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SUBJECT: HEALTH IMPROVEMENT FOR YOUNG CHILDREN (PROJECT  
NC- 532-0040)

REF: (A) KINGSTON 2419, (B) KINGSTON 2812

1. GEOGRAPHIC SOURCE WAIVER REQUESTED BY MISSION REF A WAS APPROVED BY AA/LAC ON MAY 7, 1979. AUTHORIZED GEOGRAPHIC CODE FOR PROCUREMENT OF TECHNICAL SERVICES DESCRIBED REF A IS NOW CODE 941 PLUS THE COOPERATING COUNTRY. THIS CODE PERMIT PROCUREMENT FROM UWI. WHETHER IT IS CONSIDERED A LOCAL OR A REGIONAL INSTITUTION.

2. A WAIVER OF COMPETITIVE PROCEDURES TO PERMIT SINGLE-SOURCE NEGOTIATION WITH THE UWI'S DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL AND PREVENTATIVE MEDICINE AND A CONTRACT AWARD BASED ON PRE-DOMINANT CAPABILITY WAS ALSO APPROVED BY AA/LAC ON MAY 7.

3. LAC/DR APPRECIATES DETAILED JUSTIFICATION FOR WAIVERS FORWARDED BY MISSION VIA REFTELS. COPIES OF THE ACTION MEMORANDUM BY WHICH BOTH WAIVERS WERE APPROVED HAVE BEEN POUCHED TO MISSION. VANCE

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		2. PIO/T No. 532-0040-3-61075 532-0040-3-90019	3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original or Amendment No. _____
		4. Project/Activity No. and Title 532-0040 <b>Health Improvement for Young Children</b>	

DISTRIBUTION	5. Appropriation Symbol <b>Multiple</b>		6. Allotment Symbol and Charge <b>Multiple</b>	
	7. Obligation Status <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative Reservation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Implementing Document		8. Project Assistance Completion Date (Mo., Day, Yr.) <b>12/31/80</b>	
	9. Authorized Agent <b>USAID/JAMAICA</b>		10. This PIO/T is in full conformance with PRO/AG respectively <b>76-4 and 79-4</b> Date <b>6/29/76 &amp; 6/15/79</b>	
	11a. Type of Action and Governing AID Handbook <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AID Contract (HB 14) <input type="checkbox"/> PASA/RSSA (HB 12) <input type="checkbox"/> AID Grant (HB 13) <input type="checkbox"/> Other		11b. Contract/Grant/PASA/RSSA Reference Number (If this is an Amendment) <b>N/A</b>	

12. Estimated Financing (A detailed budget in support of column (2) is attached as attachment no. 2)

Maximum AID Financing	A. Dollars	(1) Previous Total	(2) Increase	(3) Decrease	(4) Total to Date
					96,600
	B. U.S.-Owned Local Currency				

13. Mission References

AA/LAC Action Memo dated 5/4/79

ProAg 76-4  
ProAg 79-4

14a. Instructions to Authorized Agent

USAID/Jamaica, with the assistance of the Ministry of Health and Environmental Control (MOHEC), is authorized to negotiate a contract with the Department of Social and Preventive Medicine (DSPM)/UWI, to perform the services outlined in Attachment 1 (Statement of Work) under the subject project.

Approval of (1) procurement source waiver from Geographic Code 000 to Geographic Code 941; and (2) waiver of competition to permit single-source negotiation and contract award based on predominant capability has been obtained and is included as Attachment No. 3.

(contd. on p.6)

14b. Address of Voucher Paying Office

Controller, USAID/Jamaica  
c/o American Embassy  
2 Oxford Road, Kingston 5, Jamaica

15. Clearances—Include typed name, office symbol, telephone number and date for all clearances.

A. The project officer certifies that the specifications in the statement of work are technically adequate H/N/P: L. Haverberg <i>L. Haverberg</i>	Phone No. Date <b>6/17/79</b>	B. The statement of work lies within the scope of the initiating and approved agency programs PROG: H. Johnson/E. Szepes <i>H. Johnson</i> <b>6/15/79</b>
C. ACO: R. Gibson MGT: H. Burleson <i>H. Burleson</i>	Date <b>6/6/79</b> <b>6/12/79</b>	D. Funds for the services requested are available CONT: D. Dolley <i>D. Dolley</i> <b>6/19/79</b>
E. ADIR: P. Schwab <i>P. Schwab</i>	Date <b>6/19/79</b>	

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16. For the cooperating country, The terms and conditions set forth herein are hereby agreed to	17. For the Agency for International Development
Signature <i>[Signature]</i> Date <b>20/6/79</b> Title <b>Permanent Secretary (Actg), MOHEC</b>	Signature <i>[Signature]</i> Date <b>7/6/79</b> Title <b>Director USAID/JAMAICA</b>

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		4. Project/Activity No. and Title <b>532-0040 Health Improvement for Young Children</b>	
PIO/T	PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION ORDER/TECHNICAL SERVICES		

DISTRIBUTION	5. Appropriation Symbol <b>72-119 1021.8</b>		6. Allotment Symbol and Charge <b>948-50-532-00-69-91</b>		
	7. Obligation Status <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative Reservation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Implementing Document		8. Project Assistance Completion Date (Mo., Day, Yr.) <b>12/31/80</b>		
	9. Authorized Agent <b>USAID/Jamaica</b>		10. This PIO/T is in full conformance with PRO/AG <b>79-4</b> Date <b>6/15/79</b>		
	11a. Type of Action and Governing AID Handbook <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> AID Contract (HB 14) <input type="checkbox"/> PASA/RSSA (HB 12) <input type="checkbox"/> AID Grant (HB 13) <input type="checkbox"/> Other			11b. Contract/Grant/PASA/RSSA Reference Number (if this is an Amendment)	
	12. Estimated Financing (A detailed budget in support of column (2) is attached as attachment no. _____)				
	Maximum AID Financing	A. Dollars	(1) Previous Total	(2) Increase	(3) Decrease
B. U.S.-Owned Local Currency			<b>80,000</b>		<b>80,000</b>
13. Mission References	14a. Instructions to Authorized Agent <b>See page 1</b>				
	14b. Address of Voucher Paying Office				

