

*Name of Committee:* Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, Member Conflict.

*Date:* October 23, 2003.

*Time:* 2 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892 (Telephone Conference Call).

*Contact Person:* Syed Amir, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 6168, MSC 7892, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 435-1043, [amirs@csr.nih.gov](mailto:amirs@csr.nih.gov).

*Name of Committee:* Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, Member Conflict.

*Date:* October 24, 2003.

*Time:* 2 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892 (Telephone Conference Call).

*Contact Person:* Syed Amir, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 6168, MSC 7892, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 435-1043, [amirs2csr.nih.gov](mailto:amirs2csr.nih.gov).

*Name of Committee:* Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, ZRG1 SSS7 11B: Small Business: Medical Imaging Technologies: Optics II.

*Date:* October 27, 2003.

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

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* Holiday Inn Select Bethesda, 8120 Wisconsin Ave., Bethesda, MD 20814.

*Contact Person:* Robert J. Nordstorm, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5118, MSC 7854, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 435-1175, [nordstr@csr.nih.gov](mailto:nordstr@csr.nih.gov).

*Name of Committee:* Biobehavioral and Behavioral Processes Initial Review Group, Language and Communication Study Section.

*Date:* October 27-28, 2003.

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

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* Georgetown Suites, 1000 29th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20007.

*Contact Person:* Weijia Ni, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 3190, MSC 7848, (for overnight mail use room # and 20817 zip), Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 435-1507, [niw@csr.nih.gov](mailto:niw@csr.nih.gov).

*Name of Committee:* Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, ZRG1 SSS7 10B: Small Business: Medical Imaging Technologies: Optics I.

*Date:* October 28, 2003.

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

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* Holiday Inn Select Bethesda, 8120 Wisconsin Ave., Bethesda, MD 20814.

*Contact Person:* Robert J. Nordstorm, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Center for

Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5118, MSC 7854, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 435-1175, [nordstr@csr.nih.gov](mailto:nordstr@csr.nih.gov).

*Name of Committee:* Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, ZRG1 SSS-7 (50): Medical Imaging Technology.

*Date:* October 29, 2003.

*Time:* 10 a.m. to 12 p.m.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* Holiday Inn Select Bethesda, 8120 Wisconsin Ave., Bethesda, MD 20814.

*Contact Person:* Robert J. Nordstorm, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5118, MSC 7854, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 435-1175, [nordstr@csr.nih.gov](mailto:nordstr@csr.nih.gov).

*Name of Committee:* Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, ZRG1 SSS7 13B: Small Business: Medical Imaging Technologies.

*Date:* October 29, 2003.

*Time:* 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* Holiday Inn Select Bethesda, 8120 Wisconsin Ave., Bethesda, MD 20814.

*Contact Person:* Robert J. Nordstorm, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5118, MSC 7854, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 435-1175, [nordstr@csr.nih.gov](mailto:nordstr@csr.nih.gov).

*Name of Committee:* Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, K Mechanism Review.

*Date:* October 30, 2003.

*Time:* 9 a.m. to 2 p.m.

*Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications.

*Place:* Melrose Hotel, 2430 Pennsylvania Ave., NW., Washington, DC 20037.

*Contact Person:* Camilla E. Day, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 2212, MSC 7890, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 435-1037, [dayc@csr.nih.gov](mailto:dayc@csr.nih.gov).

(Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.306, Comparative Medicine; 93.333, Clinical Research, 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: October 1, 2003.

**LaVerne Y. Stringfield,**

*Director, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Institutes of Health

#### Notice of Listing of Members of the National Institutes of Health's Senior Executive Service Performance Review Board (PRB)

The National Institutes of Health (NIH) announces the persons who will serve on the National Institutes of Health's Senior Executive Service Performance Review Board. This action is being taken in accordance with Title 5, U.S.C., Section 4314(c)(4), which requires that members of performance review boards be appointed in a manner to ensure consistency, stability, and objectivity in performance appraisals, and requires that notice of the appointment of an individual to serve as a member be published in the **Federal Register**.

