

Barbara Shane via online registration at <http://ntp.niehs.nih.gov/go/15833>, phone, or email (see **ADDRESSES** above) by February 13, 2008, and if possible, to send a copy of the statement or talking points at that time. Written statements can supplement and may expand the oral presentation. Registration for oral comments will also be available on-site, although time allowed for presentation by on-site registrants may be less than that for pre-registered speakers and will be determined by the number of persons who register at the meeting. Written comments on the draft reports in lieu of an oral presentation are also welcome and should also be received by February 13, 2008, to enable review by the TRR Subcommittee and NTP staff prior to the meeting. Written comments received in response to this notice will be posted on the NTP website. Persons submitting written comments should include their name, affiliation, mailing address, phone, fax, e-mail, and sponsoring organization (if any) with the document.

Background Information on the NTP Board of Scientific Counselors

The NTP BSC is a technical advisory body comprised of scientists from the public and private sectors who provide primary scientific oversight to the overall program and its centers. Specifically, the BSC advises the NTP on matters of scientific program content, both present and future, and conducts periodic review of the program for the purposes of determining and advising on the scientific merit of its activities and their overall scientific quality. The TRR Subcommittee is a standing subcommittee of the BSC. BSC members are selected from recognized authorities knowledgeable in fields such as toxicology, pharmacology, pathology, biochemistry, epidemiology, risk assessment, carcinogenesis, mutagenesis, molecular biology, behavioral toxicology and neurotoxicology, immunotoxicology, reproductive toxicology or teratology, and biostatistics. Its members are invited to serve overlapping terms of up to four years. BSC and TRR Subcommittee meetings are held annually or biannually.

Dated: December 3, 2007.

Samuel H. Wilson,

Acting Director, National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences and National Toxicology Program.

Preliminary Agenda

*National Toxicology Program (NTP)
Board of Scientific Counselors
Technical Reports Review
Subcommittee Meeting*

February 27–28, 2008, Rodbell Auditorium, Rall Building, National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences, 111 TW Alexander Drive, Research Triangle Park, NC 27709

NTP Technical Reports (TR) Scheduled for Review—February 27, 2008

TR 544 Dibromoacetonitrile (CAS No. 3252–43–5)

- Water disinfection by-product formed from the reaction of chlorine oxidizing compounds with nitrogen containing organic compounds in water containing bromine; by-product of ozone disinfection.

TR 549 Bromochloroacetic Acid (CAS No. 5589–96–8)

- Water disinfection by-product.

TR 553 Aloe Phototoxicity Studies (Aloe vera gel CAS No. 8001–97–6; Aloemodin CAS No. 481–72–1) in Crl:SKH–1 hairless mice

- Used as a therapeutic dermatologic agent in the treatment of burns and in healthcare and cosmetic products.

TR 556 Chromium Picolinate Monohydrate (CAS No. 27882–76–4)

- Used as a dietary supplement for losing weight.

TR 557 β -Myrcene (CAS No. 123–35–3)

- Intermediate in the manufacture of terpene alcohols that are intermediates in the synthesis of aroma and flavoring chemicals; used as a scent in the manufacture of cosmetics, soaps, and detergents and as a peripheral analgesic; active ingredient in lemon grass tea; identified in numerous plants and in the emissions of plywood veneer dryers.

TR 555 1,2–Dibromo–2,4–dicyanobutane (CAS No. 35691–65–7)

- Used in cosmetics and other household products.

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TOX 82 Estragole (CAS No. 140–67–0)

- Used in perfumes, as a flavoring agent in foods and liquors, and as an antimicrobial agent against acid-tolerant microorganisms, and to produce anise oil.

TR 551 Isoeugenol (CAS No. 97–54–1)

- Food flavoring agent; found in cloves, bay leaves, cinnamon, and tobacco; used as a fragrance in household and personal hygiene products including perfumes, lotions, soaps, and detergents.

