

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Institute on Drug Abuse; Notice of Closed Meetings

Pursuant to section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. App.), notice is hereby given of the following meetings.

The meetings 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 on Drug Abuse, Special Emphasis Panel NIDA Statistical and Computational Genetics R25.

Date: June 29, 2009.

Time: 10 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: National Institutes of Health, Executive Blvd, Rockville, MD 20852 (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Mark Swieter, PhD, Chief, Training and Special Projects Review Branch, Office of Extramural Affairs, National Institute on Drug Abuse, NIH, DHHS, 6101 Executive Boulevard, Suite 220, Bethesda, MD 20892-8401. (301) 435-1389. ms80x@nih.gov.

Name of Committee: National Institute on Drug Abuse, Special Emphasis Panel Program Project (P01) Applications.

Date: July 1, 2009.

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

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: National Institutes of Health, 6101 Executive Boulevard, Rockville, MD 20852 (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Jose F Ruiz, PhD., Scientific Review Administrator, Office of Extramural Affairs, National Institute on Drug Abuse, NIH, 6101 Executive Blvd., Rm. 213, MSC 8401, Bethesda, MD 20892. 301-451-3086. ruizjf@nida.nih.gov.

Name of Committee: National Institute on Drug Abuse, Special Emphasis Panel I/START Review Panel.

Date: July 2, 2009.

Time: 8:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: National Institutes of Health, 6101 Executive Boulevard, Rockville, MD 20852 (Virtual Meeting).

Contact Person: Gerald L. McLaughlin, PhD., Scientific Review Administrator, Office of Extramural Affairs, National Institute on Drug Abuse, NIH, DHHS, Room 220, MSC 8401, 6101 Executive Blvd., Bethesda, MD

20892-8401. 301-402-6626.

gm145a@nih.gov.

Name of Committee: National Institute on Drug Abuse, Special Emphasis Panel NIDA Avant-Garde Award.

Date: July 14-15, 2009.

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

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: Westin Grand, 2350 M Street, NW., Washington, DC 20037.

Contact Person: Nadine Rogers, PhD., Scientific Review Administrator, Office of Extramural Affairs, National Institute on Drug Abuse, NIH, DHHS, Room 220, MSC 8401, 6101 Executive Boulevard, Bethesda, MD 20892-8401. 301-402-2105. rogersn2@nida.nih.gov.

(Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.279, Drug Abuse and Addiction Research Programs, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

Dated: June 10, 2009.

Jennifer Spaeth,

Director, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-5300-N-03]

Notice of Availability: Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) for HUD's Fiscal Year (FY) 2009 Housing Counseling Training Program

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary for Housing—Federal Housing Commissioner, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: HUD announces the availability on its Web site of the applicant information, submission deadlines, funding criteria and other requirements for HUD's Housing Counseling Training Program NOFA for FY2009. Approximately \$5 million is made available through this NOFA under the Department of Housing and Urban Development Appropriations Act, 2009 (Pub. L. 111-8, approved March 11, 2009) for HUD's Housing Counseling Training Program. Applicants for HUD's Housing Counseling Training Program must address the requirements established by HUD's Fiscal Year 2009 Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) Policy Requirements and General Section to HUD's FY2009 NOFAs for Discretionary Programs (General Section) published on December 29, 2008 (73 FR 79548), as amended April 16, 2009 (74 FR 17685). Applicants should take particular note that they must follow the application instructions contained in the FY2009

Housing Counseling Training Program NOFA and not use those in the General Section. The notice providing information regarding the application process, funding criteria and eligibility requirements is available on the HUD Web site at <http://www.hud.gov/offices/adm/grants/fundsavail.cfm>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Questions regarding specific program requirements should be directed to the agency contact identified in the program NOFA. Questions regarding the 2009 General Section should be directed to the Office of Departmental Grants Management and Oversight at 202-708-0667 (this is not a toll-free number) or the NOFA Information Center at 1-800-HUD-8929 (toll-free). Persons with hearing or speech impairments may access these numbers via TTY by calling the Federal Information Relay Service at 1-800-877-8339.

Dated: June 12, 2009.

Brian D. Montgomery,

Assistant Secretary for Housing—Federal Housing Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-5300-N-12]

Notice of Availability: Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) for Fiscal Year (FY) 2009 Capacity Building for Community Development and Affordable Housing Grants

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Through this notice, HUD announces the availability on its Web site of the application information, submission deadlines, funding criteria, and other requirements for the FY2009 Capacity Building for Community Development and Affordable Housing (Capacity Building) NOFA. The FY2009 Capacity Building NOFA makes \$34 million in assistance to carry out the eligible activities related to affordable housing and community development for the section 4 capacity building program, of which at least \$5 million shall be made available for rural capacity building activities. Applicants for assistance under the Capacity Building NOFA must address applicable requirements found in the Notice of HUD's Fiscal Year 2009 Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) Policy Requirements and General section to the

HUD's FY2009 NOFAs for Discretionary Programs published on December 29, 2008 (73 FR 79548), as amended on April 16, 2009 (74 FR 17685). Applicants should take particular note that they should follow the application submission instructions contained in this NOFA and not use those in the General section. The notice providing information regarding the application process, funding criteria and eligibility requirements is available on the HUD Web site at <http://www.hud.gov/offices/adm/grants/fundsavail.cfm>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For information concerning the Capacity Building NOFA program, a Community Planning and Development Specialist, Office of Rural Housing and Economic Development, Office of Community Planning and Development, Department Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, SW., Room 7137, Washington, DC 20410-7000; telephone (202) 708-2290 (this is not a toll-free number) or 1-877-787-2526 (this is a toll-free number). Persons with speech or hearing impairments may access this telephone number via TTY by calling the toll-free Federal Information Relay Service during working hours at 800-877-8339.

