

National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases; Notice of Closed Meetings

Pursuant to Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given of the following meetings:

Committee Name: National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases Special Emphasis Panel (Telephone Conference Call).

Date: November 26, 1996.

Time: 12:00 p.m.

Place: Natcher Building, Room 6AS-25S, National Institutes of Health, 45 Center Drive, Bethesda, Maryland 20892-6600.

Contact Person: Ned Feder, M.D., Scientific Review Administrator, Natcher Building, Room 6AS-25S, National Institutes of Health, 45 Center Drive, Bethesda, Maryland 20892-6600, Phone 301-594-8890.

Agenda Purpose: To review and evaluate a research grant application.

Committee Name: National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases Special Emphasis Panel (Telephone Conference Call).

Date: December 9, 1996.

Time: 2:00 p.m.

Place: Natcher Building, Room 6AS-37B, National Institutes of Health, 45 Center Drive, Bethesda, Maryland 20892-6600.

Contact Person: Dan E. Matsumoto, Ph.D., Scientific Review Administrator, Natcher Building, Room 6AS-37B, National Institutes of Health, 45 Center Drive, Bethesda, Maryland 20892-6600, Phone 301-594-8894.

Agenda Purpose: To review and evaluate a research grant application.

These notices are being published less than 15 days prior to the meeting due to the urgent need to meet timing limitations imposed by the review and funding cycle.

Committee Name: National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases Special Emphasis Panel (Telephone Conference Call).

Date: December 18, 1996.

Time: 9:30 a.m.

Place: Natcher Building, Room 6AS-37F, National Institutes of Health, 45 Center Drive, Bethesda, Maryland 20892-6600.

Contact Person: Ann A. Hagan, Ph.D., Scientific Review Administrator, Natcher Building, Room 6AS-37F, National Institutes of Health, 45 Center Drive, Bethesda, Maryland 20892-6600, Phone 301-594-8896.

Agenda Purpose: To review and evaluate a research grant application.

Committee Name: National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases Special Emphasis Panel (Telephone Conference Call).

Date: December 19, 1996.

Time: 3:00 p.m.

Place: Natcher Building, Room 6AS-25F, National Institutes of Health, 45 Center Drive, Bethesda, Maryland 20892-6600.

Contact Person: Lakshmanan Sankaran, Ph.D., Scientific Review Administrator, Natcher Building, Room 6AS-25F, National Institutes of Health, 45 Center Drive, Bethesda, Maryland 20892-6600, Phone 301-594-7799.

Agenda Purpose: To review and evaluate a research grant application.

The meetings will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. Applications and/or proposals and the discussions could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material and personal information concerning individuals associated with the applications and/or proposals, the disclosure of which constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program No. 93.847-849, Diabetes, Endocrine and Metabolic Diseases; Digestive Diseases and Nutrition; and Kidney Diseases, Urology and Hematology Research, National Institutes of Health)

Dated: November 19, 1996.

Paula N. Hayes,

Acting Committee Management Officer, NIH.

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National Institute of Child Health and Human Development; Notice of Closed Meetings

Pursuant to Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given of the following National Institute of Child Health and Human Development Special Emphasis Panel (SEP) meetings:

Purpose/Agenda: To review individual grant applications.

Name of SEP: Motor Learning in Individuals Post Stroke (Teleconference).

Date: December 12, 1996.

Time: 12:30 p.m. (EST)—adjournment.

Place: 6100 Executive Boulevard, 6100 Building, Room 5E01, Rockville, Maryland 20852.

Contact Person: Edgar Hanna, Ph.D., Scientific Review Administrator, NICHD, 6100 Executive Boulevard, 6100

Building, Room 5E01, Rockville, Maryland 20852, Telephone: 301-496-1485.

Name of Sep: Evaluation of Long-term Rehabilitation Outcomes (Teleconference).

Date: December 12, 1996.

Time: 1:00 p.m. (EST)—adjournment.

Place: 6100 Executive Boulevard, 6100 Building, Room 5E01, Rockville, Maryland 20852.

Contact Person: Hameed Khan, Ph.D., Scientific Review Administrator, NICHD, 6100 Executive Boulevard, 6100 Building, Room 5E01, Rockville, Maryland 20892, Telephone: 301-496-1485.

These meetings will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. The discussions of these applications could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material and personal information concerning individuals associated with the applications, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. [93.864, Population Research and No. 93.865, Research for Mothers and Children, National Institutes of Health)

Dated: November 19, 1996.

Paula N. Hayes,

Acting Committee Management Officer, NIH.

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Division of Research Grants; Notice of Closed Meetings

Pursuant to Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given of the following Division of Research Grants Special Emphasis Panel (SEP) meetings:

Purpose/Agenda: To review individual grant applications.

