Advanced Care Products
- 1:30 - 2:00 pm EU Global Market Survey, Hillmark
- 2:00 - 2:30 pm Break

About FHI

Family Health International (FHI) is an international nonprofit biomedical research and technical assistance organization dedicated to improving reproductive health, contraceptive safety and health service delivery. FHI is committed to improving all aspects of reproductive health, from increasing contraceptive choices to slowing the spread of sexually transmitted diseases. FHI has its headquarters in North Carolina and is staffed by professionals skilled in contraceptive development, epidemiology, biostatistics, public health, social sciences, health care economics, systems analysis, and financial management. Our research strength lies in our collaboration with a network of colleagues in 260 clinical research centers in 55 countries around the world.

Since 1971, FHI has worked in more than 90 countries to broaden the range of safe, effective, acceptable and affordable contraceptive methods and has assisted in the provision of them to families around the world. FHI is intensely involved in the design, implementation and analysis of studies to establish the safety, efficacy, and acceptability of contraceptive drugs and devices. In the 25 years since FHI was founded, its staff have designed, implemented, and managed more than 500 studies to evaluate the safety and efficacy of contraceptive methods and other drugs. Many of our clinical trials are conducted to obtain marketing approval for new products by regulatory agencies, including the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA). For example, FHI trials have contributed to local regulatory approval of Norplant implants, and trials conducted in collaboration with CONRAD, have contributed to FDA approval of the Reality® female condom. We have the capability to prepare FDA submissions on new products and to secure the requisite

Session III**Industry Views and Perspectives on Collaboration of Development**Facilitator: *Alan Stone*, MRC, UK

- 2:30 - 4:30 pm Panel Discussion

Jan Sabbat, Glaxo Wellcome, U.S.
Gert Siemons, Organon, Netherlands
Nick Boyes, ML Laboratories, UK
K.M. Parikh, Zandu Foundation for Healthcare, India
Elizabeth Weatherman, E.M. Warburg, Pincus & Co., U.S.

- 4:30 - 6:00 pm Posters/Exhibits

Friday, October 23

Rooms will be available all day for scheduling private side meetings.

Session IV**Drug Regulatory Requirements and Issues**Chair: *Laneta Dorfinger*, Family Health International

- 9:00 - 10:30 am Panel Discussion

Dianne Murphy, U.S. FDA
Debra Birnkrant, U.S. FDA
Sheryl Lard-Whiteford, U.S. FDA
Debra Bowen/Linda Katz, U.S. FDA
Marianne Mann, U.S. FDA
Mair Powell, Medicines Control Agency, UK

- 10:30 - 11:00 am Break
- 11:00 - 12:00 pm Panel Discussion (cont.)
- 12:00 - 1:30 pm Lunch

Session V**Liability Issues**Chair: *Rebecca Cook*, Faculty of Law, University of Toronto

- 1:30 - 3:30 pm Panel Discussion
(panelists to be announced)

Closing Remarks

- 3:30 - 3:45 pm *Roberto Rivera*, Family Health International

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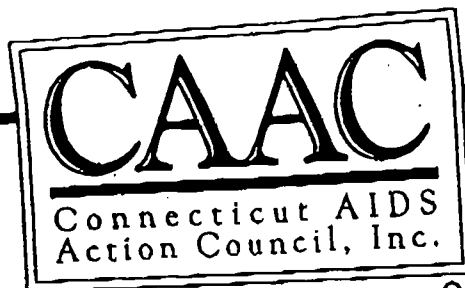
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October 20, 1998

Todd A. Summers
Deputy Director
Office of National AIDS Policy
Executive Office of the President
736 Jackson Place
Washington, DC 20503

Dear Todd,

I am looking forward to your attendance at our ProVisions conference in November, at the Sheraton Hotel in Springfield, MA. Since, I had made all the initial arrangements with Sarah Holewinski, I wanted to have a chance to talk with you personally. You will be our opening Plenary speaker on Thursday November 19, 1998. Our audience is primarily consumers, clients, and social service providers. We will be starting with a short medical update. As you are well aware, new science and medical breakthroughs are vastly affecting the course of the HIV/AIDS epidemic. My hope was to ask you to focus your comments on the impact these changes have wrought on policy and services presently in place, and what changes do we need to make to prepare ourselves for the future! Where do we go from here, and how do we get there?

I would like to set up a telephone call to talk about your speech and also confirm your plans. I had asked Sarah to extend an invitation to have you be part of a panel that will lead a public policy and empowerment institute on Wednesday afternoon (Nov. 18, 1998) from 1:00 - 5:00PM. I am enclosing a copy of our program brochure to see the schedule of events. Todd, I also need to know when you would be arriving, how many nights to book for the hotel, and what flight and transportation arrangements we need to make. Please leave me a message on my home phone at 860 643-1501 as to when we may be able to talk. My most flexible days are Monday, Tuesday and Friday, but will work around your schedule. Thanks again for helping to make ProVisions a special conference. We are looking forward to have you join us for this special event.

Sincerely,

Kathleen Tummillo, Director, ProVisions VI

cc: Sarah Holewinski, Office of National AIDS Policy

ProVisions VI.

A Multicultural Northeast Regional
Conference on HIV/AIDS

the band's still playing...



la banda sigue tocando...

Sheraton at Monarch Place
Springfield, MA

November 18 - 20, 1998

Sponsored by Connecticut AIDS Action Council (CAAC)

DEAR FRIENDS AND COLLEAGUES

The Connecticut AIDS Action Council is proud to sponsor ProVisions VI, a Northeast Regional Multicultural Conference on HIV/AIDS.

ProVisions is a collaborative effort among persons living with HIV/AIDS, Service Providers, Advocates, Volunteers, and those affected by HIV/AIDS. With out the help of our many volunteers and numerous Program Partners, ProVisions could not exist.

The theme for this years conference is "The Band's Still Playing, La Banda Sigue Tocando". It was chosen as a way to keep us focused on our struggle and keep aware of our progress. It is now 1998 and the face of AIDS continues to change as we develop new and improved community based programs to help those living with HIV, and as we discover new drugs, and drug combinations which are making people live healthier.

