

Matters To Be Considered:

1. Personnel actions (appointments, promotions, assignments, reassignments, and salary actions) involving individual Federal Reserve System employees.

2. Any items carried forward from a previously announced meeting.

CONTACT PERSON FOR MORE INFORMATION:

Mr. Joseph R. Coyne, Assistant to the Board; (202) 452-3204. You may call (202) 452-3207, beginning at approximately 5 p.m. two business days before this meeting, for a recorded announcement of bank and bank holding company applications scheduled for the meeting.

Dated: July 11, 1997.

Jennifer J. Johnson,

Deputy Secretary of the Board.

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GENERAL ACCOUNTING OFFICE**Federal Accounting Standards Advisory Board; Meeting**

AGENCY: General Accounting Office.

ACTION: Notice of July meeting.

SUMMARY: Pursuant to section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), as amended, notice is hereby given that the Federal Accounting Standards Advisory Board will meet on Friday, July 25, 1997, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. in the Elmer Staats Briefing Room, room 7C13 of the General Accounting Office building, 441 G St., NW., Washington, DC.

The purpose of the meeting is to discuss the following issues: (1) Proposed amendments to the Property, Plant, and Equipment standard, (2) a draft interpretation on the pension measurement date, (3) social insurance, (4) Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A), and (5) a request for deferral of implementation of the cost accounting standard.

Any interested person may attend the meeting as an observer. Board discussions and reviews are open to the public.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Wendy Comes, Executive Director, 441 G St., NW., Room 3B18, Washington, DC 20548, or call (202) 512-7350.

Authority: Federal Advisory Committee Act. Pub. L. 92-463, sec. 10(a)(2), 86 Stat. 770, 774 (1972) (current version at 5 U.S.C. app. section 10(a)(2) (1988); 41 CFR 101-6.1015 (1990).

Dated: July 10, 1997.

Wendy M. Comes,

Executive Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**Notice of a Cooperative Agreement With the City University of New York Research Foundation**

The Office of Minority Health (OMH), Office of Public Health and Science, announces that it will enter into a cooperative agreement with the City University of New York Research Foundation to establish a peer model program for asthma attack avoidance education.

The purpose of this cooperative agreement is to establish a community-based, parent-child focused educational program designed to increase identification of potential asthma attack-triggering factors among minority, specifically Hispanic, urban children, decrease the incidence of asthma attacks and ensure appropriate referral for medical care. The OMH will provide technical assistance and oversight as necessary for the implementation, conduct, and assessment of the project activities. On an as-needed basis, OMH will assist in arranging consultation from other Government agencies and non-governmental agencies.

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 the City University of New York Research Foundation. No other applications are being solicited under this announcement. City University of New York Research Foundation through its program with Health Force is uniquely qualified to accomplish the objectives of this cooperative agreement because it has the following combination of factors:

- A service area consisting primarily of an economically disadvantaged minority population.
- Strong ties to the community and the ability to work with the community on health related activities.
- Previous experience in working with the targeted population, training peer educators, and coordinating community based health activities with

hospitals and community health centers.

- Education programs designed to meet the health care prevention needs of critical and chronically ill children.

- A targeted area which is composed of a predominantly minority population with a high rate of asthma among children and youth of Hispanic descent, e.g., of the 32,000 Hispanic children within this service area of South Bronx, 8.3 percent suffer from asthma.

- Commitment of neighborhood partners to provide sites for asthma related educational and prevention programs.

- Experience in conducting parent and teen focused programs.

This cooperative agreement will be awarded for a 3-year project period with funding at \$250,000 (including indirect cost) per 12-month budget period. Continuation awards within the project period will be made on the basis of satisfactory progress and the availability of funds.

Where To Obtain Additional Information

If you are interested in obtaining additional information regarding this project, contact Ms. Cynthia Amis, Office of Minority Health, 5515 Security Lane, Suite 1000, Rockville, Maryland 20852 or telephone (301) 594-0769.

Dated: June 19, 1997.

Clay E. Simpson, Jr., MSPH,

Deputy Assistant Secretary for Minority Health.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**Agency for Health Care Policy and Research****Contract Review Meeting**

In accordance with Section 10(a) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), announcement is made of the following technical review committee to meet during the month of July 1997:

Name: Committee on the Agency for Health Care Policy and Research Publications Clearinghouse.

Date and Time: July 21-22, 1997, 10:00-3:00 p.m.

Place: Agency for Health Care Policy and Research, 2101 East Jefferson Street, Suite 502, Rockville, MD 20852.

This meeting will be closed to the public.

Purpose: The Technical Review Committee's charge is to provide, on behalf of the Agency for Health Care Policy and Research (AHCPR) Contracts Review

Committee, recommendations to the Administrator, AHCPR, regarding the technical merit of contract proposals submitted in response to a specific Request for Proposals regarding the AHCPR Publications Clearinghouse that was published in the Commerce Business Daily on May 19, 1997.

The purpose of this contract is to continue the provision of services by an AHCPR Publications Clearinghouse. The Clearinghouse operation includes a 24-line information and publication dissemination call center; the storage, distribution, and postal metering of publications; the maintenance and management of an automated mailing and inventory control system; and the management, storage, and shipping of exhibits. These services are required to ensure the timely dissemination of AHCPR research findings and related publications to the research community and general public.

