

2000-2006 CATCH and Healthy Tomorrows Rural Projects

Project Title:	City, State:	Year:	Program:	Program Description:
Access				
Starting Points for Idaho Youth	Boise, ID	2006	Healthy Tomorrows Partnerships for Children	Starting Points for Idaho Youth is a direct service project that adds to the partnership of SERVE Idaho and builds on the success of the Covering Kids and Families in Idaho Project and Coalition. This project will increase the rates of insured low-income youth in five rural and frontier Idaho counties.
Ponotoc CATCH Kids Expansion Project	Tupelo, MS	2005	Healthy Tomorrows Partnerships for Children	The goal of the Pontotoc Expansion Project is to provide comprehensive, high quality medical and dental care for children with barriers to accessing care.
Wellness Outreach Bus	Tampa, FL	2005	CATCH Implementation Funds	With present resources, we provide free immunizations to three Family Support and Resource Centers (a partnership with the children's Board of Hillsborough County, SJCH, the Healthy Start Coalition of Hillsborough County, the Maternal Child Health Bureau, the Children's Home, and the Child Abuse council). We would like to expand the outreach of current service sites and expand services to include much-needed well-child exams.
Bitterroot Pediatric Access Project	Hamilton, MT	2004	CATCH Implementation Funds	The project will ensure that each child in our community has a medical home. We will use outreach activities, collaboration, education and marketing techniques. We will ensure that all children who are eligible for state-sponsored health coverage programs are enrolled.
CATCH the Missing Link in Hill County	Great Falls, MT	2004	CATCH Planning Funds	Our goal is to develop a comprehensive health plan for children of Hill County, Montana, including those in local Indian reservations and to seek support for carrying out that plan.
Comprehensive Child Healthcare in Hudspeth County	El Paso, TX	2004	CATCH Planning Funds	The Department of Pediatrics will facilitate the evaluation of resources, planning and integration of project participants to design and implement a medical home for children.
Families, Schools and Medical Professional Partnering for North Dakota's Children	Jamestown, ND	2004	CATCH Planning Funds	A team of parents, state Title V staff (known as ND Children's Special Health Services) and a pediatrician will provide information to three rural communities' primary medical staff, families and school personnel about the medical home concept.
Health Care Transitions Education Program	Tampa, FL	2004	CATCH Planning Funds	This proposal to develop a Health Care Transition Education Program in Hillsborough County, FL, builds on the collaborative efforts of a community that is working to improve functional outcomes in adulthood for the approximately 13,500 adolescents and young adults from ages 14-21 who live in Hillsborough County and have special health care needs.
Kimball House School Based Health Center	West Fairlee, VT	2004	CATCH Implementation Funds	Non-profit, community-controlled Kimball House was created to provide primary care for a rural population in a historically depressed Vermont valley.
Chilton County's CATCH Them and Keep Them	Clanton, AL	2003	CATCH Implementation Funds	Programs exist in Alabama that enable most of Chilton County's uninsured children to get health care coverage. This project will train members of the community to enroll children in available programs and to provide health care access information to families in the community.

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Blaine County Well Child Coalition	Chinook, MT	2002	CATCH Planning Funds	This project will develop and initiate a program to: 1) assess every child in Blaine County, maintaining a database in collaboration with the Public Health RN, WIC and Social Services to monitor well-child development; 2) eliminate health care disparities associated with a 41.3% Native American population (32.4% under 18) and an overall 64.8% of county population at 200% of federal poverty index; 3) implement and maintain a parent-education program providing ongoing information about well-child development.
Community Healthcare for Rural and Indigent Children	Montgomery, AL	2002	CATCH Planning Funds	Community Care Network is planning the expansion of services with plans to purchase a mobile unit "Healthcare on Wheels" to encompass Lowndess, daMacon, and Montgomery Counties, Alabama, to reach more children and caregivers in the most rural, poorest areas in the tri-county.
Dade County Pediatric Primary Care Initiative	Trenton, GA	2002	CATCH Planning Funds	The Dade County Pediatric Primary Care Initiative is a project to assess the pediatric health needs of a rural community with no prior local access to pediatric primary care.
