Grant Title: KNOWLEDGE DISSEMINATION CONFERENCE GRANTS PROGRAM ANNOUNCEMENT

Funding Opportunity Number: CFDA Number(s) - 93.243; Funding Opportunity Number - OA-08-002.

Agency/Department: Department of Health and Human Services, Substance Abuse & Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA).

Area of Research: Disseminate knowledge about practices within the mental health services and substance abuse prevention and treatment fields and to integrate that knowledge into real-world practice as effectively and efficiently as possible.

Release and Expiration: October 28, 2008 release; No expiration given.

Application Deadline: March 31 and September 30 annually.

Amount: Up to $50,000 per year; 2-5 awards.

Length of Support: Up to one year.

Eligible Applicants: Eligible applicants are domestic public and private nonprofit entities. For example, State and local governments; federally recognized tribes; State recognized tribes, urban Indian organizations (as defined in P.L. 94-437, as amended); public or private universities and colleges; professional associations, voluntary organizations, self-help groups, consumer and provider services-oriented constituency groups; community and faith-based organizations; and tribal organizations may apply. Individuals are not eligible to receive grant support for a conference.

Summary: The Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration (SAMHSA) announces SAMHSA's Knowledge Dissemination Conference Grants program (also referred to as SAMHSA Conference Grants). The purpose of the Conference Grant program is to disseminate knowledge about practices within the mental health services and substance abuse prevention and treatment fields and to integrate that knowledge into real-world practice as effectively and efficiently as possible. It is not the practice of SAMHSA to provide total support for planned meetings and conferences. The maximum Conference Grant award is $50,000 for a 12-month project period. Only direct costs will be funded under this program. Not all SAMHSA's Centers will be awarding Conference Grants in any given year.