TR 554 5–(Hydroxymethyl)–2–furfural (CAS No. 67–47–0)

- Occurs naturally in honey, apple juice, citrus juices, beer, brandy, milk, and breakfast cereals; used in the synthesis of dialdehydes, glycols, ethers, amino alcohols, acetals, and phenol/furfural novolak-type resins.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health; Designation of a Class of Employees for Addition to the Special Exposure Cohort

AGENCY: National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) gives notice of a decision to designate a class of employees at the Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation (NUMEC) in Apollo, Pennsylvania, as an addition to the Special Exposure Cohort (SEC) under the Energy Employees Occupational Illness Compensation Program Act of 2000. On November 29, 2007, the Secretary of HHS designated the following class of employees as an addition to the SEC:

Atomic Weapons Employer (AWE) employees who were monitored or should have been monitored for exposure to ionizing radiation while working at the Nuclear Materials and Equipment Corporation (NUMEC) in Apollo, Pennsylvania from January 1, 1957, through December 31, 1983, for a number of workdays aggregating at least 250 workdays or in combination with workdays within the parameters established for one or more other classes of employees in the Special Exposure Cohort.

This designation will become effective on December 29, 2007, unless Congress provides otherwise prior to the effective date. After this effective date, HHS will publish a notice in the **Federal Register** reporting the addition of this class to the SEC or the result of any provision by Congress regarding the decision by HHS to add the class to the SEC.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Larry Elliott, Director, Office of Compensation Analysis and Support, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), 4676 Columbia Parkway, MS C-46, Cincinnati, OH 45226, Telephone 513-533-6800 (this is not a toll-free number). Information requests can also be submitted by e-mail to OCAS@CDC.GOV.

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John Howard,

Director, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

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Agency Forms Undergoing Paperwork Reduction Act Review

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) publishes a list of information collection requests under

review by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) in compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). To request a copy of these requests, call the CDC Reports Clearance Officer at (404) 639-5960 or send an e-mail to omb@cdc.gov. Send written comments to CDC Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, Washington, DC 20503 or by fax to (202) 395-6974. Written comments should be received within 30 days of this notice.

Proposed Project

National Coal Workers' X-ray Surveillance Program (CWXSP)—Reinstatement with change—The National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

Background and Brief Description

The CWXSP is a federally mandated program under the Federal Mine Safety and Health Act of 1977, Public Law-95-164. The Act provides the regulatory authority for the administration of the CWXSP, a surveillance program to protect the health and safety of underground coal miners. This Program requires the gathering of demographic and logistical information from coal

mine operators, participating miners, participating x-ray facilities, and participating physicians. The Appalachian Laboratory for Occupational Safety and Health (ALOSH), located in Morgantown, WV, is charged with administration of this Program. Over the past two years, participation in the CWXSP has increased, which is reflected in this submission for renewal. Physicians taking the B Reader Examination are asked to complete a registration form. There are approximately 300 physicians each year taking the certification exam.

Miners participating in the CWXSP must fill out the Miner Identification Document. Mine operators are required to file a Mine X-ray Plan with NIOSH approximately every 3 years.

Approximately 200 mine operators have X-ray plans that are due for renewal each year. An X-ray facility that applies to be a NIOSH-approved facility for providing miners X-rays must complete an approval packet. There are approximately 25 X-ray facilities each year seeking approval into the CWXSP Program. There will be no costs to study participants. The total estimated annualized burden hours are 2330.

Estimated Annualized Burden

Respondents	Number of respondents	Number of responses/respondent	Average burden/response (in hrs.)
Physicians/interpretations	10,000	1	3/60
Physicians/certification	300	1	10/60
Miners	5000	1	20/60
Mine operators	200	1	30/60
X-ray facilities	25	1	30/60

Dated: December 6, 2007.

Maryam I. Daneshvar,

Acting Reports Clearance Officer, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

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Proposed Data Collections Submitted for Public Comment and Recommendations

In compliance with the requirement of section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 for opportunity for public comment on proposed data collection projects, the Centers for Disease Control and

Prevention (CDC) will publish periodic summaries of proposed projects. To request more information on the proposed projects or to obtain a copy of the data collection plans and instruments, call 404-639-5960 and send comments to Maryam I. Daneshvar, CDC Acting Reports Clearance Officer, 1600 Clifton Road, MS-D74, Atlanta, GA 30333 or send an e-mail to omb@cdc.gov.

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques

or other forms of information technology. Written comments should be received within 60 days of this notice.

Proposed Project

Formative Evaluation of Adults' and Children's Views Related to Promotion of Healthy Food Choices—New—National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion (NCCDPHP), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

Background and Brief Description

In Fiscal Year (FY) 2004, Congress directed the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) to conduct formative research on the attitudes of children and parents regarding nutrition behavior. Specifically, the conferees' FY 04 Appropriation Language instructs CDC to research parents' and children's viewpoints on "the characteristics of effective marketing of foods to children