

1 paragraph (A) and submit a report to the Con-
2 gress on the results of such study.

3 **SEC. 2953. PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY EDUCATION.**

4 Title V of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C. 701
5 et seq.), as amended by sections 2951 and 2952(c), is
6 amended by adding at the end the following:

7 **“SEC. 513. PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY EDUCATION.**

8 “(a) ALLOTMENTS TO STATES.—

9 “(1) AMOUNT.—

10 “(A) IN GENERAL.—For the purpose de-
11 scribed in subsection (b), subject to the suc-
12 ceeding provisions of this section, for each of
13 fiscal years 2010 through 2014, the Secretary
14 shall allot to each State an amount equal to the
15 product of—

16 “(i) the amount appropriated under
17 subsection (f) for the fiscal year and avail-
18 able for allotments to States after the ap-
19 plication of subsection (c); and

20 “(ii) the State youth population per-
21 centage determined under paragraph (2).

22 “(B) MINIMUM ALLOTMENT.—

23 “(i) IN GENERAL.—Each State allot-
24 ment under this paragraph for a fiscal
25 year shall be at least \$250,000.

1 “(ii) PRO RATA ADJUSTMENTS.—The
2 Secretary shall adjust on a pro rata basis
3 the amount of the State allotments deter-
4 mined under this paragraph for a fiscal
5 year to the extent necessary to comply with
6 clause (i).

7 “(C) APPLICATION REQUIRED TO ACCESS
8 ALLOTMENTS.—

9 “(i) IN GENERAL.—A State shall not
10 be paid from its allotment for a fiscal year
11 unless the State submits an application to
12 the Secretary for the fiscal year and the
13 Secretary approves the application (or re-
14 quires changes to the application that the
15 State satisfies) and meets such additional
16 requirements as the Secretary may specify.

17 “(ii) REQUIREMENTS.—The State ap-
18 plication shall contain an assurance that
19 the State has complied with the require-
20 ments of this section in preparing and sub-
21 mitting the application and shall include
22 the following as well as such additional in-
23 formation as the Secretary may require:

24 “(I) Based on data from the
25 Centers for Disease Control and Pre-

1 vention National Center for Health
2 Statistics, the most recent pregnancy
3 rates for the State for youth ages 10
4 to 14 and youth ages 15 to 19 for
5 which data are available, the most re-
6 cent birth rates for such youth popu-
7 lations in the State for which data are
8 available, and trends in those rates
9 for the most recently preceding 5-year
10 period for which such data are avail-
11 able.

12 “(II) State-established goals for
13 reducing the pregnancy rates and
14 birth rates for such youth populations.

15 “(III) A description of the
16 State’s plan for using the State allot-
17 ments provided under this section to
18 achieve such goals, especially among
19 youth populations that are the most
20 high-risk or vulnerable for pregnancies
21 or otherwise have special cir-
22 cumstances, including youth in foster
23 care, homeless youth, youth with HIV/
24 AIDS, pregnant youth who are under
25 21 years of age, mothers who are

1 under 21 years of age, and youth re-
2 siding in areas with high birth rates
3 for youth.

4 “(2) STATE YOUTH POPULATION PERCENT-
5 AGE.—

6 “(A) IN GENERAL.—For purposes of para-
7 graph (1)(A)(ii), the State youth population
8 percentage is, with respect to a State, the pro-
9 portion (expressed as a percentage) of—

10 “(i) the number of individuals who
11 have attained age 10 but not attained age
12 20 in the State; to

13 “(ii) the number of such individuals in
14 all States.

15 “(B) DETERMINATION OF NUMBER OF
16 YOUTH.—The number of individuals described
17 in clauses (i) and (ii) of subparagraph (A) in a
18 State shall be determined on the basis of the
19 most recent Bureau of the Census data.

20 “(3) AVAILABILITY OF STATE ALLOTMENTS.—
21 Subject to paragraph (4)(A), amounts allotted to a
22 State pursuant to this subsection for a fiscal year
23 shall remain available for expenditure by the State
24 through the end of the second succeeding fiscal year.

