DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Center for Complementary & Alternative Medicine; Notice of 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 a meeting of the National Advisory Council for Complementary and Alternative Medicine.

The meeting will be open to the public as indicated below, with attendance limited to space available. Individuals who plan to attend and need special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other reasonable accommodations, should notify the Contact Person listed below in advance of the 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/or contract proposals 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 and/or contract proposals, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.


Date: June 4, 2004.

Closed: 9:30 a.m. to 12 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications and/or proposals.

Open: 1 p.m. to adjournment.

Agenda: The agenda includes opening remarks by the Director, NCCAM, report from the Cancer Working Group, overview of National Center for Health Statistics, summary of CDC Advanced Date Report: CAM Module, update on co-sponsorship of Program Announcements, and other business of the Council.

Place: Natcher Conference Center, 9000 Rockville Pike, 45 Center Drive, Conference Rooms E1 and E2, Bethesda, MD 20892.

Contact Person: Jane F. Kinsel, PhD, M.B.A., Executive Secretary, National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine, National Institutes of Health, 6707 Democracy Blvd., Suite 401, Bethesda, MD 20892.

The public comments session is scheduled from 3:40 p.m.–4 p.m. Each speaker will be permitted 5 minutes for their presentation.

Interested individuals and representatives of organizations are requested to notify Dr. Jane Kinsel, National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine, NIH, 6707 Democracy Boulevard, Suite 401, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301-496-6701, fax: 301-480-0087. Letters of intent to present comments, along with a brief description of the organization represented, should be received no later than 5 p.m. on May 25, 2004. Only one representative of an organization may present oral comments. Any person attending the meeting who does not request an opportunity to speak in advance of the meeting may be considered for oral presentation, if time permits, and at the discretion of the Chairperson. In addition, written comments may be submitted to Dr. Jane Kinsel at the address listed above up to 10 calendar days (June 14, 2004) following the meeting.

Copies of the meeting agenda and the roster of members will be furnished upon request by contacting Dr. Jane Kinsel, Executive Secretary, NCCAM, National Institutes of Health, 6707 Democracy Boulevard, Suite 401, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301-496-6701, fax: 301-480-0087, or via e-mail at naccames@mail.nih.gov.

In the interest of security, NIH has instituted stringent procedures for entrance into the building by non-government employees. Persons without a government I.D. will need to show a photo I.D. and sign-in at the security desk upon entering the building.


LaVerne Y. Stringfield, Director, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.

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National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research; 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 a meeting of the Recombinant DNA Advisory Committee.

The meeting will be open to the public, with attendance limited to space available. Individuals who plan to attend and need special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other reasonable accommodations, should inform the contact person listed below in advance of the meeting.

Name of Committee: NIH Recombinant DNA Advisory Committee (RAC).

Dates: June 8–9, 2004.
A phase I open-label clinical trial of the adenovirus after failure of Bacillus Calmette-Guerin failure in transitional cell carcinoma of the bladder. The RAC meeting also included the Data Management report and an update on OBA protocol 0104–488 entitled: “A phase I open-label clinical trial of the safety and tolerability of single escalating doses of autologous T cells transduced with VRX496 in HIV positive subjects” presented by Dr. Boro Droopilc VRXSYS Corporation, Gaithersburg, Maryland.

This notice is being published less than 15 days prior to the meeting date because of scheduling problems with presenters at the meeting.

Any interested person may file written comments with the committee by forwarding the statement to the Contact Person listed on this notice. The statement should include the name, address, telephone number and when applicable, the business or professional affiliation of the interested person.

Information is also available on the Institute’s/Center’s home page: http://www.od.nih.gov/oba, where an agenda and any additional information for the meeting will be posted when available.

OMB’s “Mandatory Information Requirements for Federal Assistance Program Announcements” (45 FR 39592, June 11, 1980) requires a statement concerning the official government programs contained in the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance. Normally NIH lists in its announcements the number and title of affected individual programs for the guidance of the public. Because the guidance in this notice covers virtually every NIH and Federal research program in which DNA recombinant molecules techniques could be used, it has been determined not to be cost effective or in the public interest to attempt to list these programs. Such a list would likely require several additional pages. In addition, NIH could not be certain that every Federal program would be included as many Federal agencies, as well as private organizations, both national and international, have elected to follow the NIH Guidelines. In lieu of the individual program listing, NIH invites readers to direct questions to the information address above about whether individual programs listed in the Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance are affected.

(Disclosure of which scientific and technical information is hereby given of the following meetings.

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Name of Committee: Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, MDCN

Member SEP #2.

Date: May 19, 2004.

Time: 1 p.m. to 2 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: Carole L. Jelsema, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, MDCN Scientific Review Group, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive Room 4146, MSC 7850, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 435–1248, jelsemae@csr.nih.gov.

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Name of Committee: Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, Basic Gerontology.

Date: June 7–9, 2004.

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

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: Hyatt Regency Bethesda, One Bethesda Metro Center, 7400 Wisconsin Avenue, Bethesda, MD 20814.

Contact Person: James P. Harwood, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5108, MSC 7843, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301–435–1256. harwoodj@csr.nih.gov.

Name of Committee: Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, Bioengineering-Digestive Diseases.

Date: June 7, 2004.

Time: 1 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892.

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Contact Person: Gopal C. Sharma, DVM, MS, PhD, Diplomate American Board of Toxicology, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 2184, MSC 7818, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 435–1783, sharmag@csr.nih.gov.

Name of Committee: Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, Bioengineering-Respiratory Diseases.

Date: June 8, 2004.

Time: 12 p.m. to 3 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

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Name of Committee: Brain Disorders and Clinical Neuroscience Integrated Review Group, Neural Basis of Psychopathology, Addictions and Sleep Disorders Study Section.

Date: June 10–11, 2004.

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

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications and/or proposals.

Place: Latham Hotel, 3000 M Street, NW., Washington, DC 20007.

Contact Person: Jay Cinque, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5186, MSC 7846, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 435–1252, cinquej@csr.nih.gov.

Name of Committee: Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, Alcohol and Behavioral Genetics (Member Conflicts).

Date: June 10, 2004.

Time: 1 p.m. to 3 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: Stephen M. Rose, Ph.D., Executive Secretary, Office of Biotechnology Activities, National Institutes of Health, 6705 Rockledge Drive, Room 750, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301–496–9838, sr@nih.gov.

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(Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.14, Intramural Research Training Award; 93.187, Undergraduate Scholarship Program for Individuals from Disadvantaged Backgrounds; 93.22, Clinical Research Loan Repayment Program for Individuals from Disadvantaged Backgrounds; 93.232, Loan Repayment Program for Research Generally; 93.39, Academic Research Enhancement Award; 93.936, NIH Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome Research Loan Repayment Program, National Institutes of Health, HHS)


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