# § 300w–7. Nondiscrimination provisions

# (a) Programs and activities receiving Federal financial assistance

(1) For the purpose of applying the prohibitions against discrimination on the basis of age under the Age Discrimination Act of 1975 [42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.], on the basis of handicap under section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 [29 U.S.C. 794], on the basis of sex under title IX of the Education Amendments of 1972 [20 U.S.C. 1681 et seq.], or on the basis of race, color, or national origin under title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 [42 U.S.C. 2000d et seq.], programs and activities funded in whole or in part with funds made available under this part are considered to be programs and activities receiving Federal financial assistance.

(2) No person shall on the ground of sex or religion be excluded from participation in, be denied the benefits of, or be subjected to discrimination under, any program or activity funded in whole or in part with funds made available under this part.

# (b) Failure to comply

Whenever the Secretary finds that a State, or an entity that has received a payment from an allotment to a State under section 300w-1 of this title, has failed to comply with a provision of law referred to in subsection (a)(1) of this section, with subsection (a)(2) of this section, or with an applicable regulation (including one prescribed to carry out subsection (a)(2) of this section), the Secretary shall notify the chief executive officer of the State and shall request him to secure compliance. If within a reasonable period of time, not to exceed sixty days, the chief executive officer fails or refuses to secure compliance, the Secretary may—

(1) refer the matter to the Attorney General with a recommendation that an appropriate civil action be instituted,

(2) exercise the powers and functions provided by title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 [42 U.S.C. 2000d et seq.], the Age Discrimination Act of 1975 [42 U.S.C. 6101 et seq.], or section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973 [29 U.S.C. 794], as may be applicable, or

(3) take such other action as may be provided by law.

#### (c) Civil actions by Attorney General

When a matter is referred to the Attorney General pursuant to subsection (b)(1) of this section, or whenever he has reason to believe that a State or an entity is engaged in a pattern or practice in violation of a provision of law referred to in subsection (a)(1) of this section or in violation of subsection (a)(2) of this section, the Attorney General may bring a civil action in any appropriate district court of the United States for such relief as may be appropriate, including injunctive relief.

(July 1, 1944, ch. 373, title XIX, §1908, as added Pub. L. 97-35, title IX, §901, Aug. 13, 1981, 95 Stat. 542.)

### References in Text

The Age Discrimination Act of 1975, referred to in subsecs. (a)(1) and (b)(2), is title III of Pub. L. 94-135, Nov. 28, 1975, 89 Stat. 728, as amended, which is classified generally to chapter 76 (§6101 et seq.) of this title. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 6101 of this title and Tables.

The Education Amendments of 1972, referred to in subsec. (a)(1), is Pub. L. 92-318, June 23, 1972, 86 Stat. 235, as amended. Title IX of the Act, known as the Patsy Takemoto Mink Equal Opportunity in Education Act, is classified principally to chapter 38 (§1681 et seq.) of Title 20, Education. For complete classification of title IX to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 1681 of Title 20 and Tables.

The Civil Rights Act of 1964, referred to in subsecs. (a)(1) and (b)(2), is Pub. L. 88-352, July 2, 1964, 78 Stat. 241, as amended. Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964 is classified generally to subchapter V (§2000d et seq.) of chapter 21 of this title. For complete classification of this Act to the Code, see Short Title note set out under section 2000a of this title and Tables.

# §300w-8. Criminal penalty for false statements

Whoever-

(1) knowingly and willfully makes or causes to be made any false statement or representation of a material fact in connection with the furnishing of items or services for which payment may be made by a State from funds allotted to the State under this part, or

(2) having knowledge of the occurrence of any event affecting his initial or continued right to any such payment conceals or fails to disclose such event with an intent fraudulently to secure such payment either in a greater amount than is due or when no such payment is authorized,

shall be fined not more than \$25,000 or imprisoned for not more than five years, or both.

