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Denali Training Fund Quarterly Progress Report

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Name of Organization: University of Alaska
Name of Project: Rural Allied Health Training - CHAP
Reporting Period: Jan-March 2008, 3rd Quarter PHASE IV
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Expenditures to date: As provided by UAA Grants and Contracts Office
Certification: I certify that the information in this report is current, correct and true and in accordance with the terms and conditions of the agreement.
Signed by:  Dated <u>4/28/08</u>
Title: Jan Harris, Associate Dean, CHSW / Project PI

1. In a few sentences, please describe the scope of your project:

The Community Health Aide Program (CHAP) prepares Community Health Aides and Practitioners to provide comprehensive primary health care in Alaskan village communities.

2. Project Activities for this Reporting Period:

Describe the grant activities that happened during this report period. Include planning, advertisement and/or training performance that occurred this quarter? List any accomplishments achieved. (Attach advertisements if applicable)

Activities during this reporting period were funded under Phase IIIB through February. The activities of Phase IV took place in March as follows:

Final preparations for annual CHAP Forum, scheduled for April, including an Anatomy Competition. Staff organized the curriculum, activities and marketed this event to training sites around the state.

3. Scheduled Project Activities/Important Dates for next quarter:

Describe your planned activities and training for next few months. Please include important dates like graduation, site visits, travel, job fairs, etc.

- CHAP Forum April 21-25 at Coast International Hotel, Anchorage. Expect 60-80 CHA/CHP attendees. Working with ANTHC CHAP Director; will provide during this week: student UAF advising for Associate of Applied Science degree and advanced health careers; UAF CHP 250 credit for those who need credit for AAS; Anatomy competition event; and assist with proceedings post CD.
- CHP 293 Wellness: Promoting Health and Preventing Chronic Disease March 31-April 4th. Work with ANTHC to deliver this new course for 12- 16 students.

4. a. How many are in your training program during this reporting period?

69 CHAs and CHPs; additional individuals are completing their clinical preceptorships (CHP 135). These numbers will be reported in next quarterly report.

5. Please list complete the list by putting the community to which each individual trained is from, the type of training and certification, the graduation date and who will employ them upon completion of training.

Not applicable for the activities of this period. (See IIIB report)

6. Please identify any problems or changes in your training project that will affect the budget, scope or timeline of the project. Is your training on schedule? What are the reasons for any difficulties or delays? Are you over budget/under budget? Have you had to change the initial scope?

Please provide an explanation to this change and your resolution to the variance.

Program is progressing as expected.

7. How are you or will you be evaluating the individuals being trained to ensure competency, skill level and understanding? (Testing, assessment, etc)

After each Basic training session/course the CHA is visited by their tribal health organization supervisor instructor (some organizations personnel are called coordinator instructor) to evaluate the knowledge and skills learned at the Training Center. A Post-Session Learning Needs form and Clinical Skills List tool is completed by the supervisor. An evaluation is sent to the Training Center before the student is admitted for their next training course.

8. Please identify areas that we can assist you in the future.