Verde Valley Child Health Plan	Cottonwood, AZ	2001	CATCH Planning Funds	This project is designed to develop a comprehensive health program for children in northeast Yavapai County and Sedona, Arizona.
Washington County Community Health Access Project	St George, UT	2000	CATCH Planning Funds	The long-range goal of the Washington County Community Health Access Project is to develop a community health center that is a medical home for medically underserved children and families living in Washington County, Utah.
Access to Health for Latino Children in Rural Toombs County, Georgia	Vidalia, GA	1999	CATCH Planning Funds	Access to Health will improve access for Latino children in rural Toombs County, Georgia. Through formation of a local coalition, a health advocacy program will be developed. It will launch a community campaign to enroll Latino children in Medicaid and Georgia's PeachCare for Kids, providing linguistically appropriate and culturally sensitive access to services and systems.
Adolescents				
Matching Troubled Teens with Effective Resources	Morgantown, WV	2001	CATCH Resident Funds	The plan is to describe resources available for management of troubled teens who may be involved with probation, truancy, substance abuse, and conflict with school regulations or the law.
P.E.P.-4-Adolescents (Parenting Education Program)	Morgantown, WV	2001	CATCH Resident Funds	The planning efforts will lead to a community based education program for adolescent parents in Marion County. This need is based on a high teen birth rate, child abuse/neglect rate and infant mortality rate coupled with a lack of parenting resources or support groups outside of doctor visits.
Exploring Teen Health Issues and Access in Our Community	Bennington, VT	2000	CATCH Planning Funds	CATCH Planning Funds will be used to address many needs of the youth of southern Bennington County, Vermont. A need has been identified by both area physicians and youth to address speCATCH Implementation Fundsic health issues while being able to gain access through community and school involvement. This project will address these needs while providing increased medical care in this rural community.
Mason County Adolescent Preventative Services (MAPS)	Huntington, WV	2000	CATCH Planning Funds	This project will plan for an increase in the access to medical care for these adolescents by determining student, faculty, and community needs assessments. Using this information, the project plans to establish and maintain a medical home for the students at Hannan High School.

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Mercy Children's Medical Center-Adolescent Care Center	Pittsburgh, PA	2000	CATCH Planning Funds	Knowledge gained from evaluation results, literature reviews, and advisory board meetings will support the development of a comprehensive service delivery system designed to meet the developmental, physical, and psychosocial needs of adolescents, especially those that are pregnant and/or parenting.
Care Coordination				
Insuring Effective Communication of Medical Information	Portland, OR	2005	CATCH Implementation Funds	A newly developed, comprehensive childcare notebook/organizer will be utilized to facilitate timely, coordinated, accessible health care and community services. Additionally, Swindells Center staff will go into community settings, sharing information and training parents in the use of the notebook in order to provide and maintain records of their child's care, and develop tools to evaluate its use.
Improving Medical Home Access with Technology	New Orleans, LA	2004	CATCH Planning Funds	This project will look at the application of the DocSynergy Project (a HIPAA-compliant, web-based software system designed to improve communication among members of the health care team) to increase access to Medical Homes for CSHCN by facilitating a team-based approach to care, minimizing time and resource requirements, and maximizing the PCP's access to specialist and ancillary support.
Child Development				
Start Healthy and Learn	Winthrop, ME	2004	CATCH Planning Funds	Start Healthy & Learn will focus on early child development improvements so that children in Augusta and Winthrop, Maine, enter school healthy and ready to learn and once there, continue to be successful.
Best Practice--Planning for Improved Developmental/Behavioral Health Services in New Hampshire's North Country	Lancaster, NH	2002	CATCH Planning Funds	This project will address the urgent unmet developmental/emotional/behavioral health needs of children and adolescents who live in Coos County, the northernmost, largest, and most underserved rural region of New Hampshire.
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Child and Family Health and Development Center	Hamilton, MT	2002	CATCH Planning Funds	We are planning a multifaceted community center devoted to optimizing family and child development and healthiness.
Rural Interdisciplinary Developmental Assessment Clinic	Athens, OH	2001	Healthy Tomorrows Partnerships for Children	This program will expand existing developmental and behavioral assessment clinics to these 3 counties to provide interdisciplinary assessment services in partnership with local health and educational service providers for families with children ages 0-6 years old.