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A. The project officer certifies that the specifications in the statement of work are technically adequate	Phone No.	B. The statement of work lies within the purview of the initiating and approved agency programs	Date
	Date		
C.	Date	D. Funds for the services requested are available	
E.	Date		

16. For the cooperating country: The terms and conditions set forth herein are hereby agreed to	17. For the Agency for International Development
Signature _____ Date _____	Signature _____ Date _____
Title _____	Title _____

AID 1350-1 (1-78)	DEPARTMENT OF STATE AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT	1. Cooperating Country <b>JAMAICA</b>	Page 3 of 6 Pages
PIO/T	PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION ORDER/TECHNICAL SERVICES	2. PIO/T No. <b>532-0040-3-61075</b>	3. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original An
		4. Project/Activity No. and Title <b>532-0040</b> <b>Health Improvement for Young Children</b>	

<b>DISTRIBUTION</b>	5. Appropriation Symbol <b>72-11X1024</b>		6. Allotment Symbol and Charge <b>424-50-532-00-69-93</b>	
	7. Obligation Status <input type="checkbox"/> Administrative Reservation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Implementing Document		8. Project Assistance Completion Date (Mo., Day, Yr.) <b>12/31/80</b>	
	9. Authorized Agent <b>USAID/Jamaica</b>		10. This PIO/T is in full conformance with PRO/AG <b>76-4</b> Date <b>6/29/76</b>	
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12. Estimated Financing (A detailed budget in support of column (2) is attached as attachment no. <u>2</u> )					
Maximum AID Financing	A. Dollars	(1) Previous Total	(2) Increase	(3) Decrease	(4) Total to Date
	B. U.S.-Owned Local Currency				
			16,600		16,600

13. Mission References	14a. Instructions to Authorized Agent  <b>See page 1</b>
	14b. Address of Voucher Paying Office

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Title _____	Title _____

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SCOPE OF WORK

18. THE SCOPE OF TECHNICAL SERVICES REQUIRED FOR THIS PROJECT ARE DESCRIBED IN ATTACHMENT NUMBER 1 HERETO ENTITLED "STATEMENT OF WORK".

19. SPECIAL PROVISIONS

- A.  LANGUAGE REQUIREMENTS (SPECIFY) English  
(IF MARKED, TESTING MUST BE ACCOMPLISHED BY AID TO ASSURE DESIRED LEVEL OF PROFICIENCY)
- B.  ACCESS TO CLASSIFIED INFORMATION  WILL  WILL NOT BE REQUIRED BY TECHNICIAN(S).
- C.  DUTY POST(S) AND DURATION OF TECHNICIANS SERVICES AT POST(S) (MONTHS) in Kingston and Cornwall county for eighteen (18) months
- D.  DEPENDENTS  WILL  WILL NOT BE PERMITTED TO ACCOMPANY TECHNICIAN.
- E.  WAIVER(S) HAVE BEEN APPROVED TO ALLOW THE PURCHASE OF THE FOLLOWING ITEM(S) (COPY OF APPROVED WAIVER IS ATTACHED)
- F.  COOPERATING COUNTRY ACCEPTANCE OF THIS PROJECT (APPLICABLE TO AID/W PROJECTS ONLY)
  - HAS BEEN OBTAINED  HAS NOT BEEN OBTAINED
  - IS NOT APPLICABLE TO SERVICES REQUIRED BY PIO/T
- G.  OTHER (SPECIFY)
  1. - A determination has been made by the USAID/Jamaica Mission Director that circumstances warrant an exception to country contracting policy.
  2. The contractor may not exceed the grand total set forth in Block 12.

20. BACKGROUND INFORMATION (ADDITIONAL INFORMATION USEFUL TO AUTHORIZED AGENT)

Project Paper (P.), approved June 17, 1976, Project Evaluation Summary (PES), dated April, 1979, and ProAgs 76-4 and 79-4 are available at USAID/Jamaica.

21. SUMMARY OF ATTACHMENTS ACCOMPANY THE PIO/T (INDICATE ATTACHMENT NUMBER IN BLANK)

- 2 DETAILED BUDGET IN SUPPORT OF INCREASED FUNDING (BLOCK 12)
- \_\_\_\_\_ EVALUATION CRITERIA FOR COMPETITIVE PROCUREMENT (BLOCK 14)
- 3 JUSTIFICATION FOR NON-COMPETITIVE PROCUREMENT (BLOCK 14)
- 1 STATEMENT OF WORK (BLOCK 18)
- 4 WAIVER(S) (BLOCK 19) (SPECIFY NUMBER)

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PIO/T	A. Project/Activity No. and Title 532-0040 Health Improvement for Young Children		

22. Relationship of Contractor or Participating Agency to Cooperating Country and to AID

A. Relationships and Responsibilities

Project personnel will work with the designated officials of MOHEC in Kingston and Cornwall County and the Health/Nutrition/Population Division of USAID/Jamaica.

B. Cooperating Country Liaison Official

Dr. Anthony D'Souza, Senior Medical Officer/Health, Cornwall County, MOHEC  
 Dr. Christine Moody, Principal Medical Officer/Primary Health Care, MOHEC  
 Dr. Wynante Patterson, Chief Medical Officer (Actg.), MOHEC.

