

Dr. FRANKEL. This determination will be made locally and not by us here and I am not sure just exactly what criteria will be used but definitely family size as against income will be one of the criteria. Actual health needs will be another, and desire for service will be still another, I am sure. The program as I have said is capable of enlargement so that this thousand is not a rigid figure that must be adhered to.

Mrs. GREEN. What is the Federal appropriation for this?

Dr. FRANKEL. Something over \$800,000.

Mr. BAKER. \$813,058.

Mrs. GREEN (presiding). How much will you expand it to? I am interested.

Mr. BAKER. That depends on Congress.

Mrs. GREEN. Is there going to be a controlled group so that you can measure the results here with another group of 1,000?

Dr. FRANKEL. No, in that sense it is not a controlled program. However, they will be compared very carefully. Kaiser has a public health service grant so that there will be comparison, Mrs. Green, with another at least thousand—I am not sure of the size of the sample—of the other recipients of Kaiser benefits not among the poor.

Mrs. GREEN. I can't pursue this further because of time limitations. I am sorry.

Mr. GOODELL. Thank you, Madam Chairman.

Let me ask this: First of all, as I understand it, in the authorization this fiscal year we have earmarked \$61 million for the health centers. Are you advocating a continuation of earmarking of this money?

Mr. SHRIVER. It is not actually earmarked because it is just a lump sum which we think represents what the community demand will be.

Mr. GOODELL. The law says \$61 million is authorized.

Mr. SHRIVER. That is for this fiscal year ending June 30.

Mr. GOODELL. That is right. What are you advocating for the coming fiscal year?

Mr. BERRY. \$60 million.

Mrs. GREEN. Will the gentleman yield?

I suggest we recess for a few minutes and then come back.

(Brief recess.)

Chairman PERKINS. The committee will come to order.

Mr. Steiger.

Mr. STEIGER. Thank you, Mr. Chairman. I, too, want to join in commending Dr. English and members of his staff for the work that they are doing.

Do you know whether or not you have a request from Menominee County for a neighborhood health center, Menominee County, Wis.?

Dr. FRANKEL. I don't believe so, sir. I don't think we have a request. I would have to check for sure but I don't believe so.

Mr. STEIGER. Do you know whether you have any requests from Wisconsin under this program?

Dr. FRANKEL. Yes, we have an indication of interest from both Madison and from Milwaukee.

Mr. STEIGER. I yield to the gentleman from Oregon.

Chairman PERKINS. Mr. Dellenback.

Mr. DELLENBACK. Thank you, Mr. Chairman.

I did have one line of questioning, Dr. English, that I would like to ask. I am impressed by this testimony as to this type of medical