Dated: May 20, 2009.

Nelson R. Bregón,

General Deputy Assistant Secretary for Community Planning and Development.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-5332-N-01]

Proposed Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) for HUD's Fiscal Year (FY) 2009 Rental Assistance for Non-Elderly Persons With Disabilities; Request for Comments

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary for Public and Indian Housing, HUD.

ACTION: Proposed notice of HUD's Fiscal Year 2009 Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA) for Rental Assistance for Non-Elderly Persons with Disabilities and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Omnibus Appropriations Act, 2009 (Pub. L. 111-8) makes available \$30 million for incremental Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers (HCV) for non-elderly disabled families served by entities (which this NOFA will limit to public housing agencies (PHAs)) with demonstrated experience and resources for supportive services).

This money should fund approximately 4,000 HCVs. Approximately 25 percent (\$7,500,000 and 1,000 HCVs) will be made available for non-elderly families transitioning out of nursing homes and other institutions into the community. To permit the Department to better design the distribution of this assistance, particularly as it relates to transitioning non-elderly disabled families out of nursing homes and other institutions and the NOFA's tie-in to the Money Follows the Person (MFP) Demonstration administered by the Department of Health and Human Services, HUD is soliciting public comment. Comments addressing the threshold factors used to distribute this assistance and whether HUD should establish a more performance-based method for distributing vouchers, and how the State institutional transition programs such as the MFP Demonstration can work effectively with the PHAs that are awarded vouchers for this purpose are also welcome. All comments will be considered during the development of the final NOFA published by HUD.

DATES: *Comment Due Date:* July 13, 2009.

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments to the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Office of Public and Indian Housing, Housing Voucher Management and Operations Division, 451 7th Street, SW., Room 4210, Washington, DC 20410, ATTN: Phyllis Smelkinson. Individuals interested in submitting comments electronically may forward them by e-mail to NEDVoucherNOFA@hud.gov. All comments must refer to the above docket number and title. Facsimile (FAX) comments will not be accepted.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Questions regarding specific HCV program requirements should be directed to Phyllis Smelkinson by phone at (202) 402-4138 or by e-mail at Phyllis.A.Smelkinson@hud.gov or the NOFA Information Center at (800) HUD-8929 (toll-free). Persons with hearing or speech impairments may access these numbers via TTY by calling the Federal Information Relay Service at (800) 877-8339. The NOFA Information Center is open between the hours of 10 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. eastern time, Monday through Friday, except Federal holidays.

Overview Information

A. Federal Agency Name: Department of Housing and Urban Development, Office of Public and Indian Housing.

B. Funding Opportunity Title: Rental Assistance for Non-Elderly Persons With Disabilities.

C. Announcement Type: Initial announcement.

D. Funding Opportunity Number: OMB Approval Numbers applicable to this NOFA are 2577-0169 and 2577-0083

E. Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance (CFDA) Number(s): 14.871, Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers.

F. Dates:

1. Application Receipt Requirements and Date: HUD is not currently accepting applications for this assistance. HUD will require applicants to submit applications electronically through Grants.gov. Please see the Notice of HUD's Fiscal Year (FY) 2009 Notice of Funding Availability (NOFA); Policy Requirements and General Section to HUD's FY 2009 NOFAs for Discretionary Programs (General Section) published in the **Federal Register** on December 29, 2008 (73 FR 79548), for information on the Grants.gov registration process. All applicants must have a DUN and Bradstreet Universal Numbering System (DUNS) number, have a current registration in the Central Contractor Registration (CCR), and be registered with Grants.gov to submit an application electronically. All applicants regardless of submission through Grants.gov or in paper format must have a DUNS number and be registered in CCR to receive an award of funds from HUD. See the General Section for further details.

2. Estimated Grant Award Date. The estimated award date will be included in the final NOFA published by HUD.

G. Additional Important Overview Information:

1. Approximately \$22,500,000 that will support about 3,000 HCVs under this NOFA will enable non-elderly disabled families on a PHA's waiting list to access affordable housing (Category 1). Approximately \$7,500,000 that will support about 1,000 HCVs under this NOFA will enable non-elderly persons with disabilities to transition from nursing homes and other health care institutions into the community (Category 2). Individuals in Category 2 must be admitted from the PHA's waiting list and assisted through a preference as stated in the PHA's Administrative Plan for transitioning persons from institutions. Any non-elderly disabled family or individual on the PHA waiting list is eligible for a Category 1 voucher, however, HUD encourages PHAs to consider establishing a selection preference to make some or all of its Category 1