We have come a long way... but our journey in not over.

So, come to ProVisions! Learn, Explore, Network, Grow, Heal, and Continue to Play in our Band.

Jeffrey Beadle
CAAC President

Kathleen Tummillio
ProVisions Director

Richard P. Agostinho
ProVisions Coordinator

ProVisions VI: OUR BAND

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Susan P. Lopes

The Band's Still Playing...

SCHEDULE

Wednesday, November 18, 1998

12:30 pm - 1:00 pm	Registration
	Review Exhibits
1:00 pm - 5:00 pm	Institutes
	Empowerment
3:00 pm Break with Refreshments	Rural AIDS
	Activating Community Alliances
5:15 pm	Hospitality Reception

Thursday, November 19, 1998

8:00 am - 9:00 am	Registration
	Continental Breakfast
9:00 am - 10:30 am	Welcome Plenary
10:30 am - 10:45 am	Break
10:45 am - 12:15 pm	Workshop Session 1
12:15 pm - 1:30 pm	Lunch
1:30 pm - 3:00 pm	Workshop Session 2
3:00 pm - 3:15 pm	Break
3:15 pm - 4:45 pm	Workshop Session 3
5:00 pm - 6:30 pm	Reception - Jazz Ensemble
9:00 pm	Entertainment

Friday, November 20, 1998

7:30 am - 8:30 am	Continental Breakfast
	Review Exhibits
8:30 am - 10:00 am	Workshop Session 4
10:00 am - 10:15 am	Break
10:15 am - 11:45 am	Workshop Session 5
12:00 noon - 2:00 pm	Lunch - Closing

KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Office of National AIDS Policy
Todd A. Summers, Deputy Director



KEYNOTE SPEAKER

Todd Summers was appointed by the President on August 4, 1997 as the Deputy Director of the White House Office of National AIDS Policy, serving under its Director, Sandra L. Thurman.

Most recently, Mr. Summers served as the Executive Director of the AIDS Housing Corporation in Boston, Massachusetts. As one of its founders, Summers developed the organization into a nationally recognized technical assistance provider and advocate for addressing the supported housing needs of people living with HIV/AIDS. During his tenure, the AIDS Housing Corporation helped develop over 32 congregate housing programs as well as a statewide network of scatter-site rental assistance. In addition, the agency raised more than \$50 million for innovative housing and supportive service programs for people with HIV/AIDS and other special needs.

He has served in leadership positions with numerous organization, including co-chair of the Boston Ryan White HIV Services Planning Council, president of the Boston AIDS Consortium, executive committee member of Cities Advocating Emergency AIDS Relief (CAEAR Coalition), and board member of the National AIDS Housing Coalition. He has presented testimony before Congress and the Massachusetts legislature on the housing needs of persons living with HIV/AIDS, led delegations in meetings with cabinet officers, and presented at numerous conferences nationally and internationally.

Summers has received commendations from the Mayor of Boston, the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, the Boston City Council, and the Boston Fair Housing Commission. He has also cowritten several publications, books, and articles on AIDS and housing issues.

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REGISTRATION - Due by November 2, 1998

Please Print in Block letters (this is how your name and affiliation will appear on your name tag)

Name _____
First MI Last

Profession (title) _____

Agency or Affiliation _____

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Workshop presenter ☐ Yes ☐ No

Registration

- ☐ \$200 Institutes on Wednesday, November 18 (please check institute below)
Conference on Thursday, November 19 and Friday, November 20
☐ \$150 Conference only, Thursday and Friday

Institute

- ☐ Empowerment ☐ Rural AIDS ☐ Community Alliance

Scholarships A limited number of scholarships are available and will be chosen by lottery
Please Check here if you are applying for a scholarship. ☐ HIV Status? _____

Are you applying for a

- ☐ Full Scholarship (hotel and registration) or
☐ Partial Scholarship (registration only)

Individual receiving scholarships are expected to be available to volunteer if needed by the organizers of the conference.

Special Needs _____

Dietary Needs/Requirements _____

Child Care is available to participants with children between the ages of 2-5 years.

How Many Children? _____ Ages? _____

Names _____

Special notes _____

What days will they be attending? ☐ Wednesday ☐ Thursday ☐ Friday

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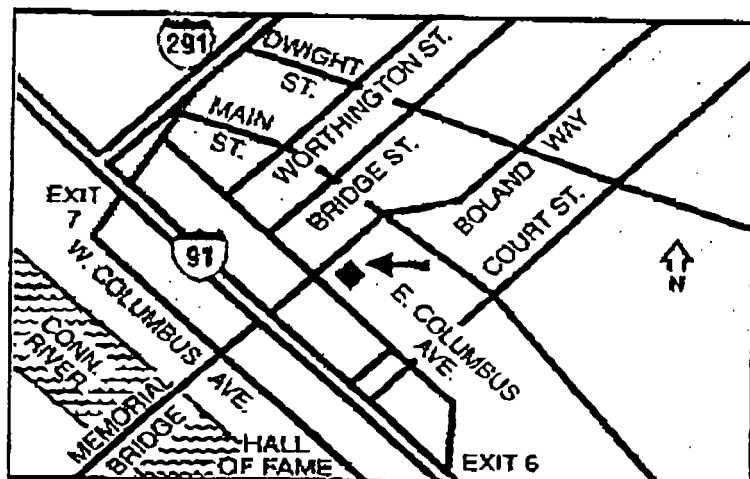
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At the crossroads of New England, the Sheraton Springfield is centrally located to Boston and Albany. Bradley International Airport is only 18 miles away. It sits near the intersection of I-91 and the Massachusetts Turnpike, with easy access to and from the highway. Within short driving distance from the hotel, the Pioneer Valley has much to offer; Five College area, The Berkshires, Tanglewood, Historic Deerfield, Old Sturbridge Village, Mt. Tom Ski Area/Summerside, Riverside park - New England's largest amusement park, Eastern States Exposition - home of the Big E.

