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Major Type of Activity: Purpose #5 Improvement of FP Service Delivery Systems
Project Title: Improvement of Population Program and Policy Design
Project Number: 931-11-570-85K P.A. TA-0081 Date PROP Approved: May 10, 1969
Name of Contractor: University of North Carolina Contract No. csd-2507
Starting Date: Obligation - June 30, 1969 Termination: Funding FY 72
Work - FY 70 Work - FY 75
Project Monitor: James Brackett, TA/POP/AE Extension 28396

Funding Data (in thousands)

	U.S. Contribution		
	Oblig.	Expend.	Unliquidated
Cumulative through 6/30/69	435	----	435
FY 1970	1,174	181	1,428
FY 1971	600	900	528
FY 1972	2,200	1200	1,528

Project Target and Course of Action: This project focuses on improving the design of population policies and programs, or components thereof, in selected LDCs. A major objectove of the project is to assist the LDCs in satisfying their needs for innovative and effective family planning programs, and the concomitant need for the development of evaluation capabilities. Towards these objectives, the University of North Carolina is augmenting its organizational framework in order to expand and accelerate field tests and demonstrations of alternative policy and program designs in host countries.

Accomplishments to Date: This contract, as amended, enables U.N.C. to support overseas activity in cooperation with host country organizations. A program to expand and strengthen the National Family Planning Association of India, in cooperation with the IPPF, has been approved and is underway. Additional possibilities for local pilot projects are being explored, and at least two more are expected to be operational by the end of this fiscal year; for example, a proposal is being reviewed which would expand family planning services through the integration of surveillance and delivery systems.

Prior to amendment of the contract, the project was constrained by lack of funds to support overseas activity; however, the amendment provided such funding capability and field activity should accelerate.

FY 72 Program and Future Targets: As additional projects in the field get underway, information generated from these projects will be used to develop general models of national family planning programs and policies, to refine host country program designs, and to contribute to the training of administrative and field personnel. The contract is renewable for an additional three years.