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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Advisory Committee on Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention: Meeting

In accordance with section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), the National Center for Environmental Health (NCEH) of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) announces the following committee meeting.

Name: Advisory Committee on Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention.

Times and Dates: 8:30 a.m.-5 p.m., February 28, 2000. 8:30 a.m.-12 p.m., February 29, 2000.

Place: Wyndham Atlanta Hotel, 160 Spring Street, Atlanta, Georgia 30303, telephone 404/688-8600.

Status: Open to the public, limited only by the space available. The meeting room accommodates approximately 90 people.

Purpose: The Committee shall provide advice and guidance to the Secretary; the Assistant Secretary for Health; and the Director, CDC, regarding new scientific knowledge and technological developments and their practical implications for childhood lead poisoning prevention efforts. The Committee shall also review and report regularly on childhood lead poisoning prevention practices and recommend improvements in national childhood lead poisoning prevention efforts.

Matters to be Discussed: Agenda items include: Childhood Lead Poisoning Prevention activities update, Medicaid issues, Screening and Case Management Working Group updates, and updates on Medical and Environmental Management issues. Agenda items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

Opportunities will be provided during the meeting for oral comments. Depending on the time available and the number of requests, it may be necessary to limit the time of each presenter.

Contact Person for More Information:

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The Director, Management Analysis and Services Office, has been delegated the authority to sign **Federal Register** notices

pertaining to announcements of meetings and other committee management activities, for both the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Administration for Children and Families

President's Committee on Mental Retardation; Notice of Meeting

AGENCY: President's Committee on Mental Retardation.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

DATES: Thursday, February 24, 2000 from 9:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Place: The meeting will be held in the Loews New York Hotel, 569 Lexington Avenue at East 51st Street, New York, New York 10022. Full Committee Meetings are open to the public. An interpreter for the deaf will be available upon advance request. All meeting sites are barrier free.

Agenda: The Committee plans to discuss critical issues concerning Federal Policy, Federal Research and Demonstration, State Policy Collaboration, Minority and Cultural Diversity and Mission and Public Awareness, relating to individuals with mental retardation.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jane L. Browning, Executive Director, President's Committee on Mental Retardation, Room 701 Aerospace Building, 370 L'Enfant Promenade, S.W., Washington, D.C. 20447, (202) 619-0634.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The PCMR acts in an advisory capacity to the President and the Secretary of the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services on a broad range of topics relating to programs, services, and supports for persons with mental retardation. The Committee, by Executive Order, is responsible for evaluating the adequacy of current practices in programs and supports for persons with mental retardation, and for reviewing legislative proposals that impact the quality of life that is experienced by citizens with mental retardation and their families.

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Jane L. Browning,

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. 00N-0352]

Status of Useful Written Prescription Drug Information for Patients; Public Meeting

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice of public meeting; request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing a public meeting to discuss the findings of the interim study of the status of useful written prescription drug information for patients consistent with the criteria specified in the "Action Plan for the Provision of Useful Prescription Medicine Information" (Action Plan). The purpose of this meeting is to present the study methodology and results and seek feedback prior to developing assessment of the year 2000 goals. The meeting will begin with presentations about the report and findings, followed by small group discussions and feedback. FDA encourages interested individuals to attend this meeting or submit comments.

DATES: The public meeting will be held on Tuesday, February 29, 2000, from 1 p.m. to 5:30 p.m. and Wednesday, March 1, 2000, from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. The deadline for registration is February 18, 2000. Early registration is recommended, as space is limited. Registration and dissemination of materials will begin at 11 a.m. on February 29, 2000. Written comments will be accepted until April 28, 2000.

ADDRESSES: The public meeting will be held at the DoubleTree Hotel, 1750 Rockville Pike, Rockville MD 20852. Submit written comments to the Dockets Management Branch (HFA-305), Food and Drug Administration, 5630 Fishers Lane, rm. 1061, Rockville MD 20852. Two copies of any comments are to be submitted, except that individuals may submit one copy. Comments are to be identified with the docket number found in brackets in the heading of this document. A copy of the study report as well as registration information can be obtained at <http://>