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The ADAP Working Group

Friday, October 9, 1998

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Congress of the United States

Washington, DC 20515

September 29, 1998

The Honorable John E. Porter
House Appropriations
Subcommittee on Labor, Health
and Human Services,
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2358 Rayburn HOB
Washington, DC 20515

The Honorable Arlen Specter
Senate Appropriations
Subcommittee on Labor, Health
and Human Services,
and Education
184 Dirksen Building
Washington, DC 20510

Dear Chairmen:

We are writing to you as both Members of Congress and medical professionals concerned about the need to provide adequate access to life saving HIV/AIDS treatments for thousands of Americans unable to afford health insurance or to receive HIV-related drugs and health care through the Ryan White CARE Act. ADAP (the AIDS Drug Assistance Program), funded under Title II of the Ryan White CARE Act is their lifeline to extended life and improved health.

HIV treatment guidelines issued by the US Department of Health and Human Services last year recommend the use of antiviral therapy early in the course of HIV infection, before development of symptoms. New research released at the 12th World AIDS Conference in Geneva confirms this humane and cost effective approach. These treatment breakthroughs are the result of huge investments by both the private and public sectors. These new medications have greatly reduced deaths from HIV/AIDS over the past 2-3 years. Funding issues, however, continue to limit the States' ability to provide this standard of treatment to every American who needs it.

In order to increase access to these life-prolonging therapies, we are asking for you to support the Senate's markup figure of \$175 million in additional funding for the ADAP program in FY 1999, and agree to make this funding available immediately rather than 'forward funded' as now written. As medical professionals, rationing health care is abhorrent--which is what many states are now forced to do. Many states have significant waiting lists for these new therapies, and many do not make the full complement of effective therapies available in their states. In other words, the additional funding we are asking for will go to use immediately in FY 1999.

We are writing to thank you as well. With your help and support over the past few years, we have been able to increase funding for the ADAP program significantly--and more people are alive today as a direct result of your actions. Please help us continue that success and bring these new therapies to all Americans who need them--please support the Senate's additional \$175 million for the ADAP program.

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Warmest regards.

Sincerely,



Greg Ganske



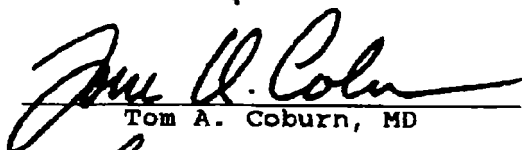
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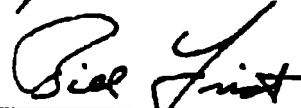
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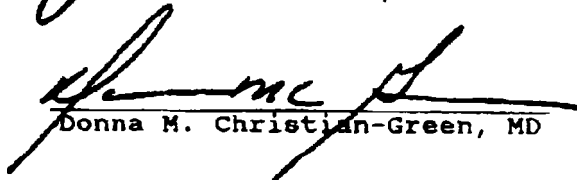
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Angelia Mincey
Rt. 5 Box 178-A
Corinth, Ms 38834

To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Angelia Mincey. I'm writing you to ask if you could send me any information you have on children with disabilities. I will use this material to compile a notebook on atypical children for a class I am taking in college. Your help will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Angelia Mincey". The signature is fluid and includes a long, sweeping horizontal line that extends to the right, ending in a small loop.

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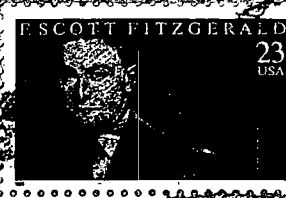
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EPITOPE

Terri Argyle
9205 Jeffery Rd.
Great Falls, VA 22066

Sandra Thurman
Director,
Office of National AIDS Policy
808 17th St. NW Suite 820
Washington, DC 20006

Dear Ms. Thurman,

I am writing to request an appointment with you.

Orasure is a simplistic oral HIV test, and is increasing opportunities for patients to know their status. The sample stays stable for 21 days in temperatures up to 98 degrees. This advantage makes Orasure extremely portable and allows agencies to easily test off site. Plus there are many patients that will not test because they do not like needles.

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I am enclosing general Orasure information. Please get back with me as soon as possible. I do realize that you cannot promote any particular product or service, and that's OK. My goal is to partner with you and discuss working together to encourage patients to know their status.

Sincerely,

Terri Argyle

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Attn: Jeff Kamen
Office of National AIDS Policy
White House
Fax: (202) 456-2439

Are you getting this?

Dear Mr. Kamen:

I am writing to request a brief interview with Sandy Thurman, Director of the Office of National AIDS Policy at the White House. Specifically, I would like to talk about local empowerment in relation to needle exchange programs.

AIDS/STD News Report is a bimonthly funding and policy publication that examines how service providers and other public health professionals can improve their efforts in the fight against HIV/AIDS/STDs. The readers of this national publication are state and local public health agencies, AIDS/STD service organizations, family planning groups and other community-based affiliations.

Thank you in advance for your efforts. I look forward to speaking with you.

Sincerely,

Heidi Ecker

Editor, *AIDS/STD News Report*



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October 30, 1998

Ms. Sandy Thurman
Director of the Office of National AIDS Policy
736 Jackson Place, N.W.
Washington, DC 20503

Dear Sandy:

On behalf of the clients and staff of Whitman-Walker Clinic, as well as the AIDS Walk Washington production team, thank you for your participation in the Opening Ceremony of AIDS Walk Washington. Your support of this event is a mark of your leadership in the fight against AIDS and is a true inspiration to others.

As we complete the 12th annual AIDS Walk Washington, we must fight a growing complacency about the disease. In spite of advances in treatments for people with HIV/AIDS, new infections are on the increase, especially among young people. A cure is not yet at hand. AIDS marches on.