C. AID Liaison Officials

Dr. Linda Haverberg, Chief, Health/Nutrition/Population Division, USAID/Jamaica  
 Mr. Robert Gibson, Area Contracting Officer, USAID/Haiti

LOGISTIC SUPPORT

23. Provisions for Logistic Support

A. Specific Items (Insert "X" in applicable column at right. If entry needs qualification, insert asterisk and explain below in C. "Comments")	IN KIND SUPPLIED BY		FROM LOCAL CURRENCY SUPPLIED BY		TO BE PROVIDED OR ARRANGED BY SUPPLIER
	AID	COOPERATING COUNTRY	AID	COOPERATING COUNTRY	
(1) Office Space		X			X
(2) Office Equipment		X			X
(3) Housing and Utilities					X
(4) Furniture					X
(5) Household Equipment (Stoves, Refrig., etc.)					X
(6) Transportation in Cooperating Country					X
(7) Transportation To and From Country N/A					
(8) Interpreter Services/Secretarial					X
(9) Medical Facilities					X
(10) Vehicles (official)		X			
(11) Travel Arrangements/Tickets N/A					
(OTHER SPECIFY) (12)					
(13)					
(14)					
(15)					

B. Additional Facilities Available From Other Sources

- APO/FPO
  PX
  COMMISSARY  
 OTHER (Specify, e.g., duty free entry, tax exemption)

<p>AID 1800-1 (7-69)</p> <p>CONTINUATION SHEET</p> <p>FORM SYMBOL</p> <p>PIO/T</p>	<p>DEPARTMENT OF STATE AGENCY FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT</p> <p>TITLE OF FORM</p> <p>Project Implementation Order/Technical Services</p>	<p><input type="checkbox"/> Worksheet <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Issuance</p> <p>1. Cooperating Country JAMAICA</p> <p>2.b. Effective Date</p> <p>3. Project/Activity No. and Title Health Improvement for Young Children</p>	<p>PAGE 6 OF 6 PAGES</p> <p>2.a. Code No. 532-0040-3-90019</p> <p>2.c. Amendment <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Original OR No. _____</p> <p>532-0040</p>
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Indicate block numbers.

Use this form to complete the information required in any block of a PIO or PA/PR form.

14a.

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Although MOHEC will not be a party to the contract, MOHEC will approve the contract prior to its becoming effective and any amendments to said contract to assure conformance with MOHEC project plans and health policy.

USAID/Jamaica will reimburse DSPM/UWI for the allowable costs incurred in carrying out the contract in conformance with the statement of work, contained in Attachment No. 1, and the estimated budget, contained in Attachment No. 2.

STATEMENT OF WORK

CONTRACT WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL

AND PREVENTIVE MEDICINE (DSPM)/UWI

A. OBJECTIVE:

The DSPM/UWI will assist the Ministry of Health and Environmental Control (MOHEC)/Government of Jamaica (GOJ) to implement an integrated primary health care system based on the concept of community health teams. Specifically, the contractor will work with the Cornwall County Health Administration (CCHA) to:

1. Evaluate Training Programs Completed to Date, Assess  
Future Training Needs, and Develop  
Training Programs in Cornwall
2. Develop a Management Structure at the Local Level in Cornwall
3. Develop Policy, Procedure, and Training Manuals for Types II  
and III Health Centers
4. Develop the Pilot Area Health Districts in Each Parish in  
Cornwall
5. Develop a Warehousing Supply System in Cornwall
6. Assess the Efficiency and Effectiveness of Health Services  
Delivery in Cornwall
7. Develop Local Community Health Committees in Cornwall
8. Examine Ways to Attract Health Professionals to Work in the  
Rural Areas.

B. SCOPE OF WORK

The contractor will work under the general policy direction of the Chief Medical Officer (CMO) and Principal Medical Officer/Primary Health Care (PMO/PHC) of the Ministry of Health and Environmental Control (MOHEC) and the day-to-day program direction and supervision of the Senior Medical Officer (Health), Cornwall County. The USAID/Jamaica liaison official will be the Chief, Health/Nutrition/Population Division.

The contractor shall assist the CCHA in the following areas:

1. Training

a. Evaluation Study of Effectiveness of Training to Date of Type I Center Health Staff in Cornwall.

- i) Questionnaire designed to determine knowledge and attitudes with regard to Type I Policy and Procedure Manuals and Management/Supervision Training.
- ii) Survey of Selected Type I center operations to assess staff performance and clinic operations.
- iii) Review of other training completed to date.

b. Assessment of Future Training Needs.

- i) Outline needs based on a.i, ii, and iii above for Type I.
- ii) Outline needs for Types II and III based on assessment of roles assigned, skills required, and existing capabilities of staff.
- iii) Includes needs in clinical, management/supervision, financial and information recording/reporting, training.

c. Development of Training Programs.

- i) Draft annual implementation plan for all training activities
- ii) Assist Cornwall staff in curriculum design, identification of resource personnel, training materials, evaluation tools, training site, budgeting.
- iii) Serve as resource personnel in training activities when appropriate and required.
- iv) Development of training manuals.

2. Development of a Warehousing Supply System for Cornwall

- a. Analysis of existing system.
- b. Analysis of supply needs.
- c. Design of an adequate and functional supply system.
  - i) Logistics/Organization

- ii) Warehousing System
  - iii) Supervision
  - iv) Repair and Maintenance.
  - v) Requisition forms.
3. Development of the Pilot Area Health Districts in Each Parish
- a. Definition of staff roles, responsibilities, tasks, relationships
  - b. Development of policy and procedure manuals for Types II and III health centers.
  - c. Evaluation of the efficiency and effectiveness of health services:
    - i) Survey of selected pilot districts to assess staff performance and clinic operations.
    - ii) Assessment of efficiency/effectiveness of referral system.
4. Development of a Management Structure at the Local Level
- a. Examine Existing Organizational Relationships and System of Supervision, Monitoring, and Reporting from the CCHA to and from the Local Level.
  - b. Establish Standard Operating Procedures (S.O.P's) for Management of the PHC System.
    - i) Financial
    - ii) Personnel/Manpower
    - iii) Supplies
    - iv) Information Reporting
    - v) Logistics
  - c. Examine Roles, Responsibilities, Skills of CCHA and Senior Management Staff in the PHC Delivery System and Identify Management Training Needs.

