

(c) Cost of annual private audit

The Secretary shall allow as a cost of any contract or grant entered into under section 1653 of this title the cost of an annual private audit conducted by a certified public accountant.

(d) Health status, services, and areas of unmet needs; child welfare

(1) The Secretary, acting through the Service, shall submit a report to the Congress not later than March 31, 1992, evaluating—

(A) the health status of urban Indians;

(B) the services provided to Indians through this subchapter;

(C) areas of unmet needs in urban areas served under this subchapter; and

(D) areas of unmet needs in urban areas not served under this subchapter.

(2) In preparing the report under paragraph (1), the Secretary shall consult with urban Indian health providers and may contract with a national organization representing urban Indian health concerns to conduct any aspect of the report.

(3) The Secretary and the Secretary of the Interior shall—

(A) assess the status of the welfare of urban Indian children, including the volume of child protection cases, the prevalence of child sexual abuse, and the extent of urban Indian coordination with tribal authorities with respect to child sexual abuse; and

(B) submit a report on the assessment required under subparagraph (A), together with recommended legislation to improve Indian child protection in urban Indian populations, to the Congress no later than March 31, 1992.

(Pub. L. 94-437, title V, § 507, as added Pub. L. 100-713, title V, § 501, Nov. 23, 1988, 102 Stat. 4823; amended Pub. L. 101-630, title V, § 507, Nov. 28, 1990, 104 Stat. 4566; Pub. L. 102-573, title V, § 501(b)(5), Oct. 29, 1992, 106 Stat. 4568.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 1657, Pub. L. 94-437, title V, § 507, Sept. 30, 1976, 90 Stat. 1412; Pub. L. 96-537, § 7, Dec. 17, 1980, 94 Stat. 3179, related to review of program by Secretary and report to Congress, prior to the general revision of this subchapter by Pub. L. 100-713.

AMENDMENTS

1992—Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 102-573, § 501(b)(5)(A), inserted “, or a grant received,” after “entered into” in introductory provisions and “or grant” after “contract” in pars. (1) and (2).

Subsecs. (b), (c). Pub. L. 102-573, § 501(b)(5)(B), inserted “or grant” after “contract”.

1990—Subsec. (d). Pub. L. 101-630 added subsec. (d).

§ 1658. Limitation on contract authority

The authority of the Secretary to enter into contracts under this subchapter shall be to the extent, and in an amount, provided for in appropriation Acts.

(Pub. L. 94-437, title V, § 508, as added Pub. L. 100-713, title V, § 501, Nov. 23, 1988, 102 Stat. 4824.)

PRIOR PROVISIONS

A prior section 1658, Pub. L. 94-437, title V, § 508, Sept. 30, 1976, 90 Stat. 1412, provided that not to exceed 1 per centum of the amounts authorized by section 1656 of

this title be available for not to exceed two pilot projects providing outreach services to eligible Indians residing in rural communities near Indian reservations, prior to the general revision of this subchapter by Pub. L. 96-537, § 7, Dec. 17, 1980, 94 Stat. 3176.

§ 1659. Facilities renovation

The Secretary may make funds available to contractors or grant recipients under this subchapter for minor renovations to facilities or construction or expansion of facilities, including leased facilities, to assist such contractors or grant recipients in meeting or maintaining the Joint Commission for Accreditation of Health Care Organizations (JCAHO) standards.

(Pub. L. 94-437, title V, § 509, formerly § 409, as added Pub. L. 101-630, title V, § 506(c), Nov. 28, 1990, 104 Stat. 4566; renumbered § 509 and amended Pub. L. 102-573, title V, §§ 501(b)(6), 505(b)(2), title IX, § 902(5)(A), Oct. 29, 1992, 106 Stat. 4569, 4571, 4591; Pub. L. 111-148, title X, § 10221(a), Mar. 23, 2010, 124 Stat. 935.)

CODIFICATION

Amendment by Pub. L. 111-148 is based on section 161 of title I of S. 1790, One Hundred Eleventh Congress, as reported by the Committee on Indian Affairs of the Senate in Dec. 2009, which was enacted into law by section 10221(a) of Pub. L. 111-148.

AMENDMENTS

2010—Pub. L. 111-148 inserted “or construction or expansion of facilities” after “renovations to facilities”.
1992—Pub. L. 102-573, § 902(5)(A), made technical amendment to section catchline.

Pub. L. 102-573, § 505(b)(2), struck out last sentence which authorized appropriation of \$1,000,000 for fiscal year 1992 to carry out this section.

Pub. L. 102-573, § 501(b)(6), inserted “or grant recipients” after “contractors” in two places.

§ 1660. Urban Health Programs Branch**(a) Establishment**

There is hereby established within the Service a Branch of Urban Health Programs which shall be responsible for carrying out the provisions of this subchapter and for providing central oversight of the programs and services authorized under this subchapter.

(b) Staff, services, and equipment

The Secretary shall appoint such employees to work in the branch, including a program director, and shall provide such services and equipment, as may be necessary for it to carry out its responsibilities. The Secretary shall also analyze the need to provide at least one urban health program analyst for each area office of the Indian Health Service and shall submit his findings to the Congress as a part of the Department's fiscal year 1993 budget request.

(Pub. L. 94-437, title V, § 510, formerly § 511, as added Pub. L. 101-630, title V, § 508, Nov. 28, 1990, 104 Stat. 4567; renumbered § 510 and amended Pub. L. 102-573, title V, § 501(b)(7), title IX, § 902(5)(B), Oct. 29, 1992, 106 Stat. 4569, 4591.)

AMENDMENTS

1992—Pub. L. 102-573, § 902(5)(B), made technical amendment to section catchline.

Subsec. (a). Pub. L. 102-573, § 501(b)(7), inserted “and for providing central oversight of the programs and