And so we march on as well. Your support of this event made a tremendous difference. Because of the success of AIDS Walk Washington, Whitman-Walker Clinic is able to continue providing direct medical care, food and housing, case management, and legal services as well as educating the public about AIDS prevention.

Please accept our most heartfelt gratitude.

Sincerely,

Richard Zeichik
Event Producer

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you - You look great!
Colleen*

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FYI, This is the latest draft the Mississippi Event program just in from the field. Thought it might be interesting information.
•Bill Arnold, T•H•C•A•N•N (202) 588-1775

Thursday, October 15, 1998

The Advocacy Coalition for Uninsured Mississippians

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 Mississippi Chapter
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 Mississippi
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 of Mississippi
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 Self Help for Hard of Hearing
 People/Central Mississippi
 Southern AIDS Commission

Mississippi Chapter of Nurses
 in AIDS Care
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October 26, 1998

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October 26, 1998
Crowne Plaza
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8:00-9:00AM Registration and Continental Breakfast

9:00-9:10AM Welcome and Introductions
Connie Thompson, BSN, RN, ACRN
Advocacy Coalition for Uninsured Mississippians

9:10-9:30AM KEY NOTE "Our Health Care Crisis"
Phil Bryant, State Auditor of Mississippi

9:30-10:00AM Expressions of Unmet Needs
Eugene Jackson
Christy Gilliland
Elizabeth Barber

10:00-10:30AM Break - Advocacy and Networking

10:30-11:30AM Strategies for Creative Funding
James Carr, T*II CANN
Ellen Jones, State Department of Health

Anticipating the Arguments-HIV/AIDS Treatment & Cost Effectiveness
Gary Rose, T*II CANN
Lisa Hudgens

Unmet Health Needs (Bring your own issues to the forum)
Christy Gilliland

11:30-12:30PM LUNCHEON SPEAKER "Sources of Moneys"
Frank McLaughlin, Community Catalyst, Inc.

12:30-1:15PM Break - Advocacy and Networking

1:15-2:00PM Medicaid Buy-In

2:00-3:00PM "How to Register and Lobby at the Capitol"
Frenchye Magee
Clare Hester

"Community Coalition Building"
Rims Barber, Mississippi Human Services Coalition

"So you think you can't lobby"
Judy Barber, Mississippi Human Services Coalition

3:00-4:15PM "Forecasting the Health Care Issues for this Legislative Session"
Speaker Panel - State Legislators
Lt. Gov. Ronnie Muscove

Rep. Bobby Moody	Sen. Jim Bean
*Rep. Steve Holland	*Sen. Dick Hall
Rep. Omeria Scott	*Sen. Willie Simmons
*Rep. Robert Clark	

4:15-4:30PM Closing Remarks - Awards Presentation
Bill Arnold, T*II CANN
Senator Thad Cochran
Mario Rossiter, *The Clarion-Ledger*

5:00-6:00PM Cocktail Reception

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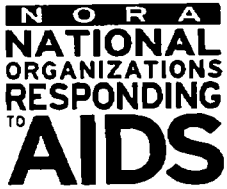
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Dear Mr. Bowles,

We are writing to you as Co-Chairs of the National Organizations Responding to AIDS (NORA) to urge you to stand firm against overly restrictive language regarding the District of Columbia's needle exchange program. NORA is a coalition of over 175 health, labor, religious and professional advocacy groups that represent a broad consensus on HIV and AIDS-related issues, policy, and funding levels.

We are sure you are aware of the devastating statistics on HIV and substance use. Today, more than one-third of all AIDS cases are the result of injection drug use.

In April of this year, when the Administration announced that it would continue to prohibit the use of federal funds for needle exchange programs, you also announced that this is an issue best left to local communities. Please do not now remove a community's ability to fund these life-saving programs.

We very much appreciate your work on the omnibus appropriations bill, but cannot emphasize enough the gravity of this situation. This is a matter of life and death and the lives of thousands of men, women and children are at stake. Please do not compromise the nation's public health.

Sincerely,

David Harvey, Co-Chair
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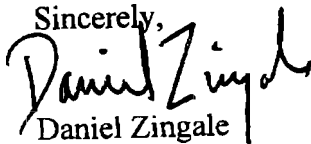
AIDS Action is writing to express our opposition to language included in the omnibus appropriations bill to restrict funds for the District of Columbia's needle exchange program. This language, if included, will effectively shut down the District's current needle exchange program that is run by the Whitman Walker clinic. It may also spread HIV in the District of Columbia if alternatives are not put in place to replace the current program with one that would not violate the law.

We are aware of the Administration's opposition to this language and that you have been asking for its removal during your negotiations. However, we learned that this language has been included in the omnibus appropriations bill. **We are now urging you to do everything in your power to ensure this language is not in the final package that will move to the House and Senate floor for consideration.**

As you may know, more than one-third of all HIV/AIDS cases result from injection drug use. Needle exchange programs are designed to help stem the spread of HIV and to help individuals make the transition to a drug free life. Earlier this year the Administration announced that it would continue to prohibit the use of federal funds for needle exchange programs but would not interfere with local communities decisions to run such programs. This language is a direct attack on the District of Columbia's ability to make such a decision to help stem the spread of HIV.

We very much appreciate all of the work you have accomplished on the omnibus appropriations bill, but remain concerned over the inclusion of this language on needle exchange in the District of Columbia. Please do not compromise on this important public health issue that will affect the lives of thousands of District residents.

