

laboratories in African countries and India.

3. Health threats such as HIV are not confined by geographic boundaries. APHL was formed to promote coordination of HIV/AIDS public health laboratory efforts among the States and territories. The organization is uniquely positioned to collaborate not only with national organizations, including Federal agencies, but also with national AIDS control program officials in the LIFE countries, on policy and program issues from a U.S.-government model, multi-state perspective. In this collaboration APHL is positioned to monitor, assess, and improve HIV/AIDS-related laboratory design, implementation, and evaluation in the LIFE countries.

4. APHL is uniquely qualified to assure the provision of technical assistance to public health laboratories domestically; therefore, APHL is uniquely positioned to provide CDC technical assistance by serving as a liaison between State and territorial public health laboratory officials and officials of national AIDS control programs in the LIFE countries. In the U.S., APHL coordinates the efforts of HIV/AIDS public health laboratory directors, who work together with CDC to monitor the public health laboratories across States and territories, share successes and challenges, monitor issues and obstacles to implementation of effective interventions, provide technical assistance and consult with CDC, one another, and other governmental and non-governmental prevention partners on these issues. Therefore APHL possesses unique knowledge and insight that can be applied to the LIFE initiative through the provision of technical assistance aimed at strengthening the ability of national AIDS control programs to design, develop, implement, and maintain HIV/AIDS public health laboratories based on the best practices of U.S. state and territory programs.

5. It is critical that APHL conducts these services since it represents the HIV/AIDS public health laboratory directors who oversee and deliver HIV testing analysis. Since APHL represents the HIV/AIDS public health laboratory directors who have responsibility for HIV testing analysis within their jurisdictions, it is the only organization that can work collaboratively with individual AIDS Directors to provide multi-jurisdiction perspectives and translate knowledge, skills, and abilities to national AIDS control program officials in the LIFE countries.

6. APHL has already established mechanisms for communicating HIV/

AIDS laboratory practice information to the States and the political subdivisions of the States that carry out the Nation's HIV/AIDS public health laboratory programs. They can use these mechanisms to exchange information between the States and public health officials in the LIFE countries to identify and develop effective public health laboratory information networks and dissemination systems. Because of their experience and established communications mechanisms, APHL is in a unique position to assist national AIDS control program officials with the dissemination of HIV/AIDS laboratory practice information within their respective country settings.

C. Availability of Funds

Approximately \$500,000 is available in FY 2000 to support this award. It is expected that the award will begin on or about September 30, 2000 and will be made for a 12-month budget period within a project period of up to 3 years. Funding estimates may change.

Continuation awards within an approved project period will be made on the basis of satisfactory progress as evidenced by required reports and the availability of funds.

Use of Funds

Funds received from this announcement will not be used for the purchase of antiretroviral drugs for treatment of established HIV infection, occupational exposures, and non-occupational exposures and will not be used for the purchase of machines and reagents to conduct the necessary laboratory monitoring for patient care.

Applicants may contract with other organizations under these cooperative agreements. However, applicants must perform a substantial portion of the activities (including program management and operations and delivery of prevention services for which funds are requested.) Peer-to-peer training, technical assistance, and other activities (including but not limited to those described below under Program Requirements—Recipient Activities) conducted outside the U.S. by persons under this award are limited to forty-five (45) days per person per year.

D. Where To Obtain Additional Information

This and other CDC announcements can be found on the CDC home page Internet address—<http://www.cdc.gov>. Scroll down the page, then click on “Funding” then “Grants and Cooperative Agreements.”

If you have questions after reviewing the contents of all the documents,

business management technical assistance may be obtained from: Dorimar Rosado, Grants Management Specialist, Grants Management Branch, Procurement and Grants Office, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), 2920 Brandywine Road, Room 3000, MailStop E-15, Atlanta, GA 30341-4146; Telephone (770) 488-2736; E-mail address: dpr7@cdc.gov.

Programmatic technical information may be obtained from: Leo Weakland, Deputy Coordinator, Global AIDS Activity (GAA), National Center for HIV, STD, and TB Prevention, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), 1600 Clifton Road, M/S E-07, Atlanta, GA 30333; Telephone number (404) 639-8906; E-mail address: lfw0@cdc.gov.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Translation Advisory Committee for Diabetes Prevention and Control Programs: Meeting

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

Name: Translation Advisory Committee for Diabetes Prevention and Control Programs.

Times and Dates: 9 a.m.–6 p.m., August 29, 2000. 9 a.m.–1 p.m., August 30, 2000.

Place: Sheraton Buckhead Hotel, 3405 Lenox Road, Atlanta, Georgia 30326; telephone: 404-261-9250.

Status: Open to the public, limited only by the space available. The meeting room accommodates approximately 50 people.

Purpose: This committee is charged with advising the Director, CDC, regarding policy issues and broad strategies for diabetes translation activities and control programs designed to reduce risk factors, health services utilization, costs, morbidity, and mortality associated with diabetes and its complications. The Committee identifies research advances and technologies ready for translation into widespread community practice; recommends broad public health strategies to be implemented through public health interventions; identifies opportunities for surveillance and epidemiologic assessment of diabetes and related complications; and for the purpose of assuring the most effective use and

organization of resources, maintains liaison and coordination of programs within the Federal, voluntary, and private sectors involved in the provision of services to people with diabetes.

