

determine whether future revisions to the guidance document are warranted.

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William B. Schultz,

Deputy Commissioner for Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Health Care Financing Administration

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Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Health Care Financing Administration.

In compliance with the requirement of section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA), Department of Health and Human Services, is publishing the following summaries of proposed collections for public comment. Interested persons are invited to send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including any of the following subjects: (1) The necessity and utility of the proposed information collection for the proper performance of the agency's functions; (2) the accuracy of the estimated burden; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology to minimize the information collection burden.

1. *Type of Information Collection Request:* Extension of a currently approved collection; *Title of Information Collection:* Medicare Current Beneficiary Survey (MCBS) Rounds: 20-32; *Form No.:* HCFA-P-15A (OMB# 0938-0568); *Use:* The MCBS is a continuous, multipurpose survey of a nationally representative sample of aged and disabled persons enrolled in Medicare. The survey provides a comprehensive source of information on beneficiary characteristics, needs, utilization, and satisfaction with Medicare-related activities; *Frequency:* Other (3 times a year per respondent); *Affected Public:* Individuals and households; *Number of Respondents:* 16,000; *Total Annual Responses:* 48,000; *Total Annual Hours:* 48,000.

To obtain copies of the supporting statement and any related forms for the proposed paperwork collections

referenced above, E-mail your request, including your address and phone number, to Paperwork@hcfa.gov, or call the Reports Clearance Office on (410) 786-1326. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collections must be mailed within 60 days of this notice directly to the HCFA Paperwork Clearance Officer designated at the following address: HCFA, Office of Information Services, Information Technology Investment Management Group, Division of HCFA Enterprise Standards Attention: John Rudolph, Room C2-26-17, 7500 Security Boulevard, Baltimore, Maryland 21244-1850.

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John P. Burke III,

HCFA Reports Clearance Officer, Division of HCFA Enterprise Standards, Health Care Financing Administration.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Cancer Institute; Notice of Closed Meeting

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 Cancer Institute Special Emphasis Panel (SEP) meeting:

Name of SEP: Genetic Epidemiology of Lung Cancer I and II.

Date: August 4, 1997.

Time: 11:00 a.m. to 12:30 p.m.

Place: Teleconference, National Cancer Institute, Executive Plaza North, Room 635G, 6130, Executive Boulevard, Bethesda, MD 20892.

Contact Person: Sally A. Mulhern, Ph.D., Scientific Review Administrator, National Cancer Institute, NIH, Executive Plaza North, Room 635G, 6130 Executive Boulevard, MSC 7410, Bethesda, MD 20892-7410, Telephone: 301/496-7413.

Purpose/Agenda: To evaluate and review grant applications.

This notice is 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.

The meeting will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in secs. 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5 U.S.C. Applications and the discussions 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 Numbers: 93.393, Cancer Cause and

Prevention Research; 93.394, Cancer Detection and Diagnosis Research; 93.395, Cancer Treatment Research; 93.396, Cancer Biology Research; 93.397, Cancer Centers Support; 93.398, Cancer Research Manpower; 93.399, Cancer Control)

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LaVerne Y. Stringfield,

Committee Management Officer, NIH.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Cancer Institute; 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 Cancer Institute Special Emphasis Panel (SEP) meetings:

Name of SEP: Pivotal Clinical Trials for Chemoprevention Agent Development.

Date: August 18-19, 1997.

Time: August 18—7:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.; August 19—8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Place: Double Tree Hotel, 1750 Rockville Pike, Rockville, Md 20852.

Contact Person: Ray Bramhall, Ph.D., Scientific Review Administrator, National Cancer Institute, NIH, Executive Plaza North, Room 636, 6130 Executive Boulevard, MSC 7410, Bethesda, Md 20892-7410, Telephone: 301/496-3428.

Purpose/Agenda: To evaluate and review grant applications.

Name of SEP: Chemoprevention in Genetically-Identified High-Risk Groups: Interactive Research and Development Project.

Date: August 25-26, 1997.

