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Many nations have expressed interest in learning about the Healthy Marriage Initiative. In 2005, the ACF Assistance Secretary, Dr. Wade F. Horn, corresponded with and met the Parliamentary Secretary in the Ministry of Healthy and Community Development, Youth and Sports from Singapore. In 2006, the Assistant Secretary discussed the HMI throughout Europe: he spent time in Germany and Great Britain; spoke before the United Nations; met with Pope Bernedict XVI to discuss the Bush Administration's efforts to support life, marriage and the family; and was invited by the President of the Pontifical Council for the Family to provide remarks at the fifth World Meeting of Families on Valencia, Spain in July 2006.