Matters To Be Discussed: Primary Prevention of Type 2 Diabetes—A Public Health Perspective.

Agenda items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

Contact Person for More Information: Norma Loner, Committee Management Specialist, Division of Diabetes Translation, National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, CDC, 4770 Buford Highway, NE, M/S K-10, Atlanta, Georgia 30341-3717, telephone 770/488-5376.

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

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Advisory Committee for Injury Prevention and Control: Meeting

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

Name: Advisory Committee for Injury Prevention and Control (ACIPC).

Times and Dates: 1:30 p.m.–5 p.m., August 15, 2000. 8:30 a.m.–3:30 p.m., August 16, 2000.

Place: The Westin Atlanta Airport, 4736 Best Road, College Park, Georgia 30337.

Status: Closed: 2:45 p.m.–5 p.m., August 15, 2000, and 8:30 a.m.–9 a.m., August 16, 2000; Open: 1:30 p.m.–2:45 p.m., August 15, 2000, and 9 a.m.–3:30 p.m., August 16, 2000.

Purpose: The Committee advises and makes recommendations to the Secretary, the Assistant Secretary for Health, and the Director, CDC, regarding feasible goals for the prevention and control of injury. The Committee makes recommendations regarding policies, strategies, objectives, and priorities, and reviews progress toward injury prevention and control. The Committee provides advice on the appropriate balance of intramural and extramural research, and also provides guidance on the needs, structure, progress and performance of intramural

programs, and on extramural scientific program matters. The Committee provides second-level scientific and programmatic review for applications for research grants, cooperative agreements, and training grants related to injury control and violence prevention, and recommends approval of projects that merit further consideration for funding support. The Committee also recommends areas of research to be supported by contracts and cooperative agreements and provides concept review of program proposals and announcements.

Matters To Be Discussed: The meeting will convene in closed session from 2:45 p.m. to 5 p.m. on August 15, 2000. The purpose of this closed session is for the Science and Program Review Work Group (SPRWG) to consider injury control research grant applications recommended for further consideration and the results of several site visit reports. On August 16, 2000, from 8:30 a.m. to 9 a.m., the ACIPC voting members will convene in closed session to vote on a funding recommendation and results of the site visit reports. These portions of the meeting will be closed to the public in accordance with provisions set forth in section 552(c)(4) and (6) title 5 U.S.C., and the Determination of the Associate Director for Management and Operations, CDC, pursuant to Pub. L. 92-463. Prior to the SPRWG closed session, there will be a program oversight session which will include announcements, updates, and an overview of National Center for Injury Prevention and Control (NCIPC) Division of Violence Prevention Activities and priorities for intimate partner violence and youth violence. The Committee will also discuss (1) an update from the Acting Director, NCIPC; (2) current and future child occupant protection activities; and (3) reports from the August 15 meetings of the Subcommittee on Family and Intimate Violence Prevention and SPRWG.

Agenda items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

Contact Person for More Information: Mr. Thomas E. Blakeney, Acting Executive Secretary, ACIPC, NCIPC, CDC, 4770 Buford Highway, NE, M/S K61, Atlanta, Georgia 30341-3724, telephone 770/488-1481.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

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Notice of Extension of Application Period for the Opportunity to Serve on the U.S.-Israel Bi-National Commission on Housing and Community Development

AGENCY: Office of International Affairs under the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Policy Development and Research, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: On June 26, 2000, HUD published a notice that announced the opportunity for individuals to apply to serve on the U.S.-Israel Bi-National Commission on Housing and Community Development. The application period was scheduled to end on July 26, 2000. This notice extends the deadline to apply for this U.S.-Israel Bi-National Commission until August 28, 2000. The June 26, 2000 notice provides the selection and eligibility requirements for serving on the commission.

DATES: August 28, 2000. In order to receive full consideration, requests must be received by HUD no later than August 28, 2000.

ADDRESSES: Please send your requests for consideration to U.S.-Israel Bi-National Commission, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Office of International Affairs, Room 8118, 451 Seventh Street, SW, Washington, DC 20410. You may fax your request to (202) 708-5536 (this is not a toll-free number).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: John Geraghty, U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development, Office of International Affairs, Room 8118, 451 Seventh Street, SW, Washington, DC 20410, (202) 708-0770 (telephone), (202) 708-5536 (fax) (these are not toll-free numbers). Persons with hearing or speech impairments may access that number via TTY by calling the Federal Information Relay Service at (800) 877-8339.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On June 26, 2000 (65 FR 39419), HUD published a notice that provided the opportunity for individuals to apply to serve on the U.S.-Israel Bi-National Commission on Housing and Community Development and announced the selection and eligibility requirements. The Commission will consist of U.S. and Israeli representatives from the housing, real estate, community development, finance, and construction sectors.