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5. Development of Local Community Health Committees (CHCs)
  - a. Develop and Evaluate CHCs in at least five pilot communities
  - b. Establish system to Expand CHCs
  
6. Provide Report on Recommendations to Attract Health Professionals to the Rural Areas

C. REPORTING

The contractor will be responsible for:

1. Convening monthly meetings beginning July involving representatives of MOHEC central, CCHA (Cornwall), DSPM/UWI, DMS/UWI,\* USAID/Jamaica to review progress to date.
  
2. Submitting quarterly written reports beginning in September, 1979 - three copies to MOHEC central, two to CCHA, 2 copies to USAID/Jamaica, and 3 copies to SER/DM/ARC; Agency for International Development; Dept. of State, SA-12; Washington, D.C. 20523. The project, PIO/T, and contract numbers are to be indicated on each report.
  
3. Undertaking Joint Evaluations (DSPM/UWI, MOHEC, USAID/Jamaica) Every Nine Months, the First in March 1980; the Second in December 1980, and submit copies of the Evaluation reports to MOHEC central, CCHA, and USAID/Jamaica.

It is estimated that the contractor's services will require approximately eighteen (18) months of effort.

\* Department of Management Studies

**BUDGET**

The technical services required by this PIO/T are expected to begin on or about June 15, 1979 and end on or about December 31, 1980.

<u>CATEGORY</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>ESTIMATED COST (in J\$)</u>
A. <u>Personnel</u>	1. Project Director: 4.5 mm @ 2,000	9,000
	2. Project Coordinator: 18.0 mm @ 1,250	22,500
	3. Research Assistants (2): 36.0 mm @ 825	29,700
	4. Interviewers: 15.0 mm @ 400	6,000
	5. Consultants:	
	a. Management: 12.0 mm @ 1,250	15,000
	b. Evaluation: 8.0 mm @ 1,250	10,000
	c. Curriculum Design: 8.0 mm @ 1,250	10,000
	d. Training: 4.5 mm @ 1,250	5,625
	6. Support Personnel:	
	a. Secretary/Typist (Full-time): 18.0 mm @ 700	12,600
	b. Clerical Assistant: 6.0 mm @ 400	<u>2,400</u>
		122,825
B. <u>Travel and Subsistence</u>	1. Per diem	
	a. Interviewers: 450 days @ 30	13,500
	b. Field Supervisors: 60 days @ 50	3,000
	2. Travel	
	a. Local Transport: 10,000 miles @ .30/mile	3,000
	b. Air Travel: (20 trips) from Kgn to Ho Bay for Res. Assts. and Proj. Coordinator @ 70/trip	<u>1,400</u>
		26,900

C. <u>Equipment and Supplies</u>	1. Stationery	1,500	
	2. Communication costs	500	
	3. Data processing	<u>1,000</u>	3,000
D. <u>Seminars for Dissemination of Results</u>			
3 x 2 days ea. x 1,000			<u>6,000</u>
	<u>SUB-TOTAL</u>		<u>152,725</u>
E. Administrative Costs (12½%)			19,091
	<u>GRAND TOTAL</u>		<u><u>JS 171,816</u></u>

\* @ J1.78 = US\$1 : US\$96,526

MAY 4 1979

ACTION MEMORANDUM FOR THE ASSISTANT ADMINISTRATOR (LAC)

FROM: LAC/DR, Marshall D. Brown

Problem: Approval of (1) procurement source waiver from Geographic Code 000 (U.S. only) to Geographic Code 941 (Selected Free World) and the cooperating country; and (2) waiver of competition to permit single-source negotiation and contract award based on predominant capability.

- (a) Cooperating Country: Jamaica
- (b) Authorizing Documents: Project No. 532-0040, Project Agreement No. 76-4
- (c) Project: Health Improvement of Young Children
- (d) Nature of Funding: Development Grant
- (e) Description of Services: Assistance to the Government of Jamaica Ministry of Health and Environmental Control in design and implementation of an integrated primary health care system.
- (f) Approximate Value: \$90,000.
- (g) Intended Source: University of West Indies' Department of Social and Preventive Medicine.

Background: The purpose of this project is to improve the primary health care delivery system of Cornwall County in Jamaica, with emphasis on women of childbearing age and children under six. The project is attempting to establish in Cornwall County (which comprises the western one-third of Jamaica) a prototypical health services outreach system which can be replicated in Jamaica's other two counties. A.I.D. is financing technical assistance, participant training and commodities, while the Government of Jamaica (GOJ) is funding staff salaries, logistical support, drugs and medical supplies.

The technical services for which the subject request is made and contract approval are sought will be provided to the GOJ's Ministry of Health and Environmental Control (MOHEC), to assist it in developing and implementing the Cornwall

County primary health care system. More specifically, the services include (a) an evaluation of existing training programs and assessment of future training needs; (b) development of management capability and structures at the community level; (c) development of procedures and training manuals; (d) development of a warehousing and supply system for rural health centers; (e) maximization of community involvement through the development of local health committees; and (f) a continuous assessment of the efficiency of health services being provided by the system. The contract would be for two years, and its cost is estimated at \$90,000.

The mission has requested (see Kingston 2419 and 2812, attached) a procurement source waiver and approval of contract negotiation and award to the University of the West Indies' Department of Social and Preventive Medicine (UWI/DSPM), which is located in Kingston.