(July 1, 1944, ch. 373, title XIX, §1909, as added Pub. L. 97-35, title IX, §901, Aug. 13, 1981, 95 Stat. 542.)

# § 300w-9. Emergency medical services for children

# (a) Grant authority

For activities in addition to the activities which may be carried out by States under section  $300w-3(a)(1)(F)^1$  of this title, the Secretary may make grants to States or accredited schools of medicine in States to support a program of demonstration projects for the expansion and improvement of emergency medical services for children who need treatment for trauma or critical care. Any grant made under this subsection shall be for not more than a 4year period (with an optional 5th year based on performance), subject to annual evaluation by the Secretary. Only 3 grants under this subsection may be made in a State (to a State or to a school of medicine in such State) in any fiscal year.

## (b) Renewals

The Secretary may renew a grant made under subsection (a) of this section for one additional one-year period only if the Secretary determines that renewal of such grant will provide significant benefits through the collection, analysis, and dissemination of information or data which will be useful to States in which grants under such subsection have not been made.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>See References in Text note below.

## (c) Definitions

For purposes of this section—

(1) the term "school of medicine" has the same meaning as in section  $292a(4)^1$  of this title; and

(2) the term "accredited" has the same meaning as in section  $292a(5)^1$  of this title.

## (d) Authorization of appropriations

To carry out this section, there are authorized to be appropriated \$2,000,000 for fiscal year 1985 and for each of the two succeeding fiscal years, \$3,000,000 for fiscal year 1989, \$4,000,000 for fiscal year 1990, \$5,000,000 for each of the fiscal years 1991 and 1992, such sums as may be necessary for each of the fiscal years 1993 through 2005, \$25,000,000 for fiscal year 2010, \$26,250,000 for fiscal year 2011, \$27,562,500 for fiscal year 2012, \$28,940,625 for fiscal year 2013, and \$30,387,656 for fiscal year 2014.

(July 1, 1944, ch. 373, title XIX, §1910, as added Pub. L. 98-555, §7, Oct. 30, 1984, 98 Stat. 2856; amended Pub. L. 99-272, title XVII, §17004, Apr. 7, 1986, 100 Stat. 360; Pub. L. 100-607, title III, §302, Nov. 4, 1988, 102 Stat. 3112; Pub. L. 101-590, §5, Nov. 16, 1990, 104 Stat. 2928; Pub. L. 102-410, §11, Oct. 13, 1992, 106 Stat. 2101; Pub. L. 105-392, title IV, §415, Nov. 13, 1998, 112 Stat. 3590; Pub. L. 111-148, title V, §5603, Mar. 23, 2010, 124 Stat. 679.)

#### References in Text

Section 300w-3(a)(1) of this title, referred to in subsec. (a), was amended generally by Pub. L. 102-531, title I, §102(a), Oct. 27, 1992, 106 Stat. 3470, and, as so amended, provisions formerly appearing in subpar. (F) are contained in subpar. (C).

Section 292a of this title, referred to in subsec. (c), was in the original a reference to section 701 of act July 1, 1944. Section 701 of that Act was omitted in the general revision of subchapter V of this chapter by Pub. L. 102-408, title I, §102, Oct. 13, 1992, 106 Stat. 1994. Pub. L. 102-408 enacted a new section 701 of act July 1, 1944, relating to statement of purpose, and a new section 702, relating to scope and duration of loan insurance program, which are classified to sections 292 and 292a, respectively, of this title. For provisions relating to definitions, see section 295p of this title.

#### AMENDMENTS

2010—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 111–148, 5603(1), substituted "4-year period (with an optional 5th year" for "3-year period (with an optional 4th year"

Subsec. (d). Pub. L. 111-148, §5603(2), substituted "such sums" for "and such sums" and inserted ", \$25,000,000 for fiscal year 2010, \$26,250,000 for fiscal year 2011, \$27,562,500 for fiscal year 2012, \$28,940,625 for fiscal year 2013, and \$30,387,656 for fiscal year 2014" before period at end.