Shawnee Asset-building Alliance	Shawnee, OK	2000	CATCH Planning Funds	The CATCH Planning Funds will support a needs assessment of Shawnee youth. This rural county seat town in central Oklahoma has a history of denial of youth drug usage and sexual activity.

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Whatever It Takes	Burlington, VT	2000	Healthy Tomorrows Partnerships for Children	Whatever It Takes (WIT) is a partnership between the University of Vermont Department of Social Work and Mousetrap Pediatrics, a large practice in rural northwestern Vermont. WIT's primary goal is to reduce the numbers of children whose healthy development is at risk by increasing access to a comprehensive medical home.
Wyoming Developmental Assessment Team (WYDAT)	Casper, WY	2000	CATCH Planning Funds	The Wyoming Developmental Assessment Team (WYDAT) Planning Project will utilize the CATCH Planning Funds to establish and train an interdisciplinary team (IDT) in central Wyoming to provide medical and developmental assessment and treatment for children at risk for or with identified developmental disorders.
Young Parent Home Visitation Program	Poplar, MT	2000	CATCH Planning Funds	This project will facilitate planning for an intensive home visitation program for pregnant and parenting teens and their children in a frontier-rural area of
Children With Special Health Care Needs				
Clinic for Children With Special Needs	Johnstown, PA	2000	CATCH Planning Funds	In Cambria County, Pennsylvania, the nearest pediatric tertiary care center is approximately 2-3 hours away. Children with tracheostomies, gastrostomy tubes, complex nutritional issues, etc, travel this distance secondary to simple concerns regarding their chronic illness. Though unfortunate, there also is a rural, cultural/social obstacle regarding travel out of the area for medical care, to the extreme that families hesitate in making the timely and necessary trips to Pittsburgh or Harrisburg.
Model Development for Collaborative Public-Private Medical Case Management for Children With Special Health Care Needs	Santa Barbara, CA	2000	CATCH Planning Funds	California Children Services and the pediatric group at Sansum Santa Barbara Medical Foundation Clinic propose a planning process to determine methods and develop formal procedures to: promote the medical home, ensure rapid and efficient referral of eligible children, improve medical case management, and increase secondary referrals and collaboration with other agencies.
Telemedicine Program for Children With Special Health Care Needs	Denver, CO	2000	CATCH Planning Funds	In collaboration with the Title V Health Care Program for Children with Special Needs, this project will explore the feasibility of using telemedicine technology from the University of Colorado Health Sciences Center in Denver to identify and provide access to care for children with developmental disabilities, birth to 21 years of age.
Cultural Effectiveness				
Conceptualizing Alabama Hispanic Children's Health	Tuscaloosa, AL	2005	CATCH Planning Funds	The emerging Hispanic population in West Alabama raises numerous health access questions, encompassing knowledge, culture, socioeconomic status, and barriers to care. The proposed project seeks to answer these questions speCATCH Implementation Fundsic to oral health through a needs assessment.
Wayne Coalition for Latino Child Health	Goldsboro, NC	2005	CATCH Planning Funds	We would propose establishing the Wayne Coalition for Latino Child Health and using grant funds to: 1. collect data to defend or refute our suppositions, 2. to convene meetings of community agencies that might help us address morbidities in Latino children, 3. develop plans to obtain and efficiently utilize resources for improving the health of Latino children.
Toward a Medical Home for an Itinerant Population	Lebanon, NH	2002	CATCH Resident Funds	This program seeks to provide a medical home, consistent, comprehensive health services, for children living in transitional housing in rural New England.

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Hospice				
Eastern Nebraska Pediatric Palliative Care/Hospice Planning Initiative	Omaha, NE	2002	CATCH Planning Funds	A needs/resources assessment will be conducted to facilitate implementation of a cooperative, community-wide clinical program of hospital-hospice and home-based, end-of-life care in the Omaha-Lincoln area. Collateral benefits will flow to surrounding rural communities.
