

models and any updated scientific data. Additionally, the U.S. Army Center for Health Promotion and Prevention Medicine (USACHPPM) has overseen an initiative to re-evaluate existing AELs for chemical warfare agents and to develop new levels based on currently accepted risk assessment approaches and incorporation of data which has recently become available.

*Purpose:* The purpose of this meeting is to review the AELs set for GA, GB, and VX based on the 1988 recommendations from CDC and determine modifications required to update these limits to reflect current findings. Based on new risk assessment models and any available scientific data, CDC will engage nerve agent experts and the public in an evaluation of the current limits and recommend updated limits based on the public comments.

To facilitate the public dialogue, CDC will provide a forum for general public interaction and serve as a vehicle for members of the public to provide their individual concerns.

*Matters To Be Discussed:* Agenda items include (1) presentation of newly developed risk assessment models and scientific data, (2) panel discussion by nerve agent specialists, (3) recommended modifications to existing levels based on panel comments, and (4) collect public comments on proposed new AELs.

There will be time for public input, questions, and comments.

Agenda items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

*Contact Person for Additional Information:* Sascha Beck, Chemical Demilitarization Branch, Division of Emergency and Environmental Health Services, NCEH, CDC, 4770 Buford Highway NE (F-16), Atlanta, Georgia, 30341-3724, telephone 770/488-4078, fax 770/488-4127.

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Centers for Disease Control and Prevention**

**Board of Scientific Counselors, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health: 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:* Board of Scientific Counselors, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (BSC, NIOSH).

*Time and Date:* 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m., July 18, 2000.

*Place:* The Washington Court, 525 New Jersey Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20001-1527.

*Status:* Open to the public, limited only by the space available. The meeting room accommodates approximately 50 people.

*Purpose:* The BSC, NIOSH is charged with providing advice to the Director, NIOSH on NIOSH research programs. Specifically, the Board shall provide guidance on the Institute's research activities related to developing and evaluating hypotheses, systematically documenting findings, and disseminating results.

*Matters To Be Discussed:* Agenda items include a report from the Director of NIOSH; Agriculture Subcommittee Interim Report; Beryllium Research Collaboration; Report on Institute of Medicine Workforce Needs Assessment; NIOSH/NCI Diesel Study; Update and Review of Case-Control Study Questionnaire; Overview of Work Organization Research in NIOSH; and future activities of the Board.

Agenda items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

*Contact Person for More Information:* James W. Stephens, Ph.D., Executive Secretary, BSC, NIOSH, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1600 Clifton Road, NE, Atlanta, Georgia 30333, telephone 404/639-3773, fax 404/639-2170, e-mail: jws9@cdc.gov.

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both the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry.

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Administration for Children and Families**

**Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request**

*Title:* Information Collection Items in the Head Start Performance Standards (current rule).

*OMB No.:* 0970-0148.

*Description:* The Head Start Performance Standards are regulations which establish standards for Head Start grantee and delegate agencies to follow to administer quality programs as required by law. Local programs are monitored for compliance with these standards. The information collection aspects of the Performance Standards are one part of the many actions that local agencies must take to ensure they administer quality programs. Almost all these information collection items are record keeping requirements such as recording: nutrition assessment data, family Partnership development, and regular volunteer screening for tuberculosis. These records are intended to act as a management tool for grantees to use in their daily operations. Such records are maintained by the grantees and are not information items which must be collected and then forwarded to the Federal government.

*Respondents:* Head Start grantee and delegate agencies

*Annual Burden Estimates:*

Instrument	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden hours per response	Total burden hours
Head Start Performance Standards .....	2,472	1	594	1,468,626
Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours .....				1,468,626

*Additional Information:* Copies of the proposed collection may be obtained by writing to The Administration for Children and Families, Office of Information Services, 370 L'Enfant

Promenade, SW, Washington, DC 20447, Attn: ACF Reports Clearance Officer.

*OMB Comment:* OMB is required to make a decision concerning the collection of information between 30

and 60 days after publication of this document in the *Federal Register*. Therefore, a comment is best assured of having its full effect if OMB receives it within 30 days of publication. Written