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CDC Establishes Private Foundation to Supplement Budget

The CDC is establishing a private nonprofit foundation to supplement its budget. Leaders of the effort include William Foege, a former director of the CDC, and Charles McTier, president of the Robert W. Woodruff Foundation in Atlanta. The U.S. Congress authorized the creation of the National Foundation for the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention Inc in

1992. A private source of funding would enable the agency to implement projects more quickly and outside the realm of the normal and often slow budgetary process. Money raised by the new foundation would be dedicated to activities such as training programs, fellowships for public health workers, and creation of a public health museum, scheduled to open in time for the 1996 Summer Olympic Games in Atlanta.

Additional news items in this issue: *No HIV-2 Positive Blood Found After Almost Two Years of Testing* (page 323) and *Computer-Based Epidemiologic Case Study Available from CDC* (page 328).