Immunization				
Catch the Vision for Healthy Children	Salisbury, NC	2002	CATCH Planning Funds	Over the past several years, Salisbury Pediatric Associates, PA have noticed a lack in immunization data in their patient population. Concerned that this was due to a deficit in actual immunizations given, the practice applied for the Catch the Vision grant program through the American Academy of Pediatrics. The grant would allow Salisbury Pediatric Associates, PA (SPA) to research their patient population in order to identify the problem areas
The Galveston County Immunization Coalition	Galveston, TX	2000	CATCH Planning Funds	The group had identified a 2-fold focus: (1) have routine immunization days on a monthly basis in neighborhoods where immunization rates are low, and (2) develop a tracking and follow-up process to provide reminders and increase compliance by identifying transportation and other obstacles to compliance.
Literacy				
Pediatric Literacy in a Rural Setting	Charlottesville, VA	2005	CATCH Resident Funds	The proposed project will determine the differing impact of Reach Out and Read on the University of Virginia Pediatric Clinic's rural population versus its urban population. The project will also evaluate rural parents' utilization of available literacy resources.
Medical Home				
Eastern North Carolina-Building Medical Homes	Greenville, NC	2005	CATCH Planning Funds	The Brody School of Medicine at East Carolina University will evaluate the "medical homeness" of current medical services for CSHCN in eastern North Carolina by administering the Medical Home Index and the Medical Home Family Index.
Bridging the Gap From Pediatric to Adult Health Care	Salt Lake City, UT	2004	CATCH Planning Funds	Our project will increase the access to medical homes for young adults with disabilities by identifying barriers to transition experienced by providers and patients and developing strategies to address these barriers.
Health Professions and Families United	Fort Lauderdale, FL	2004	CATCH Implementation Funds	By matching families of children diagnosed with severe emotional disturbance (SED) with healthcare professionals, the project strives to build a strong, effective healthcare partnership that will greatly improve medical home access for children and SED and their families.
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Nursery Referral - Medical Home Project	Poplar Bluff, MO	2004	CATCH Implementation Funds	By collaborating with the community organization, Whole Kids Outreach, resources will be intrinsically available to surmount access barriers. New parents will receive one nursery visit from the office RN to introduce the Medical Home concept. Families residing in the target area will also be referred to WKO for home visits.
Optimal Care Coordination for CSHCN	Billings, MT	2004	CATCH Planning Funds	This project seeks to assess the effectiveness of care coordination for CSHCN families in an urban pediatric clinic and a rural family practice.
OSF Sisters Pediatric Medical Home Project	Peoria, IL	2004	CATCH Planning Funds	The proposed project outlined within this grant application will integrate the medical home model into OSF Sisters Healthcare Clinic's training curriculum for pediatric and medical/pediatric residents.
Rural Medical Home Initiative	Williston, ND	2004	CATCH Planning Funds	Comprehensive Pediatric Care supports communities in developing medical home environments for children with special health care needs in North Dakota and
Well Baby Plus Mental Health Project	Beaufort, SC	2004	CATCH Implementation Funds	We plan to demonstrate the utility of using home visitors to improve utilization of the medical home by families impacted by mental health concerns and document the efficacy of using the medical home to screen, assess and certify for Healthy Families America home visitation. CATCH funds in this project would be matched with Medicaid dollars to provide services.
Wheels West	Casper, WY	2004	CATCH Implementation Funds	The Wheels West passport project - pioneering the future of pediatric practice and establishing medical homesteads for Children with Disabilities in the Frontier State of Wyoming - has an overall goal for the development of interagency-interdisciplinary passports to services (health, developmental, educational, child care) for children with complex developmental conditions.
Telemedicine: Medical Home Partner for Special Needs Children	Texas City, TX	2003	CATCH Implementation Funds	Using clinical video conferencing to communicate between the medical home/primary care practitioner (PCP) and specialist will provide a pattern of care that will increase the use of PCP services to establish and maintain medical homes.
Children's Medical Home in a Rural Tri-State Area	Fort Mohave, AZ	2002	CATCH Planning Funds	Living in a tri-state area provides unique challenges to meet the needs of children with special health care needs. With many patients dependent on state Medicaid, we must learn the different regulations for referrals for three different states. Also, we must refer patients to specialists in each of those three states, all of whom are located at least 2 hours away.
