

4048 ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITY ACT AMENDMENTS OF 1967

APPENDIX VIII.—DISTRIBUTION OF PARTICULAR SERVICES AMONG NEIGHBORHOOD CENTERS GROUPED BY SIZE CLASS

Centers grouped by size class	Educa- tion	Employ- ment	Hous- ing	Con- sumer services	Welfare services	Legal aid	Health services	Probate parole	Recre- ation	Informa- tion dispens- ion
Small center:										
1.....	X	X	-----	-----	X	-----	X	-----	-----	X
2.....	X	X	-----	-----	X	-----	X	-----	-----	-----
3.....	X	X	X	-----	X	-----	X	-----	X	-----
4.....	X	X	-----	X	X	-----	X	-----	X	-----
Subtotal.....	4	4	1	1	4	0	4	0	1	1
Medium center:										
1.....	X	X	X	-----	X	-----	X	-----	X	-----
2.....	X	X	X	-----	X	-----	X	-----	-----	-----
3.....	X	X	-----	-----	X	X	-----	-----	-----	X
4.....	X	X	-----	X	X	-----	X	-----	-----	-----
5.....	X	X	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	-----	X
Subtotal.....	4	4	2	1	3	1	2	1	1	2
Large center:										
1.....	X	X	X	-----	-----	-----	X	-----	-----	-----
2.....	X	X	X	-----	X	-----	X	-----	-----	-----
3.....	X	X	X	-----	X	-----	X	X	X	X
4.....	X	X	-----	-----	X	-----	X	-----	-----	-----
5.....	-----	X	X	-----	X	-----	X	-----	X	-----
6.....	-----	X	-----	-----	X	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
7.....	-----	X	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	X
8.....	-----	-----	-----	-----	X	-----	-----	-----	X	-----
9.....	-----	X	-----	-----	X	X	X	-----	X	-----
10.....	-----	X	-----	X	X	-----	X	-----	X	-----
11.....	-----	-----	X	X	X	X	-----	-----	-----	-----
Subtotal.....	4	9	4	2	7	2	5	1	5	2
Grand total.....	12	17	7	4	14	3	11	2	7	5

ATTACHMENT No. 1

DESCRIPTION AND EVALUATION OF NEIGHBORHOOD CENTERS FOR THE OFFICE OF
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(The conclusions and recommendations in this report are those of the Contractor and do not necessarily reflect the views of the Office of Economic Opportunity or any other agency of the United States Government.)

PREFACE

This is an Attachment to a Report which describes and evaluates neighborhood centers as an organizational feature of community action programs. The Report is concerned principally with analysis and interpretation of aggregated data obtained from field investigations at individual centers. This Attachment is for the reader interested in the descriptions of the individual centers composing the sample included in the research project. It provides him with data not available in the analytic Report, and it enables him to form judgments independent of those offered by the authors.

This Attachment contains a description of twenty neighborhood centers. These twenty centers are assumed to be a sample that is representative of the almost two hundred centers in operation. Included are center from every major geographic region of the country; centers in rural areas and in cities of different sizes; and centers representing different types of control, organization and operating philosophies.

The descriptions in this Attachment have been developed utilizing information from over 500 field interviews with concerned officials, staff and clients as well as other materials and personal observations. The descriptions have been presented in a fairly uniform format and concentrate on the factors considered to be most important to an understanding of neighborhood centers. Although these