

NIH Internet users; (2) summarize and better understand customer needs; and (3) quantify the effectiveness/efficiency of current tools and delivery. Overall, the Institutes, Centers, and Offices of the NIH will use the survey results to identify strengths and weaknesses in current Internet strategies. Findings will help to (1) understand user community and how to better serve Internet users; (2) discover areas requiring improvement in either content or delivery; (3) realize how to align Web

offerings with identified user need(s); and (4) explore methods to offer and deliver information with efficacy and equity. *Frequency of Response:* Annual [As needed on an on-going and, possibly, concurrent basis (by Institute, Center, or Office)]. *Affected Public:* Users of the Internet. Primarily, this is an individual at their place(s) of access including, but not limited to, home or/and work environments. *Type of Respondents:* Public users of the NIH Internet site, www.nih.gov, which may

include organizations, medical researchers, physicians and other health care providers, librarians, students, as well as individuals of the general public. *Estimated Number of Respondents:* 104,000. *Number of Respondents Per Respondent:* 1. *Average Burden Hours Per Response:* 0.084. *Burden Hours Requested:* 8,684. Total annualized cost to respondents is estimated at \$116,105. There are also no capital costs, operating costs and/or maintenance costs to report.

SURVEY TITLE: WEB CUSTOMER SATISFACTION SURVEY—ANNUAL REPORTING BURDEN*

[Web-based; Required for Federal Register requests under PRA, Paperwork Reduction Act.]

Survey area	Number of respondents	Frequency of response	Avg. Burden per response (hours)	Burden hours
NIH Organization-wide (1 entity)	4000			334
Overall customer satisfaction	2000	1	0.1002	200
Specific indicator: Top-level/Entry pages	1000	1	0.0668	67
Specific indicator: Tools and initiatives	1000	1	0.0668	67
Individual Institute/Office (25 entities)	100000			8350
Overall customer satisfaction	50000	1	0.1002	5010
Specific indicator: Top-level/Entry pages	25000	1	0.0668	1670
Specific indicator: Tools and initiatives	25000	1	0.0668	1670
Total	104000		0.084	8684

*Survey research firm, MediaMetrics, indicated 1,264,000 unique visitors to NIH sites in Dec, 1999. If fully implemented, an average month would survey 8,600 users (less than 0.007 of total average unique visitors to NIH sites).

Request for Comments

Written comments and/or suggestions from the public and affected agencies are invited on 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.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request additional information on the proposed collection of information contact: Dennis Rodrigues, NIH Office of Communications and Public Liaison, 9000 Rockville Pike, Bldg. 31, Rm. 2B03, Bethesda, Maryland 20892-2094, or call non toll-free at (301) 435-2932. You may also e-mail your request to dr3p@nih.gov.

Comments Due Date: Comments regarding this information collection are best assured of having their full effect if received on or before May 5, 2000.

Dated: February 23, 2000.

Anne Thomas,

Assoc. Director, Office of Communications and Public Liaison National Institutes of Health.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Center for Research Resources; Notice of 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.

The meetings 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 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 Center for Research Resources Initial Review Group, Research Centers In Minority Institutions Review Committee.

Date: June 12-13, 2000.

Open: June 12, 2000, 8 AM to 10 AM.

Agenda: To discuss program planning and program accomplishments.

Place: Gaithersburg Marriott, Washingtonian Center, 9751 Washingtonian Boulevard, Gaithersburg, MD 20878.

Closed: June 12, 2000, 10:00 AM to Adjournment.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: Gaithersburg Marriott, Washingtonian Center, 9751 Washingtonian Boulevard, Gaithersburg, MD 20878.

Contact Person: C. William Angus, Scientific Review Administrator, Office of Review, National Center for Research Resources, 6705 Rockledge Drive, MSC 7965, Room 6018, Bethesda, MD 20892-7965, 301-435-0812.

Name of Committee: National Center for Research Resources Initial Review Group, General Clinical Research Centers Review Committee.

Date: June 14–15, 2000.

Open: June 14, 2000, 8:00 AM to 9:30 AM.

Agenda: To discuss program planning and program accomplishments.

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

Closed: June 14, 2000, 9:30 AM to Adjournment.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

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

Contact Person: John L. Meyer, Scientific Review Administrator, Office of Review, National Center for Research Resources, 6705 Rockledge Drive, MSC 7965, Room 6018, Bethesda, MD 20892–7965, 301–435–0806. (Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.306, Comparative Medicine, 93.306; 93.333, Clinical Research, 93.333; 93.371, Biomedical Technology; 93.389, Research Infrastructure, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

Dated: February 24, 2000.

LaVerne Y. Stringfield,

Director, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Center for Complementary & 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 & Alternative Medicine Special Emphasis Panel.

Date: March 24, 2000.

Time: 3 PM to 4:30 PM.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: 9000 Rockville Pike, Bldg. 31, Room 5B50 Bethesda, MD 20892, (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Eugene G. Hayunga, Scientific Review Administrator, National Institutes of Health, NCCAM, Building 31, Room 5B50, 9000 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301–594–2014, hayungae@od.nih.gov.

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Anna Snouffer,

Acting Director, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute; Notice of Meeting

Pursuant to section 10(a) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2), notice is hereby given of a meeting of the Sleep Disorders Research Advisory Board.

The meeting will be open to the public, 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.

Name of Committee: Sleep Disorders Research Advisory Board.

Date: April 10, 2000.

Time: 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM.

Agenda: To discuss sleep research and education priorities and programs.

Place: Natcher Building, Conference Room D, 45 Center Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892.

Contact Person: Michael J. Twery, Acting Director, National Center on Sleep Disorders Research, Two Rockledge Center, Suite 10038, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301/435–0199.

(Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.233, National Center for Sleep Disorders Research; 93.837, Heart and Vascular Diseases Research; 93.838, Lung Diseases Research; 93.839, Blood Diseases and Resources Research, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health National Institute on Drug Abuse; 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 contract proposals and the discussions could disclose confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the contract proposals, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

Name of Committee: National Institute on Drug Abuse Special Emphasis Panel, “Drug Supply Services Support”.

Date: February 29, 2000.

Time: 9:30 AM to 11:30 AM.

Agenda: To review and evaluate contract proposals.

Place: Neuroscience Center, National Institutes of Health, 6001 Executive Blvd., Bethesda, MD 20892, (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Eric Zatman, Contract Review Specialist, Office of Extramural Affairs, National Institute on Drug Abuse, National Institutes of Health, DHHS, 6001 Executive Boulevard, Room 3158, MSC 9547, Bethesda, MD 20892–9547, (301) 435–1438.

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. 93.277, Drug Abuse Scientist Development Award for Clinicians, Scientists Development Awards, and Research Scientist Awards; 93.278, Drug Abuse National Research Service Awards for Research Training; 93.279, Drug Abuse Research Programs, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

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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 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