Strategic Planning for Children's Medical Homes Through Telemedicine	Binghamton, NY	2002	CATCH Planning Funds	This project will create a partnership that will develop a written plan to implement pediatric telemedicine providing children with a virtual medical home.
The Missing Link	Houlton, ME	2002	CATCH Planning Funds	The goal of this project is to define and identify leaders of existing community agencies to establish a coalition among mental health providers; eg, physicians, physician providers, and counselors to expand access to appropriate mental health services in an integrated manner to an underserved population.
Toward a Medical Home for an Itinerant Population	Lebanon, NH	2002	CATCH Resident Funds	This program seeks to provide a medical home, consistent, comprehensive health services, for children living in transitional housing in rural New England.
Children With Special Health Care Needs in Del Valle, Texas	Del Valle, TX	2001	CATCH Planning Funds	The project will plan and develop a systematic approach to assure access to community-based, culturally competent, primary health care and education for children with special health care needs in the Del Valle Independent School District by addressing identification of barriers in education, communication, and transportation.

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Children's Special Health Program Task Force	Pocatello, ID	2001	CATCH Planning Funds	The purpose of this grant application is to obtain seed monies to develop a statewide initiative with 3 components: a parent education program about the Primary Medical Home concept; assessment and recommendation for early intervention and physician communication about developmental screening to promote a model for communication between the two groups; and the adaption of the Primary Medical Home concept for use with family practice residency programs.
Creating Medical Homes in Massachusetts: A Proposal to Plan Expansion of Medical Homes Across Multiple Communities	Sterling, MA	2001	CATCH Planning Funds	This project plans for the creation of a medical home model of care delivery for CSHCN across five underserved and needy communities in Massachusetts.
Infants & Children With Special Health Needs in Rural Oregon	Bend, OR	2001	CATCH Planning Funds	This project seeks to expand comprehensive services to children with special health care needs (CSHCN) living in remote communities in central and eastern Oregon.
Medical Home Plus: A Model of Community-based Health Care That Provides Training, Resources, Technical Assistance, and Support for Children With Special Needs and Their Families	Mechanicsville, VA	2001	CATCH Planning Funds	The goal of the Medical Home Plus Project is to create a highly replicable model of resources, training, technical assistance, and support for children with special needs and their families within pediatric practices.
Medical Home: After Hours Access	Mechanicsville, VA	2001	CATCH Planning Funds	The goal of the Medical Home: After Hours Access is to build upon a highly successful phone triage service run within a pediatric office, expand services to include children from Medicaid and SCHIP families, and ultimately to develop a curriculum so that this service can be replicated in rural and urban communities.
South Carolina Medical Home Project	Beaufort, SC	2001	CATCH Planning Funds	In conjunction with the Title V Program, the project intends to develop a series of "mentor medical homes" for children with special health care needs that work towards meeting the ideals of a true coordinated, accessible, continuous, family-centered, comprehensive, compassionate cost-effective, and culturally competent approach to care.
Fostering Medical Homes for Guam's Special Needs Children	Upper Tumon, GU	2000	CATCH Planning Funds	Children with special health care needs on the US PaCATCH Implementation Fundisic island of Guam rarely receive continuous comprehensive, coordinated medical care. Some of the barriers are universal; others are unique to our small, geographically remote community. This plan attempts to bring together resources and information to overcome these barriers.
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Pamlico County Children's Medical Home Project	Bayboro, NC	2000	CATCH Planning Funds	The project plans to determine the community needs and assets as well as collect accurate data on the numbers of children to be served. The overriding mission is to ensure that all children in Pamlico County have a true medical home with up-to-date immunizations and well checkups.
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Mental Health				
Aggressive-Disruptive Behaviors in Early Childhood	North Adams, MA	2005	CATCH Planning Funds	This grant seeks funding for planning activities to further development of a systemic screening and referral program to identify and assist young children exhibiting high frequency/severity of aggressive-disruptive behavior in rural, impoverished north Berkshire County.
Pre-emptive Behavioral Health Team Intervention For At-risk Children and Families	Centralia, WA	2005	Healthy Tomorrows Partnerships for Children	Pope's Kids Place will establish a program to pre-emptively intervene with children and adolescents who have difficult behavioral and emotional problems that put them at risk for school suspension and/or introduction to the juvenile justice system.