Agenda: The Committee meeting will be devoted entirely to the technical review and evaluation of contract proposals submitted in response to the above referenced Request for Proposals. The Administrator, AHCPR, has made a formal determination that this meeting will not be open to the public. This action is necessary to protect the free and full exchange of views in the contract evaluation process and safeguard confidential proprietary information, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the proposals that may be revealed during the meeting. This action is taken in accordance with section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C., Appendix 2, 5 USC 522(b)(c)(6), 41 CFR Section 101-6.1023 and Department procurement regulations, 48 CFR section 315.604(d).

Anyone wishing to obtain information regarding this meeting should contact Judy Wilcox, Center for Research Dissemination, Agency for Health Care Policy and Research, 2101 East Jefferson Street, Suite 501, Rockville, Maryland 20852, 301/594-1364.

Dated: July 9, 1997.

John M. Eisenberg,

Administrator.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Agency for Health Care Policy and Research

Notice of Meeting

In accordance with section 10(a) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C., Appendix 2) announcement is made of the following special emphasis panel scheduled to meet during the month of August 1997:

Name: Health Care Policy and Research Special Emphasis Panel.

Date and Time: August 6, 1997, 8:00 a.m.

Place: Holiday Inn Bethesda, 8120 Wisconsin Avenue, Gallery Room, Bethesda, Maryland 20814.

Open August 6, 1997, 8:00 a.m. to 8:15 a.m.
Closed for remainder of meeting.

Purpose: This Panel is charged with conducting the initial review of grant applications requesting dissertation support for health services research undertaken as part of an academic program to qualify for a doctorate.

Agenda: The open session of the meeting on August 6 from 8:00 a.m. to 8:25 a.m. will be devoted to a business meeting covering administrative matters. During the closed session, the panel will be reviewing and discussing grant applications dealing with health services research issues. In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, section 10(d) of 5 U.S.C., Appendix 2 and 5 U.S.C., 552b(c)(6), the Administrator, AHCPR, has made a formal determination that this latter session will be closed because the discussions are likely to reveal personal information concerning individuals associated with the grant applications. This information is exempt from mandatory disclosure.

Anyone wishing to obtain a roster of members of other relevant information should contact Carmen Johnson, Agency for Health Care Policy and Research, Suite 400, 2101 East Jefferson Street, Rockville, Maryland 20852, Telephone (301) 594-1449 x1613.

Agenda items for this meeting are subject to change as priorities dictate.

Dated: July 10, 1997.

John Eisenberg,

Administrator.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Agency for Health Care Policy and Research

Notice of Health Care Policy and Research; Special Emphasis Panel Meeting

In accordance with section 10(a) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C., Appendix 2) announcement is made of the following special emphasis panel scheduled to meet during the month of July 1997:

Name: Health Care Policy and Research Special Emphasis Panel.

Date and Time: July 24, 1997, 1:00 p.m.

Place: Agency for Health Care Policy and Research, 2101 E. Jefferson Street, Suite 400, Rockville, MD 20852.

Open: July 24, 1997, 1:00 p.m. to 1:15 p.m.
Closed for remainder of meeting.

Purpose: This Panel is charged with conducting the initial review of grant applications on health services research issues related to care for persons with acquired immune deficiency syndrome

(AIDS) and other related human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) diseases.

Agenda: The open session of the meeting on July 24, from 1:00 p.m. to 1:15 p.m., will be devoted to a business meeting covering administrative matters. During the closed session, the committee will be reviewing and discussing grant applications dealing with health services research issues. In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, section 10(d) of 5 U.S.C., Appendix 2 and 5 U.S.C., 552b(c)(6), the Acting Administrator, AHCPR, has made a formal determination that this latter session will be closed because the discussions are likely to reveal personal information concerning individuals associated with the grant applications. This information is exempt from mandatory disclosure.

Anyone wishing to obtain a roster of members or other relevant information should contact Carmen M. Johnson, Agency for Health Care Policy and Research, Suite 400, 2101 East Jefferson Street, Rockville, Maryland 20852, Telephone (301) 594-1449 x1613.

Agenda items for this meeting are subject to change as priorities dictate.

Dated: July 10, 1997.

John Eisenberg,

Administrator.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Administration for Children and Families

Proposed Information Collection Activity; Comment Request

Proposed Projects

Title: 45 CFR Part 303.72—Request for collection of past-due support by Federal tax refund offset and administrative offset.

OMB No.: None.

Description: The Office of Child Support Enforcement (OCSE) operates the Tax refund offset (TROP). The TROP was enacted by Congress on August 13, 1981 (Pub. L. 97-35, section 2331). This is a computerized system operated by the Office of Child Support Enforcement (OCSE) within the Administration for Children and Families (ACF) of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) and State child support agencies. The TROP was established to recover delinquent AFDC child support debts with ongoing cooperation of states and local child support agencies.

The Omnibus Budget Reconciliation Act of 1990 (Pub. L. 101-508) signed by the President in November 1990, expanded the Program to include a provision for non-AFDC cases.

In 1996 the Debt Collection Improvement Act (Pub. L. 104-134)