Name of SEP: Clinical Sciences.

Date: December 10, 1996.

Time: 1:00 p.m.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 4214, Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Dr. Dan McDonald, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4214, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1215.

Name of SEP: Chemistry and Related Sciences.

Date: December 11, 1996.

Time: 1:00 p.m.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 4172, Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Dr. John Beisler, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701

Rockledge Drive, Room 4172, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1727.

Name of SEP: Biological and Physiological Sciences.

Date: December 11, 1996.

Time: 10:00 a.m.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 5202, Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Dr. Anita Sostek, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5202, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1260.

Name of SEP: Clinical Sciences.

Date: December 12, 1996.

Time: 11:30 a.m.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 4214, Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Dr. Dan McDonald, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4214, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1215.

Name of SEP: Biological and Physiological Sciences.

Date: December 12, 1996.

Time: 2:00 p.m.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 5202, Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Dr. Anita Sostek, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5202, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1260.

Name of SEP: Clinical Sciences.

Date: December 12, 1996.

Time: 2:00 p.m.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 4100, Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Dr. Jeanne N. Ketley, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4100, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1789.

Name of SEP: Clinical Sciences.

Date: December 16, 1996.

Time: 2:00 p.m.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 4100, Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Dr. Jeanne N. Ketley, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4100, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1789.

Name of SEP: Biological and Physiological Sciences.

Date: December 16, 1996.

Time: 10:30 a.m.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 5196, Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Ms. Carol Campbell, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5196, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1257.

Name of SEP: Biological and Physiological Sciences.

Date: December 16, 1996.

Time: 1:00 p.m.

Place: NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 4202, Telephone Conference.

Contact Person: Dr. Calbert Laing, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701

Rockledge Drive, Room 4202, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1221.

The meetings will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. Applications and/or proposals and the discussions could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material and personal information concerning individuals associated with the applications and/or proposals, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.306, 93.333, 93.337, 93.393-93.396, 93.837-93.844, 93.846-93.878, 93.892, 93.893, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

Dated: November 18, 1996.

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Notice of a Cooperative Agreement With the ASPIRA Association, Inc.

The Office of Minority Health (OMH), Office of Public Health and Science, announces that it will enter into an umbrella cooperative agreement with The ASPIRA Association, Inc., National Office (ASPIRA). This cooperative agreement will establish the broad programmatic framework within which specific projects can be funded as they are identified during the project period.

The purpose of this cooperative agreement is to assist the national association in expanding and enhancing its activities relevant to education, health promotion and disease prevention, and family and youth violence prevention with the ultimate goal of improving the health status of minorities and disadvantaged people. The OMH will provide consultation, including administrative and technical assistance as needed, for the execution and evaluation of all aspects of this cooperative agreement. The OMH will also participate and/or collaborate with the awardee in any workshops or symposia to exchange current information, opinions, and research findings.

Authorizing Legislation

This cooperative agreement is authorized under Title XVII, Section 1707(d)(1) of the Public Health Service Act, as amended by Public Law 101-527.

Background

Assistance will be provided only to ASPIRA. No other applications are solicited. ASPIRA is the only organization capable of administering this cooperative agreement because it has:

1. Developed, expanded, and managed an infrastructure to coordinate and implement various educational programs within local communities and organizations that deal extensively with Hispanic issues. The association established national initiatives—i.e., National Health Careers Program, Community Mobilization for Educational Excellence, MAS Academy, and Public Policy Leadership Program—that provide a foundation upon which to develop, promote, and manage education and health-related programs aimed at preventing and reducing unnecessary morbidity and mortality rates among Hispanic populations.

2. Established itself and its members as a national association with professionals who serve as leaders and experts in planning, developing, implementing, and promoting educational and policy campaigns (locally and nationally) aimed at reducing adverse health behaviors and improving the Hispanic community's overall educational and social well being.

3. Assessed and evaluated data, through its Institute for Policy Research and its National Health Careers Program, on the current education, violence and health-related findings relevant to Hispanics and other populations for dissemination to its associate members, collaborators, funders, and the general public.

4. Developed a national association whose members consist of professionals with excellent performance records and established linkages to the Hispanic population at the national and local level.

5. Developed a base of critical knowledge, skills, and abilities related to serving Hispanic clients with a range of health and social problems. Through the collective efforts of its associate members, community-based organizations, volunteers, and former "Aspirantes," ASPIRA has demonstrated (1) the ability to work with academic institutions and health groups on mutual education, research, and health endeavors relating to the goal of health promotion and disease prevention of Hispanics, (2) the leadership necessary to attract minority students into public service and health careers, and (3) the leadership needed to assist health care professionals to work