

to allow an additional 30 days for public comment. The National Institutes of Health may not conduct or sponsor, and the respondent is not required to respond to, an information collection that has been extended, revised, or implemented on or after October 1, 1995, unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

Proposed Collection

Title: Behavioral and Environmental Risk Factors for Childhood Drowning.
Type of Information Collection Request: New. **Need and Use of Information Collection:** The proposed study seeks to determine the relationship between swimming lessons, swimming ability, and other risk or protective factors on the one hand, and the risk of drowning on the other. Drowning is the second leading cause of unintentional injury death among children in the United States. Children under the age of five years are at particularly increased risk with drowning rates peaking among 1–

2 year olds. Adolescent males are also at increased risk. While some preventive strategies, such as pool fencing, are known to be effective, the impact of other preventive strategies is unclear. For example, it is estimated that at least 20% of children between the ages of 1–4 years participate in formal swimming instructions, yet the effect of these instructions on the risk of drowning is unknown. Some argue that early exposure to swimming lessons might increase the risk of drowning by increasing exposure and decreasing children's fear of the water. Among adolescents, there is some indirect evidence that more skilled swimmers may be at increased risk of drowning. Better swimmers are likely to participate in more water-related activities and may feel confident enough to swim in higher risk settings, such as remote natural bodies of water with no lifeguards present. The findings from this study will provide valuable information concerning risk and protective factors

for childhood drownings, information that is crucial in directing future preventive efforts. The proposed study will utilize a case-control methodology to identify associations between behavioral and environmental factors and the risk of drowning.

Interviews will be conducted with parents/guardians of 1272 children (424 cases and 848 controls.) The case interview and the control interview are estimated to take 40 minutes to complete. Additionally, a short, 10 minute questionnaire will be administered to 200 adolescents ages 14–19 years to assess risk behaviors related to water activities. Controls will be identified through random-digit dialing. It is estimated that 32,358 households will need to be screened (at 5 minutes per screener) to identify the 848 controls. Screening and study interviews will be conducted over a 27-month study period. There are no Capital Costs, Operating Costs and/or Maintenance Costs to report.

Type of respondent	Number of respondents	Frequency of response	Average hours per response	Total hours burden	Annual hour burden
Respondents to Parent/Guardian Case Interview	424	1	0.667	282.8	126
Respondents to RDD Screener	32,358	1	0.0835	2701.8	1201
Respondents to Control Interview	848	1	0.667	565.6	251
Respondents to Adolescent Interview	200	1	0.167	33.4	15
Total				3,583.6	1,593

Request for Comments

Written comments and/or suggestions from the public and affected agencies should address one or more of the following points: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the function of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) The accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) Ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Direct Comments to OMB

Written comments and/or suggestions regarding the item(s) contained in this notice, especially regarding the estimated public burden and associated response time, should be directed to the: Office of Management and Budget,

Office of Regulatory Affairs, New Executive Office Building, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503, *Attention:* Desk Officer for NIH. To request more information on the proposed project or to obtain a copy of the data collection plans and instruments, contact: Charles Grewe, Contracting Officer, NICHD, NIH. Address: 6100 Executive Blvd., Suite 7A07, Bethesda, MD 20892–7510; e-mail address cg59b@nih.gov; Phone: (303) 496–4611 (collect calls cannot be accepted).

Comments Due Date: Comments regarding this information collection are best assured of having their full effect if received within 30-days of the date of this publication.

Dated: October 9, 2002.

Kathleen Wilburn,

Project Clearance Liaison, NICHD, National Institutes of Health.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine; 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 Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine Special Emphasis Panel, K06 Meeting.

Date: October 17, 2002.

Time: 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: Marriott, 6711 Democracy Boulevard, Bethesda, MD 20817.

Contact Person: William A. Kachadorian, PhD, MTS, Scientific Review Administrator, Office of Scientific Review, National Center for Complementary Alternative Medicine, 6707 Democracy Blvd, Ste 106, Bethesda, MD 20892-5475, (301) 594-2014, kachadow@mail.nih.gov.

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.

Dated: October 10, 2002.

LaVerne Y. Stringfield,

Director, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.

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Name of Committee: National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine Special Emphasis Panel, CB04 Meeting.

Date: November 4, 2002.

Time: 1 pm to 5 pm.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: 6707 Democracy Blvd., Bethesda, MD 20892 (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Carol Pontzer, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine, 6707 Democracy Blvd., Bethesda, MD 20892.

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National Institutes of Health

National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases; Notice of Closed Meeting

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Name of Committee: Microbiology, Infectious Diseases and AIDS Initial Review Group, Acquired Immunodeficiency Syndrome Research Review Committee, AIDS Research Review Committee.

Date: November 7-8, 2002.

Time: 8:30 am to 2 pm.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: Hyatt Regency Hotel, One Bethesda Metro Center, Bethesda, MD 20814.

Contact Person: Roberta Binder, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Scientific Review Program, Division of Extramural Activities, NIAID, HHS, Room 2209, 6700B Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892-7616, 301-496-2550, rb169n@nih.gov.

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National Institutes of Health

National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases; Notice of Closed Meeting

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Name of Committee: National Institute of Allergy and Infectious Diseases Special Emphasis Panel, The International Centers for Excellence in Research Clinical Research and Management Training Program.

Date: November 8, 2002.

Time: 2 pm to 5 pm.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

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

Contact Person: Roberta Binder, PhD, Scientific Review Administrator, Division of Extramural Activities, NIAID, 6700B Rockledge Drive, Rm 2155, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301-496-7966, rb169n@nih.gov.

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National Institutes of Health

National Institute of Mental Health; Notice of closed Meeting

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