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COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTERS

Community health centers, supported by the Bureau of Primary Health Care, HRSA, ensure access to preventive and primary health services for underserved and uninsured populations. While charges are set according to income, fees are not collected from the poorest clients. Recently, more funds have been awarded to help communities establish new health center sites as well as expand existing oral, mental, substance abuse, and pharmaceutical services for rural and inner city populations.

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ECSTASY (MDMA) USE AND ITS EFFECTS ON THE BRAIN

Although the recreational use of ecstasy (MDMA) has risen in the teen and young adult population, little is known about its long-term effects on the brain. Animal studies have shown that MDMA has neurotoxic effects, but questions remain whether the neurobehavioral deficits seen in MDMA users are due to MDMA only. Human studies have been hampered by the fact that other drugs are often sold as MDMA, and MDMA users also tend to use other drugs of abuse. An ongoing NIDA-sponsored study is using measures of impulsivity and functional magnetic resonance imaging to determine three queries: What are the specific effects of MDMA use on mood, impulsivity, memory, and brain function? How are these deficits related to quantity and frequency of MDMA use? And, are these deficits related to serotonin function in MDMA users?

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Stroke is defined as an interruption of the blood supply to any part of the brain, resulting in damaged brain tissue. A recent study funded by AHRQ found that blacks are twice as likely as whites to suffer strokes. Additional findings indicate that elderly blacks on average are 6% more likely to die than elderly whites within 3 years after a stroke. In comparison to white stroke patients, blacks have a much higher prevalence of hypertension, diabetes, and history of stroke prior to hospitalization and disability.

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Rheumatoid arthritis (RA) is a chronic inflammatory disease of unknown cause that affects over 2 million adults in the U.S. It primarily affects the joints and surrounding tissue, resulting in pain, stiffness, swelling, deformity, and eventually, loss of function in the joints. Because there is no known cure or means of preventing RA, treatment with disease-modifying anti-rheumatic agents are recommended to limit the degree of irreversible joint damage. NCHS has published data on RA in *Healthy People 2010*.

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Mental health disorders are no less common in rural areas than in cities but rural residents are less likely to have access to mental health services. Poverty, lack of insurance, lack of qualified mental health professionals, isolation, and long distances to treatment provide significant barriers to mental health care. In addition, the culture and traditions of rural populations militate against receiving such care. The introduction of telepsychiatry, the delivery of mental health services over a distance, offers a solution. As an alternative to face-to-face contact, telepsychiatry can improve access to mental health services for rural populations by using telecommunications and information technology to provide mental health screening, diagnosis, consultation, and treatment. NIMH is currently funding research on the effectiveness of telepsychiatry on the diagnosis and treatment of mental disorders in rural populations.

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This fifth edition, published in large print, provides information to help elders, family members, and other caregivers locate appropriate services. In addition to providing information on organizations, publications, tapes, and assistive devices, chapters that deal with specific disabilities or conditions contain information on causes and treatments, psychological aspects, professional service providers, where to find services, environmental adaptations, and suggestions for everyday safer living. Information on the following conditions is included:

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