Justification: The technical services to be provided under the proposed contract are essential to the achievement of the purposes of this A.I.D.-financed project. A recent evaluation of the project led the mission to conclude that the involvement of the UWI/DSPM in the project is absolutely necessary for the timely, efficient and effective provision of these services. While the mission considered other possible approaches to obtaining the technical services required, it concluded that obtaining the services from a local (or locally-based Caribbean Regional) institution would provide significant advantages and substantially enrich the original project concept. Further, given the sensitive nature of some of the contractor's tasks, the failure to utilize a local institution could jeopardize the achievement of some of the project's outputs (see Kingston 2419, para. 3, attached).

The mission's review concluded that no other institution in Jamaica is comparable to the UWI/DSPM in prior experience, high quality staff and ready capability to undertake the work required. Not only had the DSPM previously developed a community level health aides training program (which was utilized as a model in the design of this project's training component), but its staff has already been called upon from time to time to provide guidance to the MOHEC. The DSPM staff is largely Jamaican and exceptionally talented (the Department Chairman, Dr. Kenneth Standard, is an internationally recognized expert in public health), and the DSPM specializes in the kind of operational research and training required by this project.

Finally, and perhaps most importantly, the involvement of the UWI/DSPM would result in the establishment of a strong institutional working relationship with the MOHEC. Both institutions are anxious to create a formal linkage as well as active working contacts between their respective staffs. The GOJ also expects this relationship to improve its planning and design capabilities for future projects, and to result in a significant savings in the procurement of technical assistance for future work in the health sector. For these reasons, the mission and the GOJ have concluded that obtaining the services of the UWI/DSPM is critical to the success of the project, and have requested that competitive procedures be waived in order to award the contract on the basis of predominant capability.

Legal Authority: With respect to the procurement source waiver, A.I.D. Delegation of Authority 40 delegates to the Bureau's Assistant Administrator the authority to issue waivers of geographic codes for individual transactions up to \$500,000. A.I.D. Handbook 1 (Supp. B, Ch. 5C4A) provides that a waiver of geographic code with respect to suppliers of services may be based upon "...circumstances as are determined to be critical to the success of project objectives." USAID/J and the GOJ have made such a determination with respect to the involvement of the UWI/DSPM in provision of the required contract services.

With respect to the waiver of competitive procedures to permit single-source negotiation and contract award based on predominant capability, the Bureau's Assistant Administrator is authorized to approve waivers, in consultation with the SER Bureau, for transactions up to \$500,000. The criteria which justify such waivers are set forth in A.I.D. Handbook 1, ~~Supp. B, and Handbook 11.~~ Specifically, this waiver request is justified on the grounds that the UWI/DSPM has a unique capability, as described above, to provide the services now required by the project (see Handbook 1, Supp. B, Ch. 12C4C(5); Handbook 11, Ch. 2.4.2(d)). Consultation with the SER Bureau has taken place and it agrees that the USAID/J request for these two waivers is justified (see clearance).

Recommendation: That you approve the requested procurement source waiver and negotiation with the UWI/DSPM for a contract to be awarded on the basis of predominant capability.

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

*Edward W. Coy*

DISAPPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

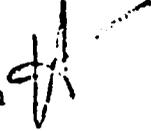
*May 7, 1979*

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

# Memorandum

TO : Action Memorandum For The  
Mission Director, USAID/Jamaica

DATE: June 7, 1979

FROM : Area Contracting Officer, R.E. Gibson 

SUBJECT: Waiver of Host Country Contracting Mode

Problem: Approval of waiver of host country contracting mode to permit direct AID contract with the Department of Social and Preventive Medicine (DSPM)/UWI.

- (a) Authorizing Documents: Project No. 532-0040, Project Agreement Nos. 76-4 and 79-4.
- (b) Project: Health Improvement for Young Children
- (c) Nature of Funding: Development Grant
- (d) Approximate Value of Contract: \$95,000

Background:

USAID/Jamaica is preparing to contract with the Department of Social and Preventive Medicine (DSPM)/UWI to perform services under the Health Improvement for Young Children Project (532-0040). Authority to enter into this contract is contained in the attached Action Memorandum to AA/LAC dated May 4, 1979.

The preferred method of contracting in A.I.D. is the host country mode as per attached airgram A-564 dated 10/27/76. The airgram also stipulates that the USAID Director may make a determination when circumstances warrant an exception to the country contracting policy.

It is recommended that you approve a direct AID contract with DSPM/UWI for the following reasons:

- (a) It is felt that MOHEC has insufficient experience and competence in institutional contracting methods.
- (b) It is essential that the contract be awarded at the earliest possible time and it is felt that MOHEC has neither the expertise nor the time to award in a timely manner.



- (c) It is felt that MOHEC does not have an efficient and experienced administrative staff to properly administer an institutional contract.

If you approve this recommendation, you can be assured that appropriate staff of MOHEC will be involved in contract negotiations, preparation, and subsequent administration.

Recommendation: That you approve the recommended host country contracting mode waiver.

APPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

*Daniel W. Hines*

DISAPPROVED: \_\_\_\_\_

DATE: \_\_\_\_\_

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Attachments: a/s

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E. O. 12065: NA

SUBJECT: HEALTH: REQUET FOR TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE

1. MISSION AND MOHEC/GOJ WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR CABLING ASAP BIO-DATA AND AVAILABILITY OF EXPERTS IN THE DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT OF PRIMARY HEALTH CARE SERVICE DELIVERY PROJECTS WHO COULD CONSULT WITH THE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL & PREVENTIVE MEDICINE/UWI IN COLLABORATION WITH CORNWALL COUNTY HEALTH STAFF FOR ONE WEEK IN JULY BUT NOT AUGUST 15 ON THE DEVELOPMENT OF A TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE PROPOSAL UNDER THE HEALTH IMPROVEMENT FOR YOUNG CHILDREN PROJECT.

