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CPSC-IAG-99-1155

Interagency Agreement
between the
National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health
and the
U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission

CDC No. 98FED22404-4

This amendment is to increase the interagency agreement ninety-five thousand dollars ($95,000) for fiscal year 1999 to allow for additional follow-back interviews as described in the Section III. Scope of Work of Interagency Agreement CDC No. 98FED22404-2.

III. Scope of Work

G. Follow-up telephone interviews, of up to 760 people identified by CPSC through the National Electronic Injury Surveillance System (NEISS) data, will be contracted out to collect information on needlestick injuries. This will include needlestick injuries (up to 380 cases) as well as the same number of other work-related injuries to eligible healthcare workers (up to 380) to serve as controls. The interviews will last approximately 25 minutes each and will be conducted over a one year period of time. Interviewers will be required to attend NIOSH training in Washington, D.C., in September, 1999. The period of performance for these interviews will be September, 1999 - August, 2000. Additional interviewers, added after the beginning of the study, will be required to receive training by either CPSC or NIOSH (at NIOSH's discretion). Interviewers will be required to follow skip patterns and record narratives, as well as prompt for, and explain additional information (such as describing possible choices for type of safety device) as necessary. Information will be collected on variables including, but not limited to, injury circumstances, patient characteristics, employment information, type of needle and safety device used, training, and demographics.

IV. Estimated Cost and Conditions of Payment

Under the terms of this agreement, an additional $95,000 funding from NIOSH will be paid to U. S. Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) in FY 1999 immediately upon receipt of the signed interagency agreement and billing statements. This will bring the total funding in FY 1999 to $610,000. All funds provided by CDC in this agreement must be obligated by September 30, 1999. CDC/NIOSH must be notified of any unobligated funds pertaining to this agreement by September 15, 1999 so that the agreement can be amended to reduce the funding amount to reflect actual earnings. Any funds unobligated by the Consumer Product Safety Commission will lapse at the end of FY 1999.

When funds are provided to the performing agency in advance of services being performed or goods being delivered, the performing agency is required to provide, within 15 days of the end of each quarter, statements of obligations and expenditures made during the quarter. These statements should be provided to the address below.

CDC, FMO
4676 Columbia Parkway, M/S C05
Cincinnati, OH 45226 (CAN 99278866)

Please cite CDC Agreement #98FED22404-4 when billing.

VIII. Method of Payment:

Fiscal Year 1999 billing shall be chargeable to the following accounting and appropriations data:

For NIOSH:

Agency Location Code: 75-09-0527
Appropriation: 7590943
Allowance 9-A492W
CAN: 99278866 VLE KSD
Cost: $95,000

CPSC Agency Location Code: 61-00-0001

CPSC: FY1999=99-2-591-11179-25.25 NEW CODE: 99 EXOB-PS 4310.00 9911179 252105

IX. Authority.

For: National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health

By: Diane Porter

Title: Associate Director for Management

Date: 8/5/99

For: U. S. Consumer Product Safety Commission

By: Robert J. Frost

Title: Contracting Officer

Date: 8/12/99