Sincerely,



Daniel Zingale
Executive Director

cc: Sandy Thurman
Richard Socarides

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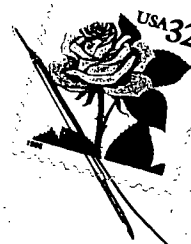
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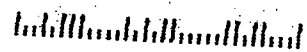
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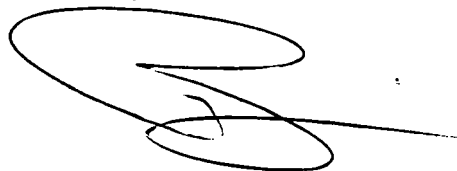
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DEAR MS. THURMOND

I HAVE BEEN FOCUSING ON TRYING TO GET PAROLE. IN DOING THIS, I HAVE BEEN ATTEMPTING TO FORMULATE A VIABLE AND COMPREHENSIVE PROGRAM THAT DEALS WITH ALL ASPECTS OF HIV. I HAVE A SIMPLE BUT GOOD IDEA. IT FOLLOWS ALONG THE LINES OF AA OR NA. I AM STILL COMING UP WITH IDEAS BUT I FEEL, WITH THE RIGHT DIRECTION, CAN IMPACT HIV ON A NATIONAL LEVEL. IN THE 12 STEPS PROGRAM, THEY (AA/NA) DEAL WITH THEIR DIFFICULTIES AS A DISEASE. WHY WOULDN'T THE SAME FORMAT WORK WITH HIV? DENIAL, ANGER, FRUSTRATION, SPIRITUALITY, ETC... ARE COVERED. IN DEALING WITH ADDICTION YOU NEED TO BELIEVE IN A POWER GREATER THAN OURSELVES (BE IT GOD, GROUP, PERSON, ETC...). THEY TEACH ABOUT GRANDIOSE THOUGHTS AND HOW OTHERS HAVE BEEN THERE. MOST OF ALL IT TEACHES ABOUT THE DISEASE AND HOW TO SURVIVE. THIS FORMAT IS IDEAL FOR HIV. MY PROBLEM IS I NEED IDEAS AND HELP WITH IMPLEMENTATION. I KNOW YOU CAN HELP POINT ME IN THE RIGHT DIRECTION AND TOWARDS THE RIGHT PEOPLE. PLEASE CONSIDER THIS IDEA AND I LOOK FORWARD TO YOUR RESPONSE.

MOST RESPECTFULLY,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be "Brian T. Warden", with a large, stylized loop at the end.

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1998 Candidate Survey

Executive Summary

The AIDS Foundation of Chicago recently surveyed candidates running in the November 3 general election on a wide variety of HIV/AIDS public policy issues.

Survey highlights:

Candidates overwhelmingly supported sustained or increased funding for medical and support services for people living with HIV/AIDS

- 82% of federal candidates supported increased AIDS prevention, care and research funding
- 86% of state candidates supported general revenue funding for the Illinois AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP)

Candidates strongly supported privacy protections for HIV-positive individuals

- 72% of state candidates opposed efforts to require mandatory name reporting of individuals who test HIV-positive
- 77% of state candidates supported Illinois' AIDS Confidentiality Act
- 95% of federal candidates supported legislation to protect the confidentiality of medical record information

Candidates supported prevention measures

- Two-thirds of all candidates supported the use of federal/state funds for syringe exchange programs
- 79% of state candidates supported age-appropriate health education that includes sexuality and HIV prevention for public school students in grades K-12

Results in key races

- In the Governor's race, George Ryan and Glenn Poshard both received a 64% rating for responses that match the Foundation's position. While agreeing on most issues, Poshard opposed in-school HIV prevention education and Ryan said he would defer to local decision-makers. Both candidates opposed use of federal/state funds for syringe exchange programs.
- In the race for Cook County Board President, both John Stroger, Jr. and Aurelia Pucinski supported County funding for AIDS treatment and prevention. Both candidates support mandatory HIV testing in certain circumstances, and Pucinski supports segregation of HIV-positive inmates.
- In the U.S. Senate race, Carol Moseley-Braun consistently supported the Foundation's position. The Republican candidate did not respond to the survey.

Established in 1985 to coordinate local response to the epidemic, the AIDS Foundation of Chicago provides funding for AIDS care and prevention projects, advocates for sound public health policy and increased public and private support for AIDS services, and promotes coordinated AIDS service delivery through its 135-member Service Providers Council.

Survey Finds Overwhelming Political Support for HIV/AIDS Services, Privacy Protections

A vast majority of candidates responding to a recent AIDS Foundation of Chicago survey endorsed HIV care and prevention services, including syringe exchange, and showed support for measures to protect the privacy of those living with HIV disease.

The AIDS Foundation of Chicago surveyed all candidates running in the November 3 general election on a wide variety of HIV/AIDS public policy issues (see page 4 for text of the questionnaire). More than 70 of some 300 candidates running for election to the U.S. Senate, U.S. House, Illinois constitutional offices, the Illinois General Assembly and Cook County offices responded to the Foundation's survey. While not endorsing candidates for public office, the Foundation conducts candidate surveys as a service to Illinois AIDS advocates and the general public. A table of all survey responses begins on page 6.

Among several important trends, a majority of candidates showed support for sustained and increased government funding for essential medical and support services for people living with HIV/AIDS. Notably, most candidates for federal office (82%) supported increased AIDS prevention, care and research funding. As HIV-positive people live longer as a result of drug treatment advances, and as the number of new HIV cases continues to rise, support for adequate federal funding remains imperative. Among candidates in Illinois state races, 86% said they would support sustained and adequate general revenue funding of the Illinois AIDS Drug Assistance Program (ADAP). ADAP provides life-extending medications for uninsured HIV-positive people. Cook County candidates were unanimous in their support for funding of AIDS prevention and

care services at the Bureau of Health Services, Cook County Hospital, and the CORE Center, a new infectious disease center of Cook County Hospital and Rush-Presbyterian/St. Luke's Hospital.

Nearly three-quarters (72%) of candidates for state offices reported opposition to mandatory name reporting of individuals who test positive for HIV. Support was equally as strong for other privacy issues. A full 77% of state candidates reported supporting Illinois' AIDS Confidentiality Act, while federal candidates were nearly unanimous (95%) in their support for legislation to protect the confidentiality of medical record information. A majority of candidates responding said they oppose mandatory HIV testing under any circumstances, while only 20% said they would support it.

