

**PLACE:** Teleconference call will originate at the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, National Institutes for Occupational Safety and Health, Atlanta, Georgia. Please see **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** for details on accessing the teleconference.

**STATUS:** Meeting cancelled. Published in the **Federal Register**: April 17, 2002, Volume 67, Number 74, page 18911.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Dr. Lewis Wade, Executive Secretary, MSHRAC, NIOSH, CDC, HHHB HHH 715H, P12, Washington, DC 20201-0004, telephone 202/401-2192.

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Dated: May 20, 2002.

**John C. Burckhardt,**

*Acting Director, Management Analysis and Services Office, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

#### Meetings

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:** Safety and Occupational Health Study Section (SOHSS), National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH).

**Times and Dates:** 8:30 a.m.—5:30 p.m., June 27, 2002. 8 a.m.—5 p.m., June 28, 2002.

**Place:** The Churchill Hotel, 1914 Connecticut Avenue, NW., Washington, DC, telephone 202/797-2000.

**Status:** Open 8:30 a.m.—9:30 a.m., June 27, 2002. Closed 9:30 a.m.—5:30 p.m., June 27, 2002. Closed 8 a.m.—5 p.m., June 28, 2002.

**Purpose:** The Safety and Occupational Health Study Section will review, discuss, and evaluate grant application(s) received in response to the Institute's standard grants review and funding cycles pertaining to research issues in occupational safety and health, and allied areas. It is the intent of the NIOSH to support broad-based research endeavors in keeping with the Institute's program goals. This will lead to improved understanding and appreciation for the magnitude of the aggregate health burden associated with occupational injuries and

illnesses, as well as to support more focused research projects, which will lead to improvements in the delivery of occupational safety and health services and the prevention of work-related injury and illness. It is anticipated that research funded will promote these program goals.

**Matters to be Discussed:** The meeting will convene in open session from 8:30–9:30 a.m. on June 27, 2002, to address matters related to the conduct of Study Section business. The remainder of the meeting will proceed in closed session. The purpose of the closed sessions is for the SOHSS to consider safety and occupational health-related grant applications. These portions of the meeting will be closed to the public in accordance with provisions set forth in section 552b(c)(4) and (6) title 5 U.S.C., and the Determination of the Acting Director, Management Analysis and Services Office, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, pursuant to Pub. L. 92-463.

Agenda items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

**Contact Person for More Information:** Charles N. Rafferty, Ph.D., NIOSH Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 4114, MSC 7816, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, telephone 301/435-3562, fax 301/480-2644.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

**[CMS-2141-PN]**

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#### Medicare and Medicaid Programs; Application by the American Osteopathic Association (AOA) for Approval of Deeming Authority for Ambulatory Surgical Centers (ASCs)

**AGENCY:** Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, HHS.

**ACTION:** Proposed notice.

**SUMMARY:** This proposed notice announces the receipt of an application from the American Osteopathic Association (AOA), for recognition as a national accreditation program for ambulatory surgical centers that wish to

participate in the Medicare or Medicaid programs. The Social Security Act requires that the Secretary publish a notice identifying the national accreditation body making the request, describing the nature of the request, and providing at least a 30-day public comment period.

**DATES:** We will consider comments if we receive them at the appropriate address, as provided below, no later than 5 p.m. on June 24, 2002.

**ADDRESSES:** In commenting, please refer to file code CMS-2141-PN. Because of staff and resource limitations, we cannot accept comments by facsimile (FAX) transmission. Mail written comments (one original and three copies) to the following address ONLY: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Department of Health and Human Services, Attention: CMS-2141-N, P.O. Box 8013, Baltimore, MD 21244-8013.

Please allow sufficient time for mailed comments to be timely received in the event of delivery delays.

If you prefer, you may deliver (by hand or courier) your written comments (one original and three copies) to one of the following addresses: Room 443-G, Hubert H. Humphrey Building, 200 Independence Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20201, or Room C5-14-03, 7500 Security Boulevard, Baltimore, MD 21244-1850.

Comments mailed to the addresses indicated as appropriate for hand or courier delivery may be delayed and could be considered late.

For information on viewing public comments, see the beginning of the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Laura A. Weber, (410) 786-0227.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** *Inspection of Public Comments:* Comments received timely will be available for public inspection as they are received, generally beginning approximately 3 weeks after publication of a document, at the headquarters of the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, 7500 Security Boulevard, Baltimore, Maryland 21244, Monday through Friday of each week from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. To schedule an appointment to view public comments, phone (410) 786-7197.

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