3. PLEASE ADVISE ALSO IF CENTRAL FUNDS ARE AVAILABLE FOR THIS PURPOSE.

LAWRENCE

*mark -  
I'm not sure,  
but I think we  
may have to call  
C. Gordon on this  
7/10/79 telephoned Linda →*

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E. O. 12065 N/A

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SUBJECT: CONTRACT AMENDMENTS FOR PROJECT NOS.  
532-0040 AND 532-0045

REF: CONVERSATION HAVERBERG/MASSEY 8/24/79

1. CRS OPG PROJ. NO. 532-0045 SIGNED 8/8/79.  
MISSION WILL RECEIVE CABLE FROM CONTRACT MANAGEMENT.
2. JHU PROJ. NO. 532-0045 SIGNED 8/24/79.  
MISSION TO RECEIVE EXECUTED DOCUMENTS BY POUCH. VANCE

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1. Cooperating Country

Jamaica

PIO/T

PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION  
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SERVICES

2. PIO/T No.  
532-0040-3-90019

3.  Original or  
Amendment No. 1

4. Project/Activity No. and Title  
532-0040  
Health Improvement for Young Children

DISTRIBUTION

5. Appropriation Symbol  
72-1191021-8

6. Allotment Symbol and Charge  
948-50-532-00-69-91

7. Obligation Status  
 Administrative Reservation  Implementing Document

8. Project Assistance Completion Date  
(Mo., Day, Yr.)

9. Authorized Agent  
USAID/Jamaica

10. This PIO/T is in full conformance with PRO/AG  
79-4 Date 6/15/79

11a. Type of Action and Governing AID Handbook  
 AID Contract (HB 14)  PASA/RSSA (HB 12)  AID Grant (HB 13)  Other

11b. Contract/Grant/PASA/RSSA  
Reference Number (if this is an  
Amendment)

12. Estimated Financing (A detailed budget in support of column (2) is attached as attachment no. \_\_\_\_\_)

Maximum AID Financing		(1) Previous Total	(2) Increase	(3) Decrease	(4) Total to Date
		A. Dollars	80,000		37,000
B. U.S.-Owned Local Currency					

13. Mission  
References

14a. Instructions to Authorized Agent  
  
See Page 1.

14b. Address of Voucher Paying Office

15. Clearances—Include typed name, office symbol, telephone number and date for all clearances.

A. The project officer certifies that the specifications in the statement of work are technically adequate	Phone No.	B. The statement of work lies within the purview of the initiating and approved agency programs	Date
	Date		
C.	Date	D. Funds for the services requested are available	
E.	Date		
16. For the cooperating country: The terms and conditions set forth herein are hereby agreed to		17. For the Agency for International Development	
Signature _____ Date _____		Signature _____ Date _____	
Title _____		Title _____	

PART IV - SCHEDULE I

Training Unit Cornwall  
County Health Office

GOJ

AID

18 M/M Curriculum/training Specialist (Primary Care)		\$ 97,500.00
20 M/M P.H.N. tutor (CHT Curriculum)	\$ 15,000	
30 M/M P.H.N. Training Coordinator	22,500	

Functional Analysis

6 M/M Functional Analysis Consultant		20,000.00
4 Round trips		1,100.00
180 days per diem @ 40.00		7,200.00
12 M/M Field Supervisor		6,000.00
48 M/M 4 Interviewers		16,000.00
12 M/M Research Assistant		6,000.00
Forms and computer costs		3,000.00

Information Systems

10 M/M Information Systems Specialist		30,000.00
4 Round trips		1,100.00
300 days per diem @ 40.00		12,000.00

Management Systems

12 M/M Management Systems Specialist		30,000.00
4 Round trips		1,100.00
365 days per diem @ 40.00		11,600.00
36 M/M Cornwall County Project Director (Dr. D'Souza)	45,000	30,000.00

Long Term Training

1 Yr. Management Systems	300	8,000.00
1 Yr. Information Systems	300	8,000.00

Interim Supervisors

27 M/M 3 Medical Students	22,500	22,500.00
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2. PIO/T No. 532-0040-3-61075

3.  Original or  
Amendment No. 1

532-0040-3-90019

4. Project/Activity No. and Title 532-0040

Health Improvement for Young Children

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5. Appropriation Symbol

Multiple

6. Allotment Symbol and Charge

Multiple

7. Obligation Status

Administrative Reservation

Implementing Document

8. Project Assistance Completion Date  
(Mo., Day, Yr.)

12/31/80

9. Authorized Agent

USAID/Jamaica

10. This PIO/T is in full conformance with PRO/AG

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Date 6/29/76 + 6/15/79

11a. Type of Action and Governing AID Handbook

AID Contract  
(HB 14)

PASA/RSSA  
(HB 12)

AID Grant  
(HB 13)

Other

11b. Contract/Grant/PASA/RSSA  
Reference Number (if this is an  
Amendment)

N/A

12. Estimated Financing (A detailed budget in support of column (2) is attached as attachment no. \_\_\_\_\_)

Maximum AID Financing	A. Dollars	(1) Previous Total	(2) Increase	(3) Decrease	(4) Total to Date
		96,600			37,000
B. U.S.-Owned Local Currency					

13. Mission  
References

AA/LAC Action  
Memo dated  
5/4/79

ProAg 76-4  
ProAg 79-4

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letter  
August 23, 1979

14a. Instructions to Authorized Agent

The purpose of this amendment is to decrease funding to reflect the actual contract cost. The reduction should be reflected in PIO/T 532-0040-3-90019. All other conditions on these PIO/Ts remain the same.

14b. Address of Voucher Paying Office

15. Clearances—Include typed name, office symbol, telephone number and date for all clearances.

A. The project officer certifies that the specifications in the statement of work are technically adequate

Phone No.

B. The statement of work lies within the purview of the initiating and approved agency programs Date

H/N/P: TTiffany Cook *TC*

Date 1/11/80

PROG: HJohnson/ESzebest *HJ* 1/18/80

C.

