

Time: 2:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: Parklawn Building, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 9C-18, Rockville, MD 20857, (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Robert H. Stretch, Scientific Review Administrator, Division of Extramural Activities, National Institute of Mental Health, NIH, Parklawn Building, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 9C-18, Rockville, MD 20857, 301-443-4728.

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

Date: November 30, 1998.

Time: 1:00 p.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: Parklawn Building, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 9C-18, Rockville, MD 20857, (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Robert H. Stretch, Scientific Review Administrator, Division of Extramural Activities, National Institute of Mental Health, NIH, Parklawn Building, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 9C-18, Rockville, MD 20857, 301-443-4728.

(Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.242, Mental Health Research Grants; 93.281, Scientist Development Award, Scientist Development Award for Clinicians, and Research Scientist Award; 93.282, Mental Health National Research Service Awards for Research Training, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

Dated: September 21, 1998.

LaVerne Y. Stringfield,

Committee Management Officer, NIH.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Institute of Child Health and Human Development; 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 Institute of Child Health and Human Development Special Emphasis Panel.

Date: October 7-8, 1998.

Time: 7:30 pm to 5:00 pm.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: Holiday Inn Harrisburg East, 4751 Lindle Road, Harrisburg, PA 17111.

Contact Person: Gopal, M. Bhatnagar, Scientific Review Administrator, Division of Scientific Review, National Institutes of Child Health and Human Development, National Institutes of Health, PHS, DHHS, 9000 Rockville Pike, 6100 Bldg., Room 5E01, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 496-1485.

This notice is being published less than 15 days prior to the meeting due to the timing limitations imposed by the review and funding cycle.

(Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.864, Population Research; 93.865, Research for Mothers and Children; 93.929, Center for Medical Rehabilitation Research; 93.209, Contraception and Infertility Loan Repayment Program, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

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National Institutes of Health

National Institute of Child Health and Human Development; Notice of Closed Meeting

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Name of Committee: National Institute of Child Health and Human Development Special Emphasis Panel, Follow-up During Adolescence of a Cohort of Bedouin Arab Children Severely Stunted in Early Life.

Date: September 28, 1998.

Time: 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: 6100 Executive Blvd., Room 5E01, Rockville, MD 20852, (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Hameed Khan, Scientific Review Administrator, Division of Scientific

Review, National Institute of Child Health and Human Development, National Institutes of Health, 6100 Executive Blvd., room 5E01, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 496-1485.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Library of 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 the following meeting.

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 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: Biomedical Library Review Committee.

Date: November 4-5, 1998.

Open: November 4, 1998, 9:00 am to 9:30 am.

Agenda: Administrative reports and program developments.

Place: National Library of Medicine, 8600 Rockville Pike, Board Room, Bethesda, MD 20894.

Closed: November 4, 1998, 9:30 am to 11:30 am.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: National Library of Medicine, 8600 Rockville Pike, Board Room, Bethesda, MD 20894.

Open: November 4, 1998, 11:30 am to 12:00 pm.

Agenda: Administrative reports and program developments.

Place: National Library of Medicine, 8600 Rockville Pike, Board Room, Bethesda, MD 20894.

Closed: November 4, 1998, 12:00 pm to 5:00 pm.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: National Library of Medicine, 8600 Rockville Pike, Board Room, Bethesda, MD 20894.

Open: November 5, 1998, 8:30 am to 8:45 am.

Agenda: Administrative reports and program developments.

Place: National Library of Medicine, 8600 Rockville Pike, Board Room, Bethesda, MD 20894.

Closed: November 5, 1998, 8:45 am to 1:30 pm.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: National Library of Medicine, 8600 Rockville Pike, Board Room, Bethesda, MD 20894.

Contact Person: Sharee Pepper, Scientific Review Administrator, Health Scientist Administrator, Office of Extramural Programs, National Library of Medicine, 6705 Rockledge Drive, Suite 301, Bethesda, MD 20892.

(Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.879, Medical Library Assistance, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Public Health Service

National Toxicology Program (NTP) Board of Scientific Counselors' Meeting; Review of Draft NTP Technical Reports

Pursuant to Public law 92-463, notice is hereby given of the next meeting of the NTP Board of Scientific Counselors' Technical Reports Review Subcommittee on October 30, 1998, in the Conference Center, Building 101, South Campus, National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences (NIEHS), 111 Alexander Drive, Research Triangle Park, North Carolina. The meeting will begin at 9:00 a.m. on October 30, and is open to the public. The agenda topic is the peer review of draft Technical Reports of long-term toxicology and carcinogenesis studies from the National Toxicology Program.

Tentatively scheduled to be peer reviewed on October 30 are draft Technical Reports of five two-year studies, listed alphabetically, along with supporting information in the attached table. The draft Report on triethanolamine had been peer reviewed previously but is being returned for rereview as this was the first study in which infection of B6C3F₁ mice with *Halobacter* hepaticus was discovered. All studies were done using Fischer 344 rats and B6C3F₁ mice. The order of review is given in the far right column of the table. By September 30, 1998, full copies of these draft reports will be available for free on the Internet for public review and comment through the Environmental Health Information Service (EHIS) at <http://ehis.niehs.nih.gov>. Printed copies can be

obtained, as available, from: Central Data Management, MD E1-02, P.O. Box 12233, Research Triangle Park, NC 27709 (919/541-3419), FAX (919/541-3687); email: CDM@niehs.nih.gov.

Public comment on any of the Technical Reports is welcome. Persons wanting to make a formal presentation regarding a particular Technical Report must notify the Executive Secretary by telephone at 919/541-3971, by FAX at 919/541-0295, by mail, or by email at hart@niehs.nih.gov, by no later than October 27, 1998, and, if possible, provide a written copy in advance of the meeting so copies can be made and distributed to all Subcommittee members and staff, and made available at the meeting for attendees. Written statements could supplement and may expand on the oral presentation. *Oral presentations should be limited to no more than five minutes.*

The Program would welcome receiving toxicology and carcinogenesis information from completed, ongoing, or planned studies by others, as well as current production data, human exposure information, and use patterns for any of the chemicals listed in this announcement. Please contact Central Data Management at the address given above, and they will relay the information to the appropriate staff scientist.

The Executive Secretary, Dr. Larry G. Hart, P.O. Box 12233, Research Triangle Park, North Carolina 27709 will furnish agenda and a roster of Subcommittee members prior to the meeting. Summary minutes subsequent to the meeting will be available upon request to Central Data Management.

Dated: September 21, 1998.

Kenneth Olden,

Director, National Toxicology Program.

SUMMARY DATA FOR TECHNICAL REPORTS TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED FOR REVIEW AT THE MEETING OF THE NTP BOARD OF SCIENTIFIC COUNSELOR'S TECHNICAL REPORTS REVIEW SUBCOMMITTEE

[October 30, 1998]

Chemical CAS No.	Technical report No.	Primary uses	Route/exposure levels	Review order
Ethylene Glycol Monobutyl Ether 111-76-2.	TR-484	Solvent for mineral oils, in spray lacquers, varnish removers, metal cleaners.	Inhalation (air): Rats: 0, 31, 62.5, or 125 ppm; Mice: 0, 62.5, 125, or 250 ppm (50/sex/species/group).	3
Glutaraldehyde 111-30-8	TR-490	Disinfectant and sterilizing agent; Embalming fluid; chemical intermediate for adhesives, electrical products, tanning soft leathers; in photographic developing, dental materials.	Inhalation (air): Rats: 0, 250, 500, or 750 ppm; Mice: 0, 62.5, 125, or 250 ppb (50/sex/species/group).	5
Methyleugenol 93-15-2	TR-491	Insect attractant; major constituent of clove oil, used extensively in perfumes & flavorings.	Gavage (methylcellulose): Rats & Mice: 0, 37, 75, or 150 mg/kg (50/sex/species/group).	2