

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Health Care Financing Administration

[ORD-085-N]

#### New and Pending Demonstration Project Proposals Submitted Pursuant to Section 1115(a) of the Social Security Act: January 1996

AGENCY: Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA).

ACTION: Notice.

**SUMMARY:** This notice identifies proposals submitted during the month of January 1996 under the authority of section 1115 of the Social Security Act and those that were approved, disapproved, pending, or withdrawn during this time period. (This notice can be accessed on the Internet at [HTTP://WWW.SSA.GOV/HCFA/HCFHP2.HTML](http://WWW.SSA.GOV/HCFA/HCFHP2.HTML).)

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Susan Anderson, Office of Research and Demonstrations, Health Care Financing Administration, Mail Stop C3-11-07, 7500 Security Boulevard, Baltimore, MD 21244-1850. (410) 786-3996.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

##### I. Background

Under section 1115 of the Social Security Act (the Act), the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) may consider and approve research and demonstration proposals with a broad range of policy objectives. These demonstrations can lead to improvements in achieving the purposes of the Act.

As part of our established procedures, we normally publish a monthly notice in the Federal Register with a listing of all new submissions, pending proposals, approvals, disapprovals, and withdrawn proposals. Proposals submitted in response to a grant solicitation or other competitive process are reported as received during the month that such grant or bid is awarded, so as to prevent interference with the awards process. In the month of December we received no new proposals and no changes to pending proposals.

##### II. New, Pending, Approved, and Withdrawn Proposals for the Month of January 1996

During the month of January 1996 we received no new Comprehensive Health Reform Programs or Other Section 1115 Demonstration Proposals. We did not approve or disapprove any proposals during January 1996 nor were any proposals withdrawn during that

month. Pending proposals for the month of November, 1995 published in the Federal Register on January 23, 1996, 61 FR 1769, remain unchanged for the month of January.

##### III. Requests for Copies of a Proposal

Requests for copies of a specific Medicaid proposal should be made to the State contact listed for the specific proposal in the notice published on January 23, 1996. If further help or information is needed, inquiries should be directed to HCFA at the address above.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program, No. 93.779; Health Financing Research, Demonstrations, and Experiments.)

Dated: February 21, 1996.

Bruce C. Vladeck,

*Administrator, Health Care Financing Administration.*

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## National Institutes of Health

### National Institute of Dental Research; Notice of Closed Meeting of the National Advisory Dental Research Council

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:

*Name of Committee:* National Advisory Dental Research Council.

*Date:* March 5, 1996.

*Time:* 1:00 p.m. to Adjournment.

*Place:* National Institutes of Health, 45 Center Drive, Natcher 4AS-10, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (teleconference).

*Contact Person:* Dr. Dushanka V. Kleinman, Executive Secretary, National Advisory Dental Research Council, Building 31, Room 2C39, Bethesda, MD 20892, (301) 496-9469.

*Purpose/Agenda:* For the review, discussion and evaluation of individual grant application.

The meeting will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in secs. 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. Applications and/or proposals and the discussions could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material and personal information concerning individuals associated with the applications and/or proposals, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

This notice is being published less than fifteen days prior to the meeting due to the partial shutdown of the Federal Government and the urgent

need to meet timing limitations imposed by the review and funding cycle.

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program No. 93.121, Dental Research Institute; National Institutes of Health, HHS)

Dated: February 26, 1996.

Susan K. Feldman,

*Committee Management Officer, NIH.*

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## National Institutes of Health

### Division of Research Grants; Notice of Closed 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 Division of Research Grants Special Emphasis Panel (SEP) meetings:

*Purpose/Agenda:* To review individual grant applications.

*Name of SEP:* Biological and Physiological Sciences.

*Date:* March 2, 1996.

*Time:* 8:00 a.m.

*Place:* American Inn of Bethesda, Bethesda, Maryland.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Nicholas Mazarella, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5128, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1018.

*Name of SEP:* Biological and Physiological Sciences.

*Date:* March 7, 1996.

*Time:* 1:00 p.m.

*Place:* NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 5112, Telephone Conference.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Harish Chopra, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5112, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1169.

*Name of SEP:* Biological and Physiological Sciences.

*Date:* March 14, 1996.

*Time:* 1:00 p.m.

*Place:* NIH, Rockledge 2, Room 5146, Telephone Conference.

*Contact Person:* Dr. Ramesh Nayak, Scientific Review Administrator, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5146, Bethesda, Maryland 20892, (301) 435-1026.

This notice is being published less than 15 days prior to the above meetings due to the partial shutdown of the Federal Government and the urgent need to meet timing limitations imposed by the grant review and funding cycle.

The meetings will be closed in accordance with the provisions set forth in secs. 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. Applications and/or proposals and the discussions could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material and personal information concerning individuals associated with the applications and/or proposals, the