Date 1/18/80

D. Funds for the services requested are available  
CONT: DDolley *MRD*

MGT: HBurleson *HB*

Date 1/18/80

ADIR: FMorris *FM*

16. For the cooperating country: The terms and conditions set forth herein are hereby agreed to

17. For the Agency for International Development

Signature N/A

Date

Signature Glenn O. Patterson

Date 1/18/80

Title Mission Director

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SCHEDULE II

Schedule of Technical Assistance

- 18 M/M Curriculum/Training Specialist
- 6 M/M Functional Analyses Consultant
- 12 M/M Field Supervisor
- 48 M/M 4 Interviewers
- 12 M/M Research Assistance
  - Forms and computer time
- 10 M/M Information Systems Specialist
- 12 M/M Management Systems Specialist
- 36 M/M Cornwall County Project Director
  - Salary topping-off (Dr. D'Souza)
- 24 M/M Long Term participant training
- 27 M/M Interim Supervisors (3 medical students @ 9 M/M ea.)
- 12 M/weeks Evaluation consultants
  - Misc. training equipment and office supplies

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E. O. 12065: N/A  
 SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF PACD: HEALTH IMPROVEMENT FOR YOUNG CHILDREN PROJECT NO 532-0040

1. MISSION REQUEST PERMISSION TO EXTEND PACD FOR SUBJECT PROJECT FROM DECEMBER 31, 1980 TO JUNE 30, 1981 ORIGINAL FINAL CONTRIBUTION DATE WAS DECEMBER 31, 1979 MISSION DIRECTOR HAD EXTENDED IT 12 MONTHS TO CURRENT PACD. THE ADDITIONAL SIX MONTHS HAS BEEN REQUESTED BY THE GOJ FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS AND THE MISSION SUPPORTS THE EXTENSION.

2. THE HEALTH IMPROVEMENT FOR YOUNG CHILDREN PROJECT WAS INTENDED TO COMPLEMENT A LARGE WORLD BANK LOAN FOR THE SECOND JAMAICAN POPULATION PROJECT (JPP II). THIS PROJECT WHICH WAS TO TERMINATE IN 1980 HAS ENCOUNTERED IMPLEMENTATION PROBLEMS AND AS A RESULT OF AN EVALUATION LAST JULY AN EXTENSION HAS BEEN PROPOSED. THE DELAYS IN JPP II HAVE HELD UP SOME OF THE ACTIVITIES FOR THE HEALTH IMPROVEMENT FOR YOUNG CHILDREN PROJECT. FOR EXAMPLE VEHICLES PROVIDED BY WORLD BANK LOAN DID NOT ARRIVE ON SCHEDULE, THUS CONSTRAINING THE IN SERVICE TRAINING COMPONENT. WITH AN EXTENSION OF SIX MONTHS. THIS IN SERVICE TRAINING COMPONENT COULD BE COMPLETED. THE ADDITIONAL SIX MONTHS WOULD PERMIT CORNWALL COUNTRY TO CONDUCT A WORKSHOP SEMINAR TO SHARE ITS EXPERIENCE WITH THE OTHER TWO COUNTRIES IN JAMAICA.

3. ONE OF THE METHODS SUPPORTED BY THE PROJECT TO PROMOTE IN SERVICE ON THE JOB TRAINING IS THE USE OF MEDICAL STUDENTS FROM THE UNIVERSITY OF THE WEST INDIES AS MEDICAL PRECEPTORS. UNDER THIS PROGRAM MEDICAL STUDENTS SPEND SIX WEEKS TO ONE YEAR IN CORNWALL COUNTRY PROVIDING MEDICAL BACK UP AND SUPERVISION TO COMMUNITY HEALTH AIDES AND OTHER HEALTH PERSONNEL WORKING IN RURAL COMMUNITIES. THESE ASSIGNMENTS HAVE BEEN A USEFUL EXPERIENCE FOR THE MEDICAL STUDENTS AS WELL AS VALUABLE ON THE JOB TRAINING FOR HEALTH WORKERS. THE PROGRAM HAS ALSO CREATED AN AWARENESS AMONG THE FUTURE DOCTORS OF CAREER OPPORTUNITIES IN THE PRIMARY HEALTH CARE SYSTEM THAT IS NOW BEING DEVELOPED. -5\*3 : 94, 2-)) : 97, 56 HEALTH ADMINISTRATION HAS DECIDED TO CONTINUE THE PROGRAM AT ITS OWN EXPENSE AFTER THE COMPLETION OF THE PROJECT. HOWEVER, FUNDS HAVE NOT BEEN BUDGETED FOR THE PROGRAM UNTIL THE BUDGET CYCLE FOR 1981 82. GOJ FUNDS THEREFORE WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE UNTIL JULY 1981. IF THE PROJECT IS EXTENDED TO JUNE 30, 1981 IT WILL NOT BE NECESSARY TO INTERRUPT THIS COMPONENT OF THE PROGRAM.

4. NO INCREASE IN FUNDS IS REQUIRED FOR THIS EXTENSION OF THE PROJECT.

5. REQUEST EARLY AID: W REAPONSE.  
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E.O. 12065: N/A  
SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF PACD: HEALTH IMPROVEMENT FOR YOUNG  
CHILDREN PROJECT NO 532-0040

1. MISSION REQUEST PERMISSION TO EXTEND PACD FOR SUBJECT PRO  
JECT FROM DECEMBER 31, 1980 TO JUNE 30, 1981 ORIGINAL FINAL  
CONTRIBUTION DATE WAS DECEMBER 31, 1979 MISSION DIRECTOR HAD  
EXTENDED IT 12 MONTHS TO CURRENT PACD. THE ADDITIONAL SIX  
MONTHS HAS BEEN REQUESTED BY THE GOJ FOR THE FOLLOWING REASONS  
AND THE MISSION SUPPORTS THE EXTENSION.

