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V(A). Planned Program (Summary)

1. Name of the Planned Program

Volunteer Development

V(B). Program Knowledge Area(s)

1. Program Knowledge Areas and Percentage

KA Code	Knowledge Area	%1862 Extension	%1890 Extension	%1862 Research	%1890 Research
806	Youth Development	100%			
	Total	100%			

V(C). Planned Program (Inputs)

1. Actual amount of professional FTE/SYs expended this Program

Year: 2007	Extension		Research	
	1862	1890	1862	1890
Plan	9.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
Actual	7.7	0.0	0.0	0.0

2. Actual dollars expended in this Program (includes Carryover Funds from previous years)

Extension		Research	
Smith-Lever 3b & 3c 488178	1890 Extension	Hatch	Evans-Allen
	0	0	0
1862 Matching	1890 Matching	1862 Matching	1890 Matching
0	0	0	0
1862 All Other	1890 All Other	1862 All Other	1890 All Other
0	0	0	0

V(D). Planned Program (Activity)

1. Brief description of the Activity

County, regional and state volunteer workshops and forums, Communications, Program management, Educational Design and Delivery, Interpersonal Skills, and Youth Development; Leadership roles of 4-H clubs, projects, county and state educational events, Letters to New Leaders, and Make the Best Better Modules; Web-based instruction; Youth Protection Policies and Procedures (Volunteer Screening).

2. Brief description of the target audience

Adults (youth staff, local leaders, parents, volunteers, teachers, organizational leaders), youth aged 5 - 19.

V(E). Planned Program (Outputs)

1. Standard output measures

Target for the number of persons (contacts) reached through direct and indirect contact methods

	Direct Contacts Adults	Indirect Contacts Adults	Direct Contacts Youth	Indirect Contacts Youth
Year	Target	Target	Target	Target
Plan	11000	100	1000	0
2007	23963	89680	28265	72493

2. Number of Patent Applications Submitted (Standard Research Output)

Patent Applications Submitted

Year Target

Plan: 0

2007: 0

Patents listed

3. Publications (Standard General Output Measure)

Number of Peer Reviewed Publications

	Extension	Research	Total
Plan			
2007	19	0	19

V(F). State Defined Outputs

Output Target

Output #1

Output Measure

County, regional and state volunteer workshops and forums, Leadership roles of 4-H clubs, projects, county and state educational events; Web-based instruction; Youth Protection Policies and Procedures (Volunteer Screening).

Year	Target	Actual
2007	0	23963

V(G). State Defined Outcomes

O No.	Outcome Name
1	5,000 adults and youth volunteers will increase knowledge and awareness of practices fostering positive youth development.
2	5,000 adult and youth volunteers apply practices of positive youth development through leadership roles.
3	Number of volunteers in local, county, regional and state 4-H leadership roles.
4	Number of volunteers attending workshops and/or forums for personal.
5	Number of volunteers completing Volunteers: The Foundation of Youth Development.
6	Number of volunteers screened prior to service.

Outcome #1

1. Outcome Measures

Not reporting on this Outcome for this Annual Report

2. Associated Institution Types

3a. Outcome Type:

3b. Quantitative Outcome

Year	Quantitative Target	Actual
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3c. Qualitative Outcome or Impact Statement

Issue (Who cares and Why)

What has been done

Results

4. Associated Knowledge Areas

KA Code	Knowledge Area
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V(H). Planned Program (External Factors)

External factors which affected outcomes

- Natural Disasters (drought, weather extremes, etc.)
- Economy
- Appropriations changes
- Public Policy changes
- Government Regulations
- Competing Public priorities
- Competing Programmatic Challenges
- Populations changes (immigration, new cultural groupings, etc.)

Brief Explanation

Lack of adequate federal and state funding limits the number of master-level specialists employed throughout the states to create experiences for more children, youth and families to grow and thrive in 4-H. Volunteers: both adult and youth are the backbone of the Missouri 4-H Youth Development Programs. 4-H volunteers teach skills, manage the work of others, mentor youth, work with teachers and schools, coordinate county and state events. One hundred and thirty-two faculty and staff could not provide 104,157 youth with quality developmental experiences without the 11,205 volunteers.

V(I). Planned Program (Evaluation Studies and Data Collection)

1. Evaluation Studies Planned

- Retrospective (post program)
- Before-After (before and after program)
- During (during program)
- Other (see below)

Evaluation Results

An extensive evaluation of the Volunteers: Foundations for Success orientation training, on-line course and DVD is underway. Results of the number of volunteers completing Volunteers: The Foundation of Youth Development and the evaluation of their experiences, knowledge/skills gained will be shared in the 2008 MU Extension Report.

Key Items of Evaluation

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