Time: August 25—8:30 a.m.-5:00 p.m.; August 26—8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.

Place: Hyatt Regency Bethesda, 1 Bethesda Metro Center, Bethesda, Md 20814.

Contact Person: Ray Bramhall, Ph.D., Scientific Review Administrator, National Cancer Institute, NIH, Executive Plaza North, Room 636, 6130 Executive Boulevard, MSC 7410, Bethesda, Md 20892-7410, Telephone: 301/496-3428.

Purpose/Agenda: To evaluate and review grant applications.

These meetings will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in secs. 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. Applications and the discussions 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 Numbers: 93.393, Cancer Cause and Prevention Research; 93.394, Cancer Detection and Diagnosis Research; 93.395,

Cancer Treatment Research; 93.396, Cancer Biology Research; 93.397, Cancer Centers Support; 93.398, Cancer Research Manpower; 93.399, Cancer Control)

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases; Notice of Closed Meeting

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 Allergy and Infectious Diseases Special Emphasis Panel (SEP) meeting:

Name of SEP: NIH-AIDS Research and Reference Reagent Program.

Date: August 5, 1997.

Time: 10:00 a.m. to Adjournment.

Place: Teleconference, 6003 Executive Boulevard, Solar Building, Room 1A04, (301) 496-4640.

Contact Person: Ms. Janet R. Turner, Scientific Review Adm., 6003 Executive Boulevard, Solar Bldg., Room 4C02, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 496-2550.

Purpose/Agenda: To evaluate contract proposals.

The meeting will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in secs. 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.

This notice is 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.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Programs Nos. 93.855, Immunology, Allergic and Immunologic Diseases Research; 93.856, Microbiology and Infectious Diseases Research, National Institutes of Health)

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

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 National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases Special Emphasis Panel meetings:

Name of SEP: Molecular Dynamics of Iron Regulation & Function.

Date: August 18-20, 1997.

Time: 7:30 pm.

Place: University Place Hotel and Conference Center, 850 W. Michigan Street, Indianapolis, Indiana 46202-2800.

Contact Person: Lakshmanan Sankaran, Ph.D., Scientific Review Administrator, Review Branch, NIDDK, Natcher Building, Room 6as-25F, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Maryland 20892-6600, Phone: (301) 594-7799.

Purpose/Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Name of SEP: Tools for Discovery of Anti-Osteoporotic Drugs.

Date: August 26, 1997.

Time: 2:00 pm.

Place: Room 6as-25E, Natcher Building, NIH (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Sharee Pepper, Ph.D., Scientific Review Administrator, Review Branch, NIDDK, Natcher Building, Room 6as-25E, National Institute of Health, Bethesda, Maryland 20892-6600, Phone: (301) 594-7798.

Purpose/Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

These meetings will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in secs. 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 No. 93.847-849, Diabetes, Endocrine and Metabolic Diseases; Digestive Diseases and Nutrition; and Kidney Diseases, Urology and Hematology Research, National Institutes of Health)

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Institute of Mental Health; 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 of the National Institute of Mental Health Special Emphasis Panel:

Agenda Purpose: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Committee Name: National Institute of Mental Health Special Emphasis Panel.

Date: August 1, 1997.

Time: 2 p.m.

Place: Parklawn, Room 9C-26, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Md 20857.

Contact Person: Sheri L. Schwartzback, Parklawn, Room 9C-26, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Md 20857, Telephone: 301, 443-4843.

Committee Name: National Institute of Mental Health Special Emphasis Panel.

Date: August 7-August 9, 1997.

Time: 8 a.m.

Place: Parklawn, Room 9C-26, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Md 20857.

Contact Person: Jean G. Noronha, Parklawn, Room 9C-26, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Md 20857, Telephone: 301, 443-6470.

The meetings will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in secs. 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.

This notice is being published less than fifteen days prior to the meetings due to the urgent need to meet timing limitations imposed by the review and funding cycle.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases; Notice of Closed Meeting

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