The following persons will serve on the NIH Performance Review Board, which oversees the evaluation of performance appraisals of NIH Senior Executive Service (SES) members:

Mr. Charles Leasure, Jr. (Chair)  
 Dr. Robert Balaban  
 Dr. Milton Corn  
 Dr. Thomas Gallagher  
 Dr. Michael Gottesman  
 Dr. Sharon Hrynkow  
 Dr. Raynard Kington  
 Dr. Richard Nakamura  
 Dr. Audrey Penn  
 Dr. Belinda Seto  
 Mr. Marc Smolonsky  
 Mr. Kennety Stith  
 Mr. Frederick Walker

For further information about the NIH Performance Review Board, contact the Office of Human Resources, Division of Workforce Management, Senior and Scientific Employment Branch, National Institutes of Health, Building 31/B3C08, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, telephone (301) 402-8145 (not a toll-free number).

Dated: October 3, 2003.

**Raynard S. Kington,**

*Deputy Director, NIH.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Institutes of Health

#### Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request; the Atherosclerosis Risk in Communities Study (ARIC)

**SUMMARY:** Under the provisions of section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork

Reduction Act of 1995, the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI), the National Institutes of Health (NIH) has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request for review and approval the information collection listed below. This proposed information collection was previously published in the **Federal Register** on August 22, 2000, pages 50999–51000, 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 currently valid OMB control number.

**PROPOSED COLLECTION:** *Title:* The Atherosclerosis Risk in Communities Study (ARIC). *Type of Information Collection Request:* Revision of a currently approved collection (OMB No. 0925–0281). *Need and Use of Information Collection:* This project involves annual follow-up by telephone of participants in the ARIC study, review of their medical records, and interviews with doctors and family to identify disease occurrence. Interviewers will contact doctors and hospitals to ascertain participants' cardiovascular events. Information gathered will be used to further describe the risk factors, occurrence rates, and consequences of cardiovascular disease in middle aged and older men and women. *Frequency of Response:* The participants will be contacted annually. *Affected Pubic:* Individuals or

households; Business or other for profit; Small businesses or organizations. *Type of Respondents:* Middle aged and elderly adults; doctors and staff of hospitals and nursing homes. The annual reporting burden is as follows: Estimated Number of Respondents: 15,113; *Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent:* 1.0; *Average Burden Hours Per Response:* 0.2479; and *Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours Requested:* 3,746. The annualized cost to respondents is estimated at \$41,453, assuming respondents' time at the rate of \$10 per hour for family and patient respondents, and \$75 per hour for physicians. There are no Capital Costs to report. There are no Operating or Maintenance Costs to report.

ESTIMATE OF ANNUAL HOUR BURDEN

Type of response	Number of respondents	Frequency of response	Average time per response	Annual hour burden
Participant Follow-up .....	14,488	1.0	0.2500	3,622
Physician, hospital, nursing home staff <sup>1</sup> .....	245	1.0	0.2500	61
Participant's next-of-kin <sup>1</sup> .....	380	1.0	0.1667	63
<b>Total</b> .....	<b>15,113</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>0.2479</b>	<b>3,746</b>

<sup>1</sup> Annual burden is placed on doctors, hospitals, nursing homes, and respondent relatives/informants through requests for information which will help in the compilation of the number and nature of new fatal and nonfatal events.

*Request for Comments:* Written comments and/or suggestions from the public and affected agencies should address one or more of the following points: (1) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the function of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) Evaluate 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) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; (4) 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: Dr. Merle Myerson, NIH, NHLBI, 6701 Rockledge Drive, MSC 7934, Bethesda, MD 20892–7934, or call non-toll-free number (301) 435–0707 or E-mail your request, including your address to: [MyersonM@nhlbi.nih.gov](mailto:MyersonM@nhlbi.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 28, 2003.

**Peter Savage,**

*Director, DECA, National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute, National Institutes of Health.*  
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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Public Health Service**

**National Toxicology Program**

The National Toxicology Program (NTP) Center for the Evaluation of Risks to Human Reproduction (CERHR) Announces the Availability of the NTP–CERHR Monograph on Methanol and Plans for Announcing Availability of Future Monographs.

**Summary**

The NTP–CERHR Monograph on the Potential Human Reproductive and Developmental Effects of Methanol is now available electronically on the CERHR web site or on CD or in printed text from the CERHR (contact information below). All future notifications about the availability of NTP–CERHR monographs will be provided through announcements from the NTP list-server (an electronic notification service) and on the CERHR web site: <http://cerhr.niehs.nih.gov>.

**NTP–CERHR Monograph on Methanol**

The CERHR announces the availability of the NTP–CERHR