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Waimanalo Youth & Family Access to Mental Health Services	Kaneohe, HI	2001	CATCH Planning Funds	The goal of the project is to link schools with a health center to provide a continuum of mental health services.
Obesity				
FIT (Fitness in Tune)	Franktown, VA	2005	CATCH Implementation Funds	FIT is designed to provide nutritional, fitness and psychological counseling to overweight teens in Northampton County, Virginia. This program will identify 30 adolescents between the ages of 13-17 who have a BMI > 95% and who desire assistance in losing weight.
Fresh Start for Kids - Pediatric Clinic	Hancock, MI	2005	CATCH Implementation Funds	The Fresh Start for Kids - Pediatric Clinic will be a monthly clinic-based program for families in the Western U.P., for children who are overweight and at risk for complications from obesity.
Stop Taking On Pounds (S.T.O.P.)	Richmond, IN	2005	CATCH Implementation Funds	This grant will allow us to add a component to the program called Green Light Access that will unlock the door to Medical Homes for the low-income population. Funds would go toward physician assessments, laboratory testing, and transportation for an overwhelming 12% of children who fall into this category.

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Childhood Obesity Resources Planning Project (CORPP)	Bowling Green, KY	2002	CATCH Planning Funds	The primary purpose of the CORPP is to establish a comprehensive, multidisciplinary, pediatric weight-management program to combat the problem of childhood obesity in south central Kentucky.
Project Fit Kids of Marion County	Mullins, SC	2002	CATCH Planning Funds	Project Fit Kids will be the initial step in identifying and addressing the needs of the community of Marion County as related to childhood obesity.
Access Through Prevention	Pineville, WV	1999	CATCH Planning Funds	Pineville Children's Clinic hopes to increase access to primary care for school children (kindergarten-8th grade) in Wyoming County, West Virginia. The planning philosophy emphasizes prevention as a strategy to increase access through positive lifestyle changes. The project will focus on the problem of obesity among children.
Oral Health				
Mascoma Valley Oral Health Initiative	Cannan, NH	2004	CATCH Resident Funds	The Mascoma Valley Oral Health Initiative is a collaborative effort of schools, community groups, local hospitals and clinics, begun to address the unmet oral health needs of children in the rural Mascoma Valley.
North Coast Pediatric Dentistry Initiative (NCPDI)	Santa Rosa, CA	2004	Healthy Tomorrows Partnerships for Children	The program will link children affected by ECC, particularly those aged birth to 5 years old, with restorative sedation/anesthetized dentistry services. Medical and dental health provider education will also be provided to improved health prevention efforts and appropriate referrals.
Oral Health for Uninsured Hispanic Children in Nebraska	Hastings, NE	2003	CATCH Implementation Funds	This pilot project will provide oral health services to Hispanic children living in Adams and Hall Counties in south-central Nebraska who are uninsured and are ineligible for Medicaid/SCHIP due to their undocumented status.
School Health				
McCreary County Schools Primary Care Clinic Program	Monticello, KY	2001	CATCH Planning Funds	The purpose of this project is to develop a program of school-based health care clinics utilizing a pediatrician, nurse practitioner, and school nurses to provide health care/education of the defined population.
Cameron Parish Community School Based Health Planning Program	Lake Charles, LA	2000	CATCH Planning Funds	In rural areas, thousands of Americans are without physicians, nurses, counselors, hospitals, and even emergency help. Distance, with limited health providers, or lack of public transportation, is one of the greatest obstacles to care for rural citizens, especially children and adolescents. CHRISTUS St Patrick Hospital wants to ensure that children and adolescents in Cameron Parish not only have access to primary health care services, but have a speCATCH Implementation Fundsic source of ongoing care.
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Vision				
Preschool Vision Screening: A Community-based Approach	Rochester, MN	2002	CATCH Planning Funds	Focus groups of diverse community members (parents, public health providers, immigrant services, day care providers, and clinicians) will be used to explore perceived barriers to preschool vision screening. A community panel will be established to develop an action plan addressing the identified barriers.