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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices: 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 on Immunization Practices (ACIP).

Times and Dates: 8:30 a.m.-6 p.m., June 25, 1997; 8:30 a.m.-4:15 p.m., June 26, 1997.

Place: CDC, Auditorium B, Building 2, 1600 Clifton Road, NE, Atlanta, Georgia 30333.

Status: Open to the public, limited only by the space available.

Purpose: The Committee is charged with advising the Director, CDC, on the appropriate uses of immunizing agents. In addition, under 42 U.S.C. 1396s, the Committee is mandated to establish and periodically review and, as appropriate, revise the list of vaccines for administration to vaccine-eligible children through the Vaccines for Children (VFC) program, along with schedules regarding the Page 2 appropriate periodicity, dosage, and contraindications applicable to the vaccines.

Matters to be Discussed: Under the authority of 42 U.S.C. 1396s, the Committee will consider adoption of resolutions to clarify cohorts covered by the VFC program for particular vaccines, including varicella for infants and adolescents, MMR second dose, and tetanus/diphtheria booster dose at age 11-12 years.

Other topics to be discussed include: update on the National Vaccine Program; update on the Vaccine Injury Compensation Program; progress of the Procedures and Practices Work Group; ACIP guidelines and approaches to combination vaccines; progress in development of immunization registries; computer algorithms for immunization registries; Lyme disease: public health considerations; varicella vaccine update; rabies postexposure prophylaxis—rabies immunoglobulin (RIG) administration;

data from Sweden II study on combined DtaP-Hib for infants; recommendations on the use of Rotashield® (Rotavirus vaccine) as part of the routine childhood immunization schedule; vaccination of health care workers; vaccination of bone marrow transplant recipients; respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) IVIG; and influenza in children. Other matters of relevance among the Committee's objectives may be discussed.

Agenda items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Administration for Children and Families

Regional Offices; Statement of Organization, Functions, and Delegations of Authority

This Notice amends Part K of the Statement of Organization, Functions, and Delegations of Authority of the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS), Administration for Children and Families (ACF) as follows: Chapter KD, The Regional Offices of the Administration for Children and Families (62 FR 15897), as last amended, April 3, 1997. This Notice reflects the organizational changes for Region 8 and the reorganization of Region 9. This Chapter is amended as follows:

a. KD.10 Organization. Delete in its entirety and replace with the following:

KD.10 Organization. Region 8 is organized as follows:

Office of the Regional Administrator (KD8A)

Office of Financial Operations (KD8B)

Office of Family Security (KD8C)

Office of Family Supportive Services (KD8D)

b. After the end of KD7.20 Functions (61 FR 3937, 02/02/96), Paragraph D and before KDX.10 Organization (61 FR 68045, 12/26/96), insert the following:

KD9.10 Organization. The Administration for Children and Families, Region 9, is organized as follows:

Office of the Regional Hub Director (KD9A)

Program Support Unit (KD9B)
Self-Sufficiency Unit (KD9C)
Children and Youth Development Unit (KD9D)

KD9.20 Functions. A. The Office of the Regional Hub Director is headed by a Director, who reports to the Assistant Secretary for Children and Families through the Director, Office of Regional Operations. The Office is responsible for the Administration for Children and Families' (ACF) key national goals and priorities. It represents ACF's regional interests, concerns, and relationships within the Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) and among other Federal agencies, and focuses on State agency culture change, effective partnerships which focus on outcomes/results, and quality customer service. It provides executive leadership and direction to state, county, city, territorial and tribal governments, as well as to other public and private local grantees to ensure effective and efficient program and financial management. The Office ensures that these entities conform to federal laws, regulations, policies and procedures governing the programs, and exercises all delegated authorities and responsibilities for oversight of the programs.

The Office is responsible for approval of state plans and submission of recommendations to the Assistant Secretary for Children and Families for state plan disapproval. The Office contributes to the development of national policy based on regional perspectives on all ACF programs. It oversees ACF regional operations and the management of regional staff; coordinates activities across regional programs; and assures that goals and objectives are met and departmental and agency initiatives are carried out. The Office alerts the Assistant Secretary for Children and Families to problems and issues that may have significant regional or national impact. The Office represents ACF at the regional level in executive communications within ACF, with the DHHS Regional Director, other DHHS operating divisions, other federal agencies, and public or private organizations representing children and families.

B. The Program Support Unit is headed by a manager who reports to the Regional Hub Director. It supports the Office of the Regional Hub Director and the Self-Sufficiency and Children and Youth Development Units and their grantees in the areas of quality concepts and performance measurement, including the reengineering of work processes and the development of computer applications, customer