1 “(4) AUTHORITY TO AWARD GRANTS FROM
2 STATE ALLOTMENTS TO LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS AND
3 ENTITIES IN NONPARTICIPATING STATES.—

4 “(A) GRANTS FROM UNEXPENDED ALLOT-
5 MENTS.—If a State does not submit an applica-
6 tion under this section for fiscal year 2010 or
7 2011, the State shall no longer be eligible to
8 submit an application to receive funds from the
9 amounts allotted for the State for each of fiscal
10 years 2010 through 2014 and such amounts
11 shall be used by the Secretary to award grants
12 under this paragraph for each of fiscal years
13 2012 through 2014. The Secretary also shall
14 use any amounts from the allotments of States
15 that submit applications under this section for
16 a fiscal year that remain unexpended as of the
17 end of the period in which the allotments are
18 available for expenditure under paragraph (3)
19 for awarding grants under this paragraph.

20 “(B) 3-YEAR GRANTS.—

21 “(i) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary
22 shall solicit applications to award 3-year
23 grants in each of fiscal years 2012, 2013,
24 and 2014 to local organizations and enti-
25 ties to conduct, consistent with subsection

1 (b), programs and activities in States that
2 do not submit an application for an allot-
3 ment under this section for fiscal year
4 2010 or 2011.

5 “(ii) FAITH-BASED ORGANIZATIONS
6 OR CONSORTIA.—The Secretary may solicit
7 and award grants under this paragraph to
8 faith-based organizations or consortia.

9 “(C) EVALUATION.—An organization or
10 entity awarded a grant under this paragraph
11 shall agree to participate in a rigorous Federal
12 evaluation.

13 “(5) MAINTENANCE OF EFFORT.—No payment
14 shall be made to a State from the allotment deter-
15 mined for the State under this subsection or to a
16 local organization or entity awarded a grant under
17 paragraph (4), if the expenditure of non-federal
18 funds by the State, organization, or entity for activi-
19 ties, programs, or initiatives for which amounts from
20 allotments and grants under this subsection may be
21 expended is less than the amount expended by the
22 State, organization, or entity for such programs or
23 initiatives for fiscal year 2009.

24 “(6) DATA COLLECTION AND REPORTING.—A
25 State or local organization or entity receiving funds

1 under this section shall cooperate with such require-
2 ments relating to the collection of data and informa-
3 tion and reporting on outcomes regarding the pro-
4 grams and activities carried out with such funds, as
5 the Secretary shall specify.

6 “(b) PURPOSE.—

7 “(1) IN GENERAL.—The purpose of an allot-
8 ment under subsection (a)(1) to a State is to enable
9 the State (or, in the case of grants made under sub-
10 section (a)(4)(B), to enable a local organization or
11 entity) to carry out personal responsibility education
12 programs consistent with this subsection.

13 “(2) PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY EDUCATION
14 PROGRAMS.—

15 “(A) IN GENERAL.—In this section, the
16 term ‘personal responsibility education pro-
17 gram’ means a program that is designed to
18 educate adolescents on—

19 “(i) both abstinence and contraception
20 for the prevention of pregnancy and sexu-
21 ally transmitted infections, including HIV/
22 AIDS, consistent with the requirements of
23 subparagraph (B); and

1 “(ii) at least 3 of the adulthood prep-
2 aration subjects described in subparagraph
3 (C).

4 “(B) REQUIREMENTS.—The requirements
5 of this subparagraph are the following:

6 “(i) The program replicates evidence-
7 based effective programs or substantially
8 incorporates elements of effective programs
9 that have been proven on the basis of rig-
10 orous scientific research to change behav-
11 ior, which means delaying sexual activity,
12 increasing condom or contraceptive use for
13 sexually active youth, or reducing preg-
14 nancy among youth.