On efforts to slow the spread of HIV, two-thirds (66%) of candidates said they support the use of federal or state funds for syringe exchange programs. Another 15% were undecided. An impressive 79% of candidates said they support age-appropriate health and sexuality education, including HIV prevention education, for public school students in grades K-12. Almost half of candidates in statewide races (48%) supported in-school condom distribution.

In the race for Governor, both Secretary of State George Ryan and Congressman Glenn Poshard supported AFC's position on several key issues, including funding for Illinois' ADAP program, support for the AIDS Confidentiality Act, and opposition to mandatory name-reporting. On prevention measures directed at youth and adolescents,

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Ryan and Poshard both deferred to local decision-makers on whether condom distribution should be conducted in public schools. Ryan said he would rely on parents, teachers, and school officials to decide, while Poshard would require parental consent to distribute condoms. Ryan said local officials should also decide whether to provide age-appropriate HIV prevention education in grades K-12, while Poshard was opposed to such programs. Ryan supported the Foundation's position against mandatory HIV testing under any circumstances. Poshard answered that mandatory testing should be conducted only in prisons. While infection rates among injection drug users continue to rise in Illinois, neither candidate supported the use of state or federal funds to pay for syringe exchange programs.

In the U.S. Senate race, responses were received from Democratic incumbent Carol Moseley-Braun and Reform candidate Don Torgersen. Republican challenger Peter Fitzgerald did not respond to the survey. Moseley-Braun responded consistently in support of AFC's position on questions of federal funding, privacy measures, and prevention efforts. On the use of federal/state money for syringe exchange programs, the Senator responded that Congress should implement such programs, assuring that they meet established disease prevention goals. Torgersen responded in support of AFC's position on most issues, including the use of federal/state funds for syringe exchange programs. However, he said he would not support increased federal funding for AIDS programs until the national debt is reduced.

Both candidates for Cook County Board President, Democratic incumbent John H. Stroger, Jr. and Republican opponent Aurelia Pucinski, Clerk of the Circuit Court, indicated strong support for continued

County funding for AIDS prevention, treatment and research, as well as access to HIV testing. However, both supported mandatory HIV testing measures, with Pucinski noting support specifically for testing of prisoners and under "certain medical circumstances." Pucinski also supports segregation of HIV-positive inmates.

The following 17 candidates responded in full support of AFC's positions: for U.S. Congress, Bobby Rush (D), Jesse Jackson, Jr. (D), Luis Guitierrez (D), Thomas Cramer (D), Janice Schakowsky (D), Herbert Sohn (R), Lane Evans (D); for Illinois Secretary of State, Jesse White (D); for Illinois Senate, Laura Murphy (D); for Illinois House, Judy Erwin (D), Sara Feigenholtz (D), Carol Ronen (D), Larry McKeon (D), Mark Beaubien (R); for Cook County Assessor, James Houlihan (D), for Cook County Clerk, David Orr (D), and for Cook County Commissioner, Deborah Sims (D).

Among other notable issues, nearly all candidates (94%) supported free, anonymous and confidential HIV testing and counseling. Three-fourths of those responding said that health care workers should not be permitted to refuse treatment to people living with HIV/AIDS and 82% of federal candidates agreed that health care is a basic human right.

Established in 1985 to coordinate local response to the epidemic, the AIDS Foundation of Chicago provides funding for AIDS care and prevention projects, advocates for sound public health policy and increased public and private support for AIDS services, and promotes coordinated AIDS service delivery through its 135-member Service Providers Council. A central part of the Foundation's mission is to educate the general public, lawmakers and others about health care policy and laws related to HIV and AIDS.

AIDS Foundation of Chicago's 1998 Candidate Survey

Survey Questions

The survey consisted of 19 questions: five questions posed to all candidates; five additional questions posed to candidates for federal offices; six questions for candidates running for statewide offices; and three questions directed at candidates for Cook County offices. Respondents were asked to answer "yes," "no," or "don't know" to each question. Text of the questions follows.

Questions for all candidates:

- A. **Do you support free, anonymous and confidential HIV antibody testing and counseling?** *AFC answer: YES.* Free, anonymous and confidential testing offers an important opportunity to reach high-risk individuals with vital HIV prevention education as well as appropriate counseling and referral services for those who test HIV-positive.
- B. **Do you support mandatory HIV testing under any circumstances?** *AFC answer: NO.* Voluntary testing with counseling is a useful medical practice, while mandatory HIV testing of individuals is a poor use of resources, breaches confidentiality, and may alienate high-risk individuals from health care and treatment.
- C. **Do you believe that health care workers should have the right to refuse to treat people living with HIV or AIDS?** *AFC answer: NO.* Standard medical practice requires adherence to federal regulations to protect both health care workers and patients against blood-borne pathogens, including HIV. These precautions make it medically unnecessary to discriminate against HIV-positive patients or health care workers.
- D. **Do you support allowing community-based organizations or local governments to use federal or state funds for syringe exchange programs?** *AFC answer: YES.* Syringe exchange programs have been proven to help stem the spread of HIV without contributing to drug use.
- E. **Do you believe that jails and prisons should segregate HIV-positive inmates from the rest of the incarcerated population?** *AFC answer: NO.* Requiring enormous resources that could be better spent on HIV prevention and care services, segregation of inmates by HIV-status promotes a false sense of security among inmates and corrections personnel, violates inmates' confidentiality, and does little to stem the spread of HIV within corrections facilities.

Questions for candidates for federal offices:

- F. **Do you believe that health care is a basic human right?** *AFC answer: YES.* Until health care is treated as a basic human right, those living with chronic and terminal illnesses will continue to face inordinate obstacles in accessing adequate and high quality health care.
- G. **Do you support increased federal funding for AIDS prevention, care and research programs?** *AFC answer: YES.* A sound government response to the expanding AIDS epidemic must ensure adequate funding for prevention, care, and research programs.
- H. **Do you believe that federal funding for AIDS support services should be reduced in order to increase funding for AIDS drug assistance programs?** *AFC answer: NO.* Services such as primary medical care, case management, and food and housing assistance continue to address vital needs of people living with HIV. Support services are important components in helping individuals address the complex demands of combination drug therapy.
- I. **Would you support expanding the Medicaid program to include low-income HIV-positive individuals who are not yet disabled?** *AFC answer: YES.* Medicaid does not provide HIV-positive individuals access to

health care and life-saving drugs. Only those individuals with an AIDS diagnosis are Medicaid eligible. Current federal standards regarding HIV/AIDS care recommend starting combination drug therapy early in disease progression.

