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## 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. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given of the following National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) Special Emphasis Panel (SEP) meetings.

*Purpose/Agenda:* To review and evaluate grant applications and contract proposals.

*Name of Committee:* NIDA Special Emphasis Panel (Treatment).

*Date:* March 3, 1998.

*Time:* 10:00 a.m.

*Place:* Double Tree Hotel, 1750 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD 20852.

*Contact Person:* Rita Liu, Ph.D., Scientific Review Administrator, Office of Extramural Program Review, National Institute on Drug Abuse, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 10-22, Telephone (301) 443-9042.

*Name of Committee:* NIDA Special Emphasis Panel (Contract Review—"Technical and Logistical Support Assistance to NIDA, OSPC").

*Date:* March 5, 1998.

*Time:* 9:30 a.m.

*Place:* Parklawn Building, Conference Q, 3rd Floor, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857.

*Contact Person:* Mr. Lyle Furr, Review Administrator, Office of Extramural Program Review, National Institute on Drug Abuse, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 10-42, Telephone (301) 443-1644.

*Name of Committee:* NIDA Special Emphasis Panel (AIDS Biomedical and Clinical).

*Date:* March 11, 1998.

*Time:* 11:00 a.m.

*Place:* Holiday Inn Bethesda, 8120 Wisconsin Avenue, Bethesda, MD 20852.

*Contact Person:* Khursheed Asghar, Ph.D., Scientific Review Administrator, Office of Extramural Program Review, National Institute on Drug Abuse, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 10-42, Telephone (301) 443-2620.

*Name of Committee:* NIDA Special Emphasis (AIDS Biomedical and Clinical).

*Date:* March 11, 1998.

*Time:* 2:00 p.m.

*Place:* Holiday Inn Bethesda, 8120 Wisconsin Avenue, Bethesda, MD 20852.

*Contact Person:* Khursheed Asghar, Ph.D., Scientific Review Administrator, Office of Extramural Program Review, National Institute on Drug Abuse, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 10-42, Telephone (301) 443-2620.

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

The meetings will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in secs. 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. The applications and/or proposals and the discussions could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material and personal information concerning individuals associated with the applications and/or proposals, disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. (Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Programs Nos. 93.277, Drug Abuse Research Scientist Development and Research Awards; 93.278, Drug Abuse National Research Service Awards for Research Training; 93.279, Drug Abuse Research Programs.)

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Institutes of Health

#### National Institute on Drug Abuse; Amended Notice of Closed Meeting

Notice is hereby given of a change in the meeting of the National Institute on Drug Abuse Special Emphasis Panel (Organization and Management of Drug Abuse Treatment Services) on March 4, 1998, at 8:30 a.m., at the Key Bridge Marriott Hotel, 1401 Lee Highway, Arlington, VA 22209, which was published in the **Federal Register** on January 26, 1998, Volume 63, FR 6575.

The date and time of this committee have been changed to March 3, 1998, at 2:00 p.m.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Institutes of Health

#### National Institute on Drug Abuse; Amended Notice of Closed Meetings

Notice is hereby given of changes in the National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) Initial Review Group and Special Emphasis Panel meetings, which was published in the **Federal Register** on January 26, 1998, Volume 63, FR 3756.

The NIDA Special Emphasis Panel (Training and Career Development) on March 2-4, 1998, at 8:30 a.m., at the Residence Inn by Marriott, 7335 Wisconsin Avenue, Bethesda, MD 20814.

The dates and location of this committee have been changed to April 6-8, 1998, at the Ritz-Carlton at Pentagon City, 1250 South Hayes Street, Arlington, VA 22202.

The AIDS Biomedical and Clinical Research Subcommittee on March 10-11, 1998, at 8:30 a.m., at the Double Tree Hotel, 1750 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD 20852.

The location of this committee has been changed to Bethesda Holiday Inn, 8120 Wisconsin Avenue, Bethesda, MD 20814.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Institutes of Health

#### National Institute of General Medical Sciences; Notice of Meeting of the National Advisory General Medical Sciences Council

Pursuant to Pub. L. 92-463, notice is hereby given of the meeting of the National Advisory General Medical Sciences Council, National Institute of General Medical Sciences, National Institutes of Health, on May 14-15, 1998, Natcher Building 45, Conference Rooms E1 and E2, Bethesda, Maryland.

This meeting will be open to the public from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. on May 14, for the discussion of program policies and issues, opening remarks, report of the Director, NIGMS, and other business of Council. Attendance by the public will be limited to space available.

In accordance with provisions set forth in secs. 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. and sec. 10(d) of Pub. L. 92-463, the meeting will be closed to the public on May 14, from 8:30 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., and also closed on May 15, (8:30 a.m. to adjournment) for the review, discussion, and evaluation of individual grant applications. Applications and the discussions could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the applications, disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

Mrs. Ann Dieffenbach, Public Information Officer, National Institute of General Medical Sciences, National Institutes of Health, Natcher Building, Room 3AS-43H, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, telephone: 301-496-7301, FAX 301-402-0224, will provide a summary of the meeting, and a roster of Council members. Individuals who plan to attend and need special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other reasonable accommodations, should contact Mrs. Dieffenbach in advance of the meeting. Dr. W. Sue Shafter, Executive Secretary, NAGMS Council, National Institutes of Health, Natcher Building, Room 2AN-32C, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, telephone: 301-594-4499 will provide substantive program information upon request.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.821, Biophysics and Physiological Sciences; 93.859, Pharmacological Sciences; 93.862, Genetics Research; 93.863, Cellular and Molecular Basis of Disease Research; 93.880, Minority Access Research Careers [MARC]; and 93.375, Minority Biomedical Research Support [MBRS]; Special Programs, 93.960)

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**National Institutes of Health**

**National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases; 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 National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases Special Emphasis Panel (SEP) meeting:

*Name of SEP:* Novel HIV Therapies: Integrated Preclinical/Clinical Program.