15 “(ii) The program is medically-accu-
16 rate and complete.

17 “(iii) The program includes activities
18 to educate youth who are sexually active
19 regarding responsible sexual behavior with
20 respect to both abstinence and the use of
21 contraception.

22 “(iv) The program places substantial
23 emphasis on both abstinence and contra-
24 ception for the prevention of pregnancy

1 among youth and sexually transmitted in-
2 fections.

3 “(v) The program provides age-appro-
4 priate information and activities.

5 “(vi) The information and activities
6 carried out under the program are pro-
7 vided in the cultural context that is most
8 appropriate for individuals in the par-
9 ticular population group to which they are
10 directed.

11 “(C) ADULTHOOD PREPARATION SUB-
12 JECTS.—The adulthood preparation subjects
13 described in this subparagraph are the fol-
14 lowing:

15 “(i) Healthy relationships, such as
16 positive self-esteem and relationship dy-
17 namics, friendships, dating, romantic in-
18 volvement, marriage, and family inter-
19 actions.

20 “(ii) Adolescent development, such as
21 the development of healthy attitudes and
22 values about adolescent growth and devel-
23 opment, body image, racial and ethnic di-
24 versity, and other related subjects.

25 “(iii) Financial literacy.

1 “(iv) Parent-child communication.

2 “(v) Educational and career success,
3 such as developing skills for employment
4 preparation, job seeking, independent liv-
5 ing, financial self-sufficiency, and work-
6 place productivity.

7 “(vi) Healthy life skills, such as goal-
8 setting, decision making, negotiation, com-
9 munication and interpersonal skills, and
10 stress management.

11 “(c) RESERVATIONS OF FUNDS.—

12 “(1) GRANTS TO IMPLEMENT INNOVATIVE
13 STRATEGIES.—From the amount appropriated under
14 subsection (f) for the fiscal year, the Secretary shall
15 reserve \$10,000,000 of such amount for purposes of
16 awarding grants to entities to implement innovative
17 youth pregnancy prevention strategies and target
18 services to high-risk, vulnerable, and culturally
19 under-represented youth populations, including
20 youth in foster care, homeless youth, youth with
21 HIV/AIDS, pregnant women who are under 21 years
22 of age and their partners, mothers who are under 21
23 years of age and their partners, and youth residing
24 in areas with high birth rates for youth. An entity
25 awarded a grant under this paragraph shall agree to

1 participate in a rigorous Federal evaluation of the
2 activities carried out with grant funds.

3 “(2) OTHER RESERVATIONS.—From the
4 amount appropriated under subsection (f) for the
5 fiscal year that remains after the application of
6 paragraph (1), the Secretary shall reserve the fol-
7 lowing amounts:

8 “(A) GRANTS FOR INDIAN TRIBES OR
9 TRIBAL ORGANIZATIONS.—The Secretary shall
10 reserve 5 percent of such remainder for pur-
11 poses of awarding grants to Indian tribes and
12 tribal organizations in such manner, and sub-
13 ject to such requirements, as the Secretary, in
14 consultation with Indian tribes and tribal orga-
15 nizations, determines appropriate.

16 “(B) SECRETARIAL RESPONSIBILITIES.—

17 “(i) RESERVATION OF FUNDS.—The
18 Secretary shall reserve 10 percent of such
19 remainder for expenditures by the Sec-
20 retary for the activities described in
21 clauses (ii) and (iii).

22 “(ii) PROGRAM SUPPORT.—The Sec-
23 retary shall provide, directly or through a
24 competitive grant process, research, train-
25 ing and technical assistance, including dis-

1 semination of research and information re-
2 garding effective and promising practices,
3 providing consultation and resources on a
4 broad array of teen pregnancy prevention
5 strategies, including abstinence and contra-
6 ception, and developing resources and ma-
7 terials to support the activities of recipi-
8 ents of grants and other State, tribal, and
9 community organizations working to re-
10 duce teen pregnancy. In carrying out such
11 functions, the Secretary shall collaborate
12 with a variety of entities that have exper-
13 tise in the prevention of teen pregnancy,
14 HIV and sexually transmitted infections,
15 healthy relationships, financial literacy,
16 and other topics addressed through the
17 personal responsibility education programs.

