

National Urban League

Organization Description: The National Urban League is the nation's oldest and largest community-based organization whose efforts are devoted to African Americans. Founded in 1910, the National Urban League is headquartered in New York City and coordinates the non-partisan efforts of its local affiliates. There are over 100 local affiliates of the National Urban League located in 35 states and the District of Columbia providing direct services to more than 2 million people nationwide through programs, advocacy and research.

Proposal Summary: The National Urban League does not have a comprehensive health reform proposal, but it supports policies that achieve the organization's stated mission of health and quality of life empowerment: building healthy and safe communities; eliminating health disparities through prevention, healthy eating and fitness; as well as ensuring complete access to affordable healthcare for all people.

Proposal Date: 2006

Source: National Urban League Health & Quality of Life, <http://www.nul.org/healthandqualityoflife.html>.