

**Administration on Aging
And
Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services**

Aging and Disability Resource Center Grant Program

Organizational Name: Kentucky Cabinet for Health and Family Services

Project Title: Kentucky Aging and Disability Resource Center

Total Project Period: 9/30/2005 – 9/30/2008

Total Award Amount: \$800,000

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Project's Overall Design:

Kentucky will establish an ADRC pilot at the Northern Kentucky Area Agency on Aging (NKADD). This ideal location, servicing both rural and urban consumers, has an established collaborative relationship with the local Independent Living Centers, the faith based community, United Way and mental health and mental retardation providers. The resource center will provide consumers with web-based information and referral resources, and collaborate with the Real Choice Systems Change grantee to provide a seamless system for clients to access both private and public long-term care sources of support. The supportive services this ADRC will provide include housing, employment, and eligibility and determination assessments.

Target Population:

- Year One – Persons 60 and older
- Year Two & Three – Persons 60, adults with MR and other target populations

Anticipated Outcomes:

- Clients experience seamless access to all long term support services
- 80% of all agencies who provide long term support services have the opportunity to assist in the design of the ADRC
- Timeline targets are met
- Information technology systems support the functions of the ADRC
- ADRC is in place by fourth quarter of the first year to serve aging clients and those with mental retardation in the first quarter of year two

Involvement of Stakeholders and Community Based Organizations:

Advisory Committee and partners: consumer advocates; Division of Aging Services (DAS); Division of Mental Retardation/Developmental Disabilities Services (DMR/DD) in the Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation Services (DMH/MRS); the Department for Medicaid Services (DMS); Real Choice Systems Change grantee; Arc of

Kentucky; Kentucky Home Health Association; Kentucky Homes and Services for the Aging; AARP; Center for Accessible Living; Brain Injury Unit; and Division of Protection and Permanency