

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Health Resources and Services Administration

Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network

AGENCY: Health Resources and Services Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice of Meeting of the Advisory Committee on Organ Transplantation.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to Public Law 92-463, the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given of the fifth meeting of the Advisory Committee on Organ Transplantation (ACOT), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS). The meeting will be held from approximately 9 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on November 6, 2003, and from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on November 7, 2003, at the Renaissance Washington, DC Hotel, 999 Ninth Street, NW, Washington, DC. The meeting will be open to the public; however, seating is limited and pre-registration is encouraged (see below).

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the authority of 42 U.S.C. 217a, Section 222 of the Public Health Service Act, as amended, and 42 CFR 121.12 (2000), ACOT was established to assist the Secretary in enhancing organ donation, ensuring that the system of organ transplantation is grounded in the best available medical science, and assuring the public that the system is as effective and equitable as possible, and, thereby, increasing public confidence in the integrity and effectiveness of the transplantation system. ACOT is composed of up to 41 members, including the Chair. Members are serving as Special Government Employees and have diverse backgrounds in fields such as organ donation, health care public policy, transplantation medicine and surgery, critical care medicine and other medical specialties involved in the identification and referral of donors, non-physician transplant professions, nursing, epidemiology, immunology, law and bioethics, behavioral sciences, economics and statistics, as well as representatives of transplant candidates, transplant recipients, organ donors, and family members.

ACOT will hear and discuss reports from the following ACOT subcommittees: Organ Supply Concerns, Recipient Concerns, Public Concerns, and Allocation Concerns.

The draft meeting agenda will be available on October 15 on the

Department's donation Web site at <http://www.organdonor.gov/acot.html>.

A registration form is available on the Department's donation Web site at <http://www.organdonor.gov/acot.html>. The completed registration form should be submitted by facsimile to Professional and Scientific Associates (PSA), the logistical support contractor for the meeting, at fax number (703) 234-1701. Individuals without access to the Internet who wish to register may call Lora Robinson with PSA at (703) 234-1753. Individuals who plan to attend the meeting and need special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other reasonable accommodations, should notify the ACOT Executive Director, Jack Kress, in advance of the meeting. Mr. Kress may be reached by telephone at 301-443-8653, by e-mail: jkress2@hrsa.gov, or in writing at the address of the Division of Transplantation provided below. Management and support services for ACOT functions are provided by the Division of Transplantation, Office of Special Programs, Health Resources and Services Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, Parklawn Building, Room 16C-17, Rockville, Maryland 20857; telephone number 301-443-7577.

After the presentation of the subcommittee reports, members of the public will have an opportunity to provide comments on the subcommittee reports. Because of the Committee's full agenda and the time frame in which to cover the agenda topics, public comment will be limited. All public comments will be included in the record of the ACOT meeting.

Dated: September 23, 2003.

Jane M. Harrison,

Director, Division of Policy Review and Coordination.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

The National Institutes of Health

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request; Customer/Partner Satisfaction Surveys The Effectiveness of the National Institute on Drug Abuse's Publications Project

Summary: Under the provisions of Section 3507(a)(1)(D) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA), the National Institutes of Health (NIH) has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request for review and approval of the information

collection listed below. This proposed information collection was previously published in the **Federal Register** on June 3, 2003, page 33168 and allowed 60-days for public comment. No public comments were received. The purpose of this notice is to allow an additional 30 days for public comment. The National Institutes of Health may not conduct or sponsor, and the respondent is not required to respond to, an information collection that has been extended, revised, or implemented on or after October 1, 1995, unless it displays a current valid OMB control number.