18 “(iii) EVALUATION.—The Secretary
19 shall evaluate the programs and activities
20 carried out with funds made available
21 through allotments or grants under this
22 section.

23 “(d) ADMINISTRATION.—

24 “(1) IN GENERAL.—The Secretary shall admin-
25 ister this section through the Assistant Secretary for

1 the Administration for Children and Families within
2 the Department of Health and Human Services.

3 “(2) APPLICATION OF OTHER PROVISIONS OF
4 TITLE.—

5 “(A) IN GENERAL.—Except as provided in
6 subparagraph (B), the other provisions of this
7 title shall not apply to allotments or grants
8 made under this section.

9 “(B) EXCEPTIONS.—The following provi-
10 sions of this title shall apply to allotments and
11 grants made under this section to the same ex-
12 tent and in the same manner as such provisions
13 apply to allotments made under section 502(c):

14 “(i) Section 504(b)(6) (relating to
15 prohibition on payments to excluded indi-
16 viduals and entities).

17 “(ii) Section 504(c) (relating to the
18 use of funds for the purchase of technical
19 assistance).

20 “(iii) Section 504(d) (relating to a
21 limitation on administrative expenditures).

22 “(iv) Section 506 (relating to reports
23 and audits), but only to the extent deter-
24 mined by the Secretary to be appropriate
25 for grants made under this section.

1 “(v) Section 507 (relating to penalties
2 for false statements).

3 “(vi) Section 508 (relating to non-
4 discrimination).

5 “(e) DEFINITIONS.—In this section:

6 “(1) AGE-APPROPRIATE.—The term ‘age-appro-
7 priate’, with respect to the information in pregnancy
8 prevention, means topics, messages, and teaching
9 methods suitable to particular ages or age groups of
10 children and adolescents, based on developing cog-
11 nitive, emotional, and behavioral capacity typical for
12 the age or age group.

13 “(2) MEDICALLY ACCURATE AND COMPLETE.—
14 The term ‘medically accurate and complete’ means
15 verified or supported by the weight of research con-
16 ducted in compliance with accepted scientific meth-
17 ods and—

18 “(A) published in peer-reviewed journals,
19 where applicable; or

20 “(B) comprising information that leading
21 professional organizations and agencies with
22 relevant expertise in the field recognize as accu-
23 rate, objective, and complete.

24 “(3) INDIAN TRIBES; TRIBAL ORGANIZA-
25 TIONS.—The terms ‘Indian tribe’ and ‘Tribal organi-

1 zation’ have the meanings given such terms in sec-
2 tion 4 of the Indian Health Care Improvement Act
3 (25 U.S.C. 1603)).

4 “(4) YOUTH.—The term ‘youth’ means an indi-
5 vidual who has attained age 10 but has not attained
6 age 20.

7 “(f) APPROPRIATION.—For the purpose of carrying
8 out this section, there is appropriated, out of any money
9 in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, \$75,000,000
10 for each of fiscal years 2010 through 2014. Amounts ap-
11 propriated under this subsection shall remain available
12 until expended.”.

13 **SEC. 2954. RESTORATION OF FUNDING FOR ABSTINENCE**
14 **EDUCATION.**

15 Section 510 of the Social Security Act (42 U.S.C.
16 710) is amended—

17 (1) in subsection (a), by striking “fiscal year
18 1998 and each subsequent fiscal year” and inserting
19 “each of fiscal years 2010 through 2014”; and

20 (2) in subsection (d)—

21 (A) in the first sentence, by striking “1998
22 through 2003” and inserting “2010 through
23 2014”; and

24 (B) in the second sentence, by inserting
25 “(except that such appropriation shall be made