

The Division of Vaccine Injury Compensation will notify each presenter by mail or telephone of their assigned presentation time.

Persons who do not file an advance request for a presentation, but desire to make an oral statement, may sign-up in Conference Rooms G and H on June 7, 2000. These persons will be allocated time as time permits.

Anyone requiring information regarding the Commission should contact Ms. Tibbs, Division of Vaccine Injury Compensation, Bureau of Health Professions, Health Resources and Services Administration, Room 8A-46, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20857, Telephone (301) 443-1896.

Agenda items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

Dated: May 1, 2000.

**Jane M. Harrison,**

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Institutes of Health

#### **Proposed Collection; Comment Request: Enhancing Access and Measuring the Effectiveness of HIV/AIDS Information Methods**

**SUMMARY:** 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 National Library of Medicine (NLM), the National Institutes of Health (NIH) will publish periodic summaries of proposed projects to be submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval.

#### **Proposed Collection**

*Title:* Enhancing Access and Measuring the Effectiveness of HIV/AIDS Information Methods. *Type of Information Collection Request:* New, *Need and Use of Information Collection:* This study will assess the effectiveness of three information sources within the African American Community in disseminating HIV prevention information. HIV infection and the dissemination of prevention information is a major public health task in North Florida. Three types of African American communities from Gadsden, Leon, and Duval counties have been selected as the sites of this study. This includes communities with rural, mixed rural/urban, and urban areas represented for assessing possible differences in health information channel preferences. This study will add to the body of knowledge concerning HIV information

dissemination to African American communities in two ways: first, by assessing whether there are differences in the preferred health information channels of those living in rural, mixed, and urban areas, and secondly, by assessing three information dissemination channels for communicating HIV issues to African American communities. The three information channels of concern in this study are community newsletters, entertainment education, and church ministries. In the first year of the project, a brief survey will be conducted before and after distribution of the community newsletter to assess how the community obtains information about the prevention of HIV infection and transmission, their preferred sources of health information, and the effectiveness of the newsletter. The initial data collected will be used to establish a baseline for the project against which the subsequent project data can be evaluated

*Frequency of Response:* On occasion. *Affected Public:* Individuals or households. *Type of Respondents:* Residents living in Duval, Gadsden and Leon counties, Florida. The annual reporting burden is as follows: *Estimated Number of Respondents:* 450; *Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent:* 1; *Average Burden Hours Per Response:* .167; and *Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours Requested:* 75. The annualized cost to respondents is estimated at: \$1,082. There are no Capital Costs to report. there are no Operating or Maintenance Costs to report.

#### **Request for Comments**

Written comments and/or suggestions from the public and affected agencies are invited on one or more of the following points: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the function of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) The accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) Ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) Ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, include the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** To request more information on the

proposed project or to obtain a copy of the data collection plans and instruments, contact Ms. Gale Dutcher, Special Assistant to the Associate Director, Division of Specialized Information Services, National Library of Medicine, Building 38A, Room 3S317, 8600 Rockville Pike, Bethesda, MD 20894, or call non-toll-free number (301) 496-3147 or E-mail your request, including your address to: [gd21d@nih.gov](mailto:gd21d@nih.gov).

#### **Comments Due Date**

Comments regarding this information collection are best assured of having their full effect if received on or before July 5, 2000.

Dated: April 24, 2000.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Institutes of Health

#### **National Center For Research Resources; Notice of 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 meeting.

The meeting will be open the public as indicate below, with attendance limited to space available. Individual who plan to attend and need special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other reasonable accommodations, should notify the Contact Person listed below in advance of the meeting.

The meetings will be closed to the public in accordance with the provisions set forth in sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5 U.S.C., as amended. The grant applications and the discussions could disclose confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the grant applications, the disclose of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

*Name of Committee:* Scientific and Technical Review Board on Biomedical and Behavioral Research Facilities.

*Date:* May 22-24, 2000.

*Open:* May 22, 2000, 8 a.m. to 9 a.m.

*Agenda:* To discuss program planning and other issues.

*Place:* Gaithersburg Hilton Hotel, 620 Perry Parkway, Gaithersburg, MD 20877.