Proposed Collection: Title: The Effectiveness of NIDA's Publications Project. **Type of Information Collection Request:** New. **Need and Use of Information Collection:** This is a request for a three-year generic clearance to study the level of customer satisfaction in relation to public health information publications produced by the Institute. This effort is made according to Executive Order 12862, which directs Federal agencies that provide significant services directly to the public to survey customers to determine the kind and quality of services they want and their level of satisfaction with existing services. The primary purpose of the Project is to assess NIDA's effectiveness in developing and disseminating selected public health information publications designed to promote the use of science-based evidence to improve drug abuse and addiction prevention, treatment, and policy. A multi-method approach (survey, in-person interviews, focus groups) will be used to determine the use and usefulness of selected NIDA public health information publications for several of NIDA's key audiences. Measures will include outcomes associated with the following variables: Knowledge/awareness of the publications, receipt of the publications, reading of the publications, use of the publications, perceived utility of the publications, and the impact of the publications on the use of science-based evidence to improve drug abuse and addiction prevention, treatment, and policy. **Frequency of Response:** Respondents will not be asked to respond more frequently than annually or biennially. **Affected Public:** Individuals or households; state or local governments; organizations; businesses or educational institutions. **Type of Respondents:** Community coalition leaders, drug abuse treatment and prevention service providers, drug abuse researchers, Native Americans, middle school science and health educators, public health policy makers

and public health officials, and the general public. The annual reporting burden is as follows: *Estimated Number of Respondents: 7,442. Estimated*

Number of Responses per Respondent: 1.14. Average Burden Hours Per Response: 424. Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours Requested: 3,267. There

are no Capital Costs to report. There are no Operating or Maintenance Costs to report. The estimated annualized burden is summarized below.

Type of respondents	Estimated number of respondents	Estimated number of responses per respondent	Average burden hours per response	Estimated total burden hours
1. Community Coalition Leaders	1782	2	0.26	926
2. Drug Abuse Treatment and Prevention Service Providers	6042	1	0.42	2537
3. Drug Abuse Researchers	6020	1	0.42	2528
4. Native Americans and Native American Intermediaries	50	1	1.14	57
5. Middle School Science and Health Educators	3532	1	0.51	1801
6. Public Health Policy Makers and Public Health Officials	1800	1	0.36	648
7. The General Public	3100	1	0.42	1302
Total	22,326	1.14	.424	9,801
Annualized Burden Total	7,442	3,267

Request for Comments: Written comments and/or suggestions from the public and affected agencies are invited on one or more of the following points: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Direct Comments to OMB: Written comments and/or suggestions regarding the item(s) contained in this notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time, should be directed to the: Office of Management and Budget, Office of Regulatory Affairs, New Executive Office Building, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503, Attention: Desk Officer for NIH. To request more information on the proposed project or to obtain a copy of the data collection plans and instruments, contact: Denise Pintello, Project Officer, Office of Science Policy and Communications, NIDA/NIH/DHHS, 6001 Executive Boulevard, MSC 9591, Bethesda, MD 20892; or call non-toll-free number (301) 443-6071; fax (301) 443-6277; or e-mail your request, including your address to: dp276v@nih.gov.

Comments Due Date: Comments regarding this information collection are best assured of having their full effect if

received within 30 days of the date of this publication.

Dated: September 22, 2003.

Laura Rosenthal,

Executive Officer, National Institute for Drug Abuse, National Institutes of Health.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

Notice of Establishment

Pursuant to the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. appendix 2), the Director, National Institutes of Health (NIH), announces the establishment of the National Institute of Biomedical Imaging and Bioengineering Special Emphasis Panel (Committee).

This Committee shall advise the Director, NIH, and the Director, National Institute of Biomedical Imaging and Bioengineering, regarding concept review, research grant and cooperative agreement applications, and contract proposals relating to broad areas of biomedical imaging and bioengineering.

Duration of this Committee is continuing unless formally determined by the Director, NIH, that termination would be in the best public interest.

Dated: September 17, 2003.

Elias Zerhouni,

Director, National Institutes of Health.

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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 meeting.

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

Name of Committee: National Cancer Institute Initial Review Group, Subcommittee F—Manpower & Training, NCI Initial Review Group—Subcommittee F (IRG-F).

Date: November 12-13, 2003.

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: Holiday Inn Georgetown, 2101 Wisconsin Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20007.

Contact Person: Lynn M. Amende, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Resources and Training Review Branch, Division of Extramural Activities, National Cancer Institute, National Institutes of Health, 6116 Executive Boulevard, room 8105, 301-451-4759, amendel@mail.nih.gov.

(Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.392, Cancer Construction; 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;