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V(A). Planned Program (Summary)

1. Name of the Planned Program

Technology and Literacy

V(B). Program Knowledge Area(s)

1. Program Knowledge Areas and Percentage

KA Code	Knowledge Area	%1862 Extension	%1890 Extension	%1862 Research	%1890 Research
801	Individual and Family Resource Management		75%		
806	Youth Development		25%		
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	0.0	2.0	0.0	0.0
Actual	0.0	1.5	0.0	0.0

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

Extension		Research	
Smith-Lever 3b & 3c	1890 Extension	Hatch	Evans-Allen
0	69537	0	0
1862 Matching	1890 Matching	1862 Matching	1890 Matching
0	42086	0	0
1862 All Other	1890 All Other	1862 All Other	1890 All Other
0	57459	0	0

V(D). Planned Program (Activity)

1. Brief description of the Activity

The university, through its partnership with area housing authorities, faith-based non-profits, and other entities developed a series of products, curricula, and resources centered on technology literacy. Two university extension staff facilitated and provided training to over 400 residents of public housing who took over 2000 hours of instruction or were provided access to technology labs through this program. Residents were provided, at no-cost, with a variety of training programs on the utilization of various computer applications, including micro-soft word, excel, powerpoint, etc. They also participated in trainings that used the technology for practical personal applications such as filing their income tax, and registering their health records.

2. Brief description of the target audience

The target audience for this program is youth, adults, and seniors living in the identified blighted communities or, alternately, in public housing. Specifically, the 2000 residents of 10 public housing facilities were targeted as well as low-income residents that utilize two community based centers that are provided financial support through this program.

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	300	1000	100	1000
2007	400	2000	100	1000

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	0	0	0

V(F). State Defined Outputs

Output Target

Output #1

Output Measure

Classes will be offered to youth, adults, and seniors regarding software applications.

Year	Target	Actual
2007	25	200

Output #2

Output Measure

Seniors will attend program sessions or participate in open lab time at the sites.

Year	Target	Actual
2007	300	400

Output #3

Output Measure

Youth will be trained in technology applications at housing sites and community centers in blighted neighborhoods.

Year	Target	Actual
2007	100	150

Output #4

Output Measure

Computer labs will be maintained in public housing sites and within community centers in blighted neighborhoods.

Year	Target	Actual
2007	14	12

Output #5

Output Measure

Residents will serve as volunteers in public housing communities.

Year	Target	Actual
2007	15	25

V(G). State Defined Outcomes

O No.	Outcome Name
1	Advanced residents will begin to coordinate and facilitate technology access opportunities.
2	Residents will demonstrate expanded mastery in the utilization of software applications.
3	Residents will integrate technology into their individual and family resource management through the utilization of applications such as e-banking and e-commerce.
4	Residents increased technology literacy will result in greater economic stability by allowing the resident to obtain employment with a liveable wage.

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

Populations changes (immigration,new cultural groupings,etc.)

Brief Explanation

Job opportunities for individuals with limited experience are typically low-paying.As a result, even with employment skills, with limited experience, the prevailing wage is such that the low income public housing client is still not able to completely move beyond public assistance.

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

1. Evaluation Studies Planned

After Only (post program)

Retrospective (post program)

Before-After (before and after program)

During (during program)

Time series (multiple points before and after program)

Comparisons between program participants (individuals,group,organizations) and non-participants

Evaluation Results

{No Data Entered}

Key Items of Evaluation

{No Data Entered}