*Date:* March 30-April 2, 1998.

*Time:* 7:30 p.m. to Adjournment.

*Place:* Holiday Inn Gaithersburg, Whetstone Conference Room, 2 Montgomery Village Avenue, Gaithersburg, MD 20879, (301) 948-8900.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Allen C. Stoolmiller, Scientific Review Adm., 6003 Executive Boulevard, Solar Bldg., Room 4C05, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 496-7966.

*Purpose/Agenda:* To evaluate grant applications.

The meeting will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in secs. 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. Applications and/or proposals and the discussions could reveal confidential trade

secrets or commercial property such as patentable material and personal information concerning individuals associated with the applications and/or proposals, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Programs Nos. 93.855, Immunology, Allergic and Immunologic Diseases Research; 93.856, Microbiology and Infectious Diseases Research, National Institutes of Health.)

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**National Institutes of Health**

**National Institute on Aging; 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 the following meetings:

*Name of SEP:* National Institute on Aging Special Emphasis Panel, Age-Related Degeneration.

*Date of Meeting:* March 4, 1998.

*Time of Meeting:* 1:00 p.m. to adjournment.

*Place of Meeting:* San Francisco Bay Collection, San Francisco, California.

*Purpose/Agenda:* To review one program project grant.

*Contact Person:* Dr. James Harwood, Scientific Review Administrator, Gateway Building, Room 2C212, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Maryland 20892-9205, (301) 496-9666.

*Name of SEP:* National Institute on Aging Special Emphasis Panel, The Effects of Aging on Cardiac Diastolic Function.

*Date of Meeting:* March 4-5, 1998.

*Time of Meeting:* March 4-7:30 p.m. to recess. March 5-9:00 a.m. to adjournment.

*Place of Meeting:* Hampton Inn-Union Station, 2211 Market Street, St. Louis, Missouri.

*Purpose/Agenda:* To review a proposed grant.

*Contact Person:* Dr. William Kachadorian, Scientific Review Administrator, Gateway Building, Room 2C212, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Maryland 20892-9205, (301) 496-9666.

*Name of SEP:* National Institute on Aging Special Emphasis Panel, Molecular Mechanisms of MGUS.

*Date of Meeting:* March 11, 1998.

*Time of Meeting:* 1:00 p.m. to adjournment.

*Place of Meeting:* The Drake Hotel, Oak Brook, Illinois.

*Purpose/Agenda:* To review a program project application in the area of peripheral gammopathy for the May 1998 council round.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Sheryl Brining, Dr. Mary Nekola, Scientific Review

Administrator, Gateway Building, Room 2C212, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Maryland 20892-9205, (301) 496-9666.

This notice is being published less than 15 days prior to the above meetings due to the urgent need to meet timing limitations imposed by the review and funding cycle.

*Name of SEP:* National Institute on Aging Special Emphasis Panel, NIA Roybal Center Grant Review.

*Dates of Meeting:* March 25-27, 1998.

*Times of Meeting:* March 25-9:00 to recess. March 26-9:00 a.m. to recess. March 27-9:00 a.m. to adjournment.

*Place of Meeting:* Hyatt Regency Hotel, 7400 Block of Wisconsin Avenue, Bethesda, Maryland 20814.

*Purpose/Agenda:* To evaluate and review center grant applications.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Mary Ann Guadagno, Scientific Review Administrator, Gateway Building, Room 2C212, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Maryland 20892-9205, (301) 496-9666.

*Name of SEP:* National Institute of Aging Special Emphasis Panel, Pathogenic Protein Interactions in Alzheimer's Disease (Teleconference).

*Date of Meeting:* March 31, 1998.

*Time of Meeting:* 1:00 p.m. to adjournment.

*Place of Meeting:* Gateway Building, Room 2C212, 7201 Wisconsin Avenue, Bethesda, Maryland 20814.

*Purpose/Agenda:* To review a program project amendment.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Maria Mannarino, Scientific Review Administrator, Gateway Building, Room 2C212, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Maryland 20892-9205, (301) 496-9666.

*Name of SEP:* National Institute of Aging Special Emphasis Panel, Aging Heart: Basis of Increased Ischemic/Reflow Injury.

*Dates of Meeting:* April 7-8, 1998.

*Times of Meeting:* April 7-7:30 p.m. to recess. April 8-8:00 a.m. to adjournment.

*Place of Meeting:* Omni International Hotel, Cleveland, Ohio.

*Purpose/Agenda:* To review a program project grant.

*Contact Person:* Dr. James Harwood, Scientific Review Administrator, Gateway Building, Room 2C212, National Institutes of Health, Bethesda, Maryland 20892-9205, (301) 496-9666.

These meetings will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in secs. 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. Applications and/or proposal and the discussions could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material and personal information concerning individuals associated with the applications and/or proposals, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy. (Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program No. 93.866, Aging Research, National Institutes of Health.)

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