1998—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 105-392. §415(1). substituted "3-year period (with an optional 4th year based on per-formance)" for "two-year period" and "3 grants" for "one grant"

Subsec. (d). Pub. L. 105-392, §415(2), substituted "2005" for "1997"

1992—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 102-410, §11(1), substituted "grants" for "not more than four grants in any fiscal year" after "Secretary may make" in first sentence.

Subsec. (d). Pub. L. 102-410, \$11(2), substituted "\$5,000,000" for "and \$5,000,000" and inserted before period ", and such sums as may be necessary for each of the fiscal years 1993 through 1997".

1990—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 101–590, §5(1)(A), which directed the substitution of "grants" for "not more that four grants in any fiscal year" could not be executed because the language to be stricken did not appear in text

Pub. L. 101-590, §5(1)(B), struck out "in such States"

after "demonstration projects" in first sentence. Subsec. (d). Pub. L. 101-590, §5(2), substituted "each of the fiscal years 1991 and 1992" for "fiscal year 1991".

1988—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 100–607, §302(a), substituted "shall be for not more than a two-year period, subject to annual evaluation by the Secretary" for "shall be

for a one-year period". Subsec. (d). Pub. L. 100-607, §302(b), inserted ", \$3,000,000 for fiscal year 1989, \$4,000,000 for fiscal year 1990, and \$5,000,000 for fiscal year 1991" before period at end.

1986—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 99–272, §17004(1), which directed substitution of "not more than four grants in any fiscal year to States or accredited schools of mediin any fiscal year" was made by substituting former phrase for "grants to not more than four States in any fiscal year", as the probable intent of Congress.

Pub. L. 99-272, §17004(2), inserted at end "Only one grant under this subsection may be made in a State (to a State or to a school of medicine in such State) in any fiscal year.'

Subsec. (b). Pub. L. 99-272, §17004(3), substituted "States in which grants under such subsection have not

been made" for "other States". Subsecs. (c), (d). Pub. L. 99-272, §17004(4), (5), added subsec. (c) and redesignated former subsec. (c) as (d).

### §300w-10. Repealed. Pub. L. 106-386, div. B, title IV, §1401(b), Oct. 28, 2000, 114 Stat. 1513

Section, act July 1, 1944, ch. 373, title XIX, §1910A, as added Pub. L. 103-322, title IV, §40151, Sept. 13, 1994, 108 Stat. 1920, related to use of allotments for rape prevention education. See section 280b-1b of this title.

A prior section 300w-10, act July 1, 1944, ch. 373, title XIX, §1910A, as added Oct. 30, 1984, Pub. L. 98-555, §8, 98 Stat. 2856, related to State planning grants, prior to repeal by Pub. L. 100-607, title III, §303, Nov. 4, 1988, 102 Stat. 3112.

## PART B-BLOCK GRANTS REGARDING MENTAL HEALTH AND SUBSTANCE ABUSE

SUBPART I-BLOCK GRANTS FOR COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES

# §300x. Formula grants to States

## (a) In general

For the purpose described in subsection (b) of this section, the Secretary, acting through the Director of the Center for Mental Health Services, shall make an allotment each fiscal year for each State in an amount determined in accordance with section 300x-7 of this title. The Secretary shall make a grant to the State of the allotment made for the State for the fiscal year if the State submits to the Secretary an application in accordance with section 300x-6 of this title.

### (b) Purpose of grants

A funding agreement for a grant under subsection (a) of this section is that, subject to section 300x-5 of this title, the State involved will expend the grant only for the purpose of-

(1) carrying out the plan submitted under section 300x-1(a) of this title by the State for the fiscal year involved;

(2) evaluating programs and services carried out under the plan; and

(3) planning, administration, and educational activities related to providing services under the plan.

(July 1, 1944, ch. 373, title XIX, §1911, as added Pub. L. 102-321, title II, §201(2), July 10, 1992, 106 Stat. 378.)