STATE PLAN UNDER TITLE XIX OF THE SOCIAL SECURITY ACT

State Nebraska

NON-DISCRIMINATION

The following is a description of administration used to assure that each service for which Federal Assistance is received is operated in accordance with Title VI of the Civil Rights Act and section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973:

1. All staff members of the Nebraska Department and county divisions of Social Services are responsible for implementation of Title VI and section 504 of the Rehabilitation Act of 1973.

2. Our Civil Rights handbook is used to inform state and local agency staff of responsibilities and obligations with regard to Title VI and section 504.

3. Pamphlets, application forms, and notice forms include information for applicants and beneficiaries regarding Title VI and section 504.

4. Provider agreement forms and claim forms include information for providers regarding Title VI and section 504.

5. Continued compliance is maintained through surveys and by quality control staff.

6. Policies for handling civil rights related complaints are included in the Nebraska Public Welfare Manual, IX-8200 ff.