2. THE HEALTH IMPROVEMENT FOR YOUNG CHILDREN PROJECT WAS INTEN-  
DED TO COMPLEMENT A LARGE WORLD BANK LOAN FOR THE SECOND JAMAICAN  
POPULATION PROJECT (JPP11). THIS PROJECT WHICH WAS TO TERMINATE  
IN 1980 HAS ENCOUNTERED IMPLEMENTATION PROBLEMS AND AS A RESULT  
OF AN EVALUATION LAST JULY AN EXTENSION HAS BEEN PROPOSED. THE  
DELAYS IN JPP 11 HAVE HELD UP SOME OF THE ACTIVITIES FOR THE  
HEALTH IMPROVEMENT FOR YOUNG CHILDREN PROJECT. FOR EXAMPLE  
VEHICLES PROVIDED BY WORLD BANK LOAN DID NOT ARRIVE ON SCHE-  
DULE, THUS CONSTRAINING THE IN SERVICE TRAINING COMPONENT. WITH  
AN EXTENSION OF SIX MONTHS. THIS IN SERVICE TRAINING COMPONENT  
COULD BE COMPLETED. THE ADDITIONAL SIX MONTHS WOULD PERMIT  
CORNWALL COUNTRY TO CONDUCT A WORKSHOP SEMINAR TO SHARE ITS EXPER-  
IENCE WITH THE OTHER TWO COUNTRIES IN JAMAICA.

3. ONE OF THE METHODS SUPPORTED BY THE PROJECT TO PROMOTE IN  
SERVICE ON THE JOB TRAINING IS THE USE OF MEDICAL STUDENTS FROM  
THE UNIVERSITY OF THE WEST INDIES AS MEDICAL PRECEPTORS. UNDER  
THIS PROGRAM MEDICAL STUDENTS SPEND SIX WEEKS TO ONE YEAR  
IN CORNWALL COUNTRY PROVIDING MEDICAL BACK UP AND SUPERVISION TO  
COMMUNITY HEALTH AIDES AND OTHER HEALTH PERSONNEL WORKING IN  
RURAL COMMUNITIES. THESE ASSIGNMENTS HAVE BEEN A USEFUL  
EXPERIENCE FOR THE MEDICAL STUDENTS AS WELL AS VALUABLE ON THE JOB  
TRAINING FOR HEALTH WORKERS. THE PROGRAM HAS ALSO CREATED AN  
AWARENESS AMONG THE FUTURE DOCTORS OF CAREER OPPORTUNITIES IN THE  
PRIMARY HEALTH CARE SYSTEM THAT IS NOW BEING DEVELOPED. THE  
CORNWALL COUNTY HEALTH ADMINISTRATION HAS DECIDED TO CONTINUE THE  
PROGRAM AT ITS OWN EXPENSE AFTER THE COMPLETION OF THE PROJECT.  
HOWEVER, FUNDS HAVE NOT BEEN BUDGETED FOR THE PROGRAM UNTIL THE  
BUDGET CYCLE FOR 1981-82. GOJ FUNDS THEREFORE WILL NOT BE AVAIL-  
ABLE UNTIL JULY 1981. IF THE PROJECT IS EXTENDED TO JUNE 30,  
1981 IT WILL NOT BE NECESSARY TO INTERRUPT THIS COMPONENT OF  
THE PROGRAM.

4. NO INCREASE IN FUNDS IS REQUIRED FOR THIS EXTENSION OF THE  
PROJECT.

5. REQUEST EARLY AID:W RESPONSE.  
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FOR: MARSHALL BROWN, LAC/DR

EO 12065: N/A  
SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF PACD: HEALTH IMPROVEMENT FOR YOUNG  
CHILDREN PROJECT NO. 532-0040.

REF: KINGSTON 8160

1. IMPERATIVE THAT AID/W RESPOND TO REFTEL IMMEDIATELY IN ORDER  
TO AVOID LAPSE OF SUBJECT PROJECT ON DEC. 31, 1980.

2. ORIGINAL REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF PACD CONTAINED IN REFTEL  
AND SUBSEQUENT TELCONS BETWEEN MISSION AND AID/W HAVE PRODUCED  
ONLY VERBAL ASSURANCES FROM AID/W THAT APPROVAL FOR EXTENSION  
IS IN PROCESS. MISSION'S CREDIBILITY AND EFFECTIVENESS WITH  
MINISTRY OF HEALTH WILL BE SERIOUSLY JEOPARDIZED IF AID/W  
FAILS TO RESPOND AS PROMISED.  
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SUBJECT: REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF PACD: HEALTH IMPROVEMENT  
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E. O. 12065: N/A  
SUBJECT: ATLANTA, GEORGIA/MONTEGO BAY, JAMAICA IN SERVICE NURSES  
TRAINING PROGRAM.

REF: STATE 019672

1. MISSION CONCURS WITH RETURN VISIT REQUESTED IN REFTEL.  
CORNWALL COUNTY HEALTH OFFICIALS HAVE MADE POSITIVE REPORT. ONE  
IN SERVICE TRAINING PROVIDED IN LAST YEAR'S VISIT. WORKSHOP  
COMPLEMENT WORK BEING PERFORMED UNDER MISSION'S HEALTH  
IMPROVEMENT FOR YOUNG CHILDREN PROJECT (0040) MISSION HAS AGREED WITH  
DR. WINT, CORNWALL COUNTY HEALTH ADMINISTRATOR TO PAY CERTAIN  
LOCAL EXPENSES OUT OF THE PROJECT WHICH WILL ALLOW HEALTH CARE  
PERSONNEL TO ATTEND WORKSHOP

2. REQUEST THAT HAINES AND SULTENFUSS CONTACT GARY COOK AT  
USAID SOMETIME EARLY IN THEIR VISIT.  
HAVERKAMP