- J. Do you support federal legislation to protect the confidentiality of medical record information?** *AFC answer: YES.* Affirming individuals' right to privacy. Congress should enact laws to strengthen existing state laws about medical record confidentiality.

Questions for candidates for Illinois state offices:

- K. Do you support mandatory reporting by name of HIV-positive people to state or local health departments?** *AFC answer: NO.* Mandatory name reporting deters high-risk individuals from seeking important HIV testing, treatment and prevention services. Important HIV case surveillance information can be gathered by means that do not require mandatory name reporting.
- L. Do you support comprehensive, age-appropriate health education that includes sexuality and HIV prevention education for grades kindergarten through 12 in all Illinois public schools?** *AFC answer: YES.* Young people who receive comprehensive, age-appropriate, health, sexuality, and HIV/STD prevention education are more likely to delay having their first sexual experience than those who do not receive such education. Once sexually active, the former group is more likely than the latter to use condoms.
- M. Do you support allowing local public schools to distribute condoms for the prevention of HIV, sexually transmitted diseases and pregnancy?** *AFC answer: YES.* These programs have been shown to increase the level of condom use among students, and provide additional opportunities to counsel teens about sexual decision-making and HIV prevention.
- N. Do you support sustained and adequate general revenue funding of the Illinois AIDS Drug Assistance Program?** *AFC answer: YES.* The AIDS Drug Assistance Program, which helps uninsured people receive the AIDS medications they need to remain healthy and productive, saves Illinois millions of dollars in costly in-patient, acute care.
- O. Do you support efforts in Illinois to adopt the federal option to expand Medicaid eligibility to cover all aged, blind, and disabled people living at or below the federal poverty level?** *AFC answer: YES.* Current rules make it more difficult for low-income disabled and elderly recipients with past work histories to receive Medicaid coverage than recipients without work histories.
- P. Do you support the state's AIDS Confidentiality Act?** *AFC answer: YES.* Enacted in 1987 to encourage HIV testing, the AIDS Confidentiality Act prohibits disclosure of a person's HIV status without the person's expressed permission.

Questions for candidates for Cook County offices:

- Q. Do you support County funding for AIDS education, prevention and care programs within the Bureau of Health Services?** *AFC answer: YES.* Continued funding is necessary to sustain County-wide AIDS services.
- R. Do you support continued and expanded County funding for Cook County Hospital's new CORE Center for the prevention, care and research of infectious disease?** *AFC answer: YES.* The CORE Center is among the most important sources for AIDS-related medical care and support services for people who are uninsured and underinsured.
- S. Do you support continued County funding for indigent care at Cook County Hospital?** *AFC answer: YES.* As the epidemic continues to spread among the economically disadvantaged, drug addicted, and the homeless, Cook County Hospital services remain critical to meeting the emerging medical needs, including HIV, of this vulnerable population.

Candidate Responses to Survey

Responses to the survey are presented below. Incumbents are listed in italics. Party affiliation is included in parentheses: "D" indicates Democratic Party, "R" indicates Republican Party, and "Reform" indicates Reform Party affiliation. Candidates are not listed unless they returned a completed questionnaire.

Each candidate is assigned a percentage rating. Candidates who were well informed and consistently supported AFC's position received the highest scores. Percentages were calculated by dividing the number of times the candidate's response matched the position of the AFC by the total number of questions posed to that candidate.

+ = supports AFC position - = opposes AFC position ? = don't know n = not answered

[Question text appears on page 4.]

FEDERAL OFFICES

	• All Candidates •					• Federal Offices •					
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	
US SENATE											
<i>Carol Moseley-Braun (D)</i>	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	90%
Don Torgersen (Reform)	+	+	+	+	?	+	-	?	?	+	60%
US HOUSE											
1st DISTRICT											
<i>Bobby Rush (D)</i>	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
2nd DISTRICT											
<i>Jesse Jackson, Jr. (D)</i>	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
Robert Gordon III (R)	+	?	?	-	n	+	?	+	+	+	50%
3rd DISTRICT											
Robert Marshall (R)	+	-	-	+	+	?	+	-	+	+	60%
4th DISTRICT											
<i>Luis Gutierrez (D)</i>	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
John Birch (R)	+	-	-	+	?	-	-	?	-	+	30%
5th DISTRICT											
<i>Rod Blagojevich (D)</i>	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	90%
6th DISTRICT											
<i>Henry Hyde (R)</i>	+	+	+	-	-	+	+	?	+	+	70%
Thomas Cramer (D)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
7th DISTRICT											
<i>Danny Davis (D)*</i>	+	+	+	+	n	+	+	+	+	+	90%
8th DISTRICT											
Mike Rothman (R)	+	+	+	+	-	?	+	+	?	+	70%

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	• All Candidates •					• Federal Offices •					
	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	
9TH DISTRICT											
Janice Schakowsky (D)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
Herbert Sohn (R)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
10TH DISTRICT											
<i>John Porter (R)</i> [*]	+	?	+	+	?	-	+	+	?	+	60%
11TH DISTRICT											
Gary Mueller (D)	+	+	+	?	?	+	?	+	+	+	70%
13TH DISTRICT											
Susan Hynes (D)	+	+	+	?	?	+	+	-	+	+	70%
14TH DISTRICT											
Robert Cozzi, Jr. (D)	+	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	80%
17TH DISTRICT											
<i>Lane Evans (D)</i>	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
19TH DISTRICT											
David Phelps (D)	?	+	-	-	-	+	+	-	?	?	30%
20TH DISTRICT											
Rick Verticchio (D)	+	?	+	+	?	+	+	?	?	+	60%

ILLINOIS STATE OFFICES

	• All Candidates •					• Illinois State Offices •						
	A	B	C	D	E	K	L	M	N	O	P	
GOVERNOR												
George Ryan (R)	+	+	+	-	+	+	¹	²	+	?	+	64%
Glenn Poshard (D)	+	-	+	-	+	+	-	³	+	+	+	64%
SECRETARY OF STATE												
Jesse White (D)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
COMPTROLLER												
Chris Lauzen (R)	+	-	?	-	?	+	-	-	+	?	+	36%
ILLINOIS SENATE												
4TH DISTRICT												
Randal Birkey (R)	-	-	-	-	-	-	+	-	-	-	?	9%

^{*} Unopposed

¹ Candidate supports decision-making by local communities.

