

TELEHEALTH PROJECT SUMMARY TEMPLATE

Please provide information on all major projects in the last ten years (1998-2008) and any planned future projects

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PROJECT NAME: Pediatric Specialty Center Tele-Access

ORGANIZATION/AGENCY (and primary contact): Hawaii Pacific Health / Kapiolani Medical Center for Women and Children - Dale Moyen, Telehealth Manager

FUNDING (source and amount): Harry & Jeanette Weinberg Foundation - \$1,250,000 Telemedicine Grant

START UP FUNDS: N/A

REIMBURSEMENT (submitted/not submitted): submitted

DURATION (start time and date): January 2002

PURPOSE/INTENT (100 words maximum): To provide access via real time Telemedicine to Kapiolani Medical Center for Women and Children's Pediatric Specialty Center. To improve access to this Specialty Care from Rural Hawaii and the Pacific.

MAJOR CRITICAL ACCOMPLISHMENTS: Telemedicine Consultations have been conducted throughout Hawaii and the Pacific for examinations and follow-up on on-going cases.

CRITICAL SUCCESS FACTORS: On-going utilization of equipment and service.

CRITICAL BARRIERS (overcome or not): Physician Acceptance and Reimbursement – overcome.

MAJOR LESSON LEARNED: A very good use of Telemedicine technology.

CURRENT STATUS (active, planned, dormant, completed, other?): Active & fully operationalized.

PARTNERING ORGANIZATIONS: University of Hawaii John A. Burns School of Medicine, Hawaii Health Systems Corporation, Queens Medical Center, Shriners Children's Hospital, Molokai General Hospital, Hawaii Primary Care Association, North Hawaii Community Hospital, Tripler Army Medical Center, Saipan Commonwealth Medical Center, Yap Health Center, LBJ Hospital – American Samoa, Wahiawa General Hospital

IS THERE A CLINICAL CHAMPION OR A COMMITTEE OVERSEEING THE TELEMEDICINE PROGRAM?

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TECHNOLOGY USED: Real Time Tandberg HCSIII Telemedicine System over ISDN direct dial lines. System is also integrated with audio visual recording and exam room observation system for training of Pediatric Residents.