

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON SELECTION OF DEMONSTRATION SITES & TRANSITION ISSUES

MAJOR FOCUS - DEFINING THE ISSUES INVOLVED IN THE TRANSITION NECESSARY TO OPERATE THE PILOT SITES

QUESTIONS TO BE ADDRESSED IN ACHIEVING MAJOR FOCUS

- HOW WILL THE TWO DEMONSTRATION SITES BE SELECTED? WHAT CRITERIA WILL BE USED? (NEED TO ENSURE A SUFFICIENT NUMBER OF CHILDREN AND FAMILIES IN EACH SITE TO ALLOW FOR AN ASSESSMENT OF OUTCOMES)
- HOW WILL THE COMPETITION BETWEEN PRIVATE AGENCIES BE MANAGED?
- HOW WILL PERFORMANCE COMPARISONS BETWEEN SUPERVISING AGENCIES AND THE EXISTING SERVICE DELIVERY SYSTEM ACCOUNT FOR THE VARIATION IN THE CHARACTERISTICS OF THE POPULATIONS BEING SERVED AS WELL AS HISTORICAL TRENDS IN OUTCOMES FOR THOSE POPULATIONS.

TO BE CONSIDERED WHILE PERFORMING THE MAIN RESPONSIBILITIES

- * ADHERENCE TO THE INDIAN CHILD WELFARE ACT AND STATE AND TRIBAL AGREEMENTS
- * ADHERENCE TO THE PRINCIPLES AND REQUIREMENTS OF THE CENTENNIAL ACCORD
- * AWARENESS OF RACIAL DISPROPORTIONALITY ISSUES IN CHILD WELFARE
- * THE PROVISION OF CULTURALLY COMPETENT SERVICE BY CONTRACTORS