² Candidate supports decision-making by local communities.

³ Candidate supports requiring parental consent.

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	• All Candidates •					• Illinois State Offices •						
	A	B	C	D	E	K	L	M	N	O	P	
8TH DISTRICT												
Ira Silverstein (D)	+	+	+	n	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	91%
13TH DISTRICT												
Barack Obama (D)	+	+	+	?	+	+	+	?	+	+	+	82%
23RD DISTRICT												
Rita Gonzalez (D)	+	?	?	?	?	+	?	+	?	+	?	36%
28TH DISTRICT												
Laura Murphy (D)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
29TH DISTRICT												
Nancy Alessi (D)	+	+	+	n	n	+	+	+	+	+	+	82%
41ST DISTRICT												
Kirk Dillard (R)*	+	-	?	?	-	?	+	?	+	?	?	27%
ILLINOIS HOUSE												
1ST DISTRICT												
Sonia Silva (D)	+	+	+	?	?	+	+	-	+	+	+	73%
6TH DISTRICT												
Donald Oder (R)	+	-	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	82%
10TH DISTRICT												
Coy Pugh (D)*	+	?	+	+	+	+	+	?	+	+	+	82%
11TH DISTRICT												
Judy Erwin (D)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
Jon Stewart (R)	+	-	-	+	-	-	+	+	+	+	-	54%
12TH DISTRICT												
Sara Feigenholtz (D)*	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
16TH DISTRICT												
Louis Lang (D)	+	+	+	+	?	+	+	+	+	+	+	91%
Kalim Khan (R)	+	+	+	?	?	+	+	?	+	+	+	73%
17TH DISTRICT												
Carol Ronen (D)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
Fannie Kazi Taylor (R)	+	+	+	+	?	-	?	-	+	n	+	54%
18TH DISTRICT												
Julie Hamos (D)	+	?	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	91%

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	• All Candidates •					• Illinois State Offices •						
	A	B	C	D	E	K	L	M	N	O	P	
20TH DISTRICT												
Richard Bradley (D)	+	+	+	+	?	+	+	+	+	+	+	91%
25TH DISTRICT												
Barbara Flynn Currie (D)*	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	+	+	+	91%
31ST DISTRICT												
Consiglia Berna (R)	+	-	+	+	-	?	+	+	+	+	-	64%
34TH DISTRICT												
Larry McKeon (D)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
Vincent Lengerich (R)	?	?	?	+	?	+	+	?	?	?	?	27%
42ND DISTRICT												
Juan Thomas (D)	+	?	+	+	?	?	+	?	+	+	+	64%
50TH DISTRICT												
Thomas Johnson (R)	+	?	+	?	?	-	?	-	+	+	+	45%
James Brewer (D)	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	?	+	+	+	82%
52ND DISTRICT												
Mark Beaubien (R)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
Bill Husko (D)	+	-	-	+	-	n	n	n	n	n	n	18%
54TH DISTRICT												
Sue Walton (D)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	?	91%
55TH DISTRICT												
Rosemary Mulligan (R)	+	+	+	+	?	+	+	⁴	+	+	+	82%
61ST DISTRICT												
Geraldine Callan (D)	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	-	+	+	+	91%
67TH DISTRICT												
Douglas Scott (D)*	+	?	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	91%
71ST DISTRICT												
Mike Boland (D)*	+	+	+	+	?	+	+	+	+	+	+	91%
73RD DISTRICT												
Michael Prenevost (D)	+	+	?	+	-	n	n	n	n	n	n	27%
85TH DISTRICT												
J. Philip Novak (D)	+	?	?	-	-	+	+	-	+	+	+	54%

* Unopposed

⁴ Candidate supports decision-making by local school boards.

+ = supports AFC position - = opposes AFC position ? = don't know n = not answered

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[Illinois State Offices, continued]

	• All Candidates •					• Illinois State Offices •						
	A	B	C	D	E	K	L	M	N	O	P	
92ND DISTRICT												
<i>Ricca Slone (D)*</i>	+	-	+	+	?	-	+	?	+	+	?	54%
94TH DISTRICT												
<i>Lewis Doney (D)</i>	-	+	?	-	?	?	+	-	?	+	+	36%
103RD DISTRICT												
<i>Kathy Ennen (D)</i>	+	+	+	+	n	+	+	n	+	+	+	82%
109TH DISTRICT												
<i>Craig Roberts (R)</i>	+	-	?	?	-	-	-	-	+	?	+	27%

COOK COUNTY OFFICES

	• All Candidates •					• Cook Co •			
	A	B	C	D	E	Q	R	S	
ASSESSOR									
<i>James Houlihan (D)</i>	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
CLERK									
<i>David Orr (D)</i>	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
COUNTY COMMISSION									
PRESIDENT (DISTRICT 4)									
<i>John H. Stroger, Jr. (D)</i>	+	-	+	?	+	+	+	+	75%
<i>Aurelia Pucinski (R)</i>	+	-	?	+	-	+	+	+	62%
DISTRICT 5									
<i>Deborah Sims (D)*</i>	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	+	100%
DISTRICT 13									
<i>Calvin R. Sutker (D)*</i>	+	+	+	+	n	+	+	+	87%

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