

## UNITED STATES INSTITUTE OF PEACE

### Notice of Meeting

*Date/Time:* Tuesday, September 7, 2004, 2 p.m.–4 p.m.

*Location:* 1200 17th Street, NW., Suite 200, Washington, DC 20036–3011.

*Status:* Open Session—Portions may be closed pursuant to Subsection (c) of Section 552(b) of Title 5, United States Code, as provided in subsection 1706(h)(3) of the United States Institute of Peace Act, Public Law 98–525.

*Agenda:* Building Project, Plans for the September 17 Board Meeting; Other General Issues.

*Contact:* Tessie Higgs, Executive Office, Telephone (202) 429–3836

Dated: August 30, 2004.

#### Harriet Hentges,

*Executive Vice President, United States Institute of Peace.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

### Chiropractic Advisory Committee; Notice of Meeting

The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) gives notice under Public Law 92–463 (Federal Advisory Committee Act) that the Chiropractic Advisory Committee will meet Tuesday, October 19, 2004, from 8:15 a.m. until 5 p.m. at 810 Vermont Avenue, NW., Room 830, Washington, DC 20420. The meeting is open to the public.

The purpose of the Committee is to provide direct assistance and advice to the Secretary of Veterans Affairs in the development and implementation of the chiropractic health program. Matters on which the Committee shall assist and advise the Secretary include protocols governing referrals to chiropractors and direct access to chiropractic care, scope

of practice of chiropractic practitioners, definitions of services to be provided and such other matters as the Secretary determines to be appropriate.

At its October 19 meeting, the Committee will receive an update on the status of implementing VA's chiropractic care program and a briefing on VA's research programs. The Committee will also complete its final report.

Any member of the public wishing to attend the meeting is requested to contact Ms. Sara McVicker, RN, MN, Designated Federal Officer, at (202) 273–8558 no later than 5 p.m. eastern time on Thursday, October 14, 2004, in order to facilitate entry to the building. Oral comments from the public will not be accepted at the meeting. It is preferred that any comments be transmitted electronically to [sara.mcvicker@mail.va.gov](mailto:sara.mcvicker@mail.va.gov) or mailed to: Chiropractic Advisory Committee, Medical Surgical Services SHG (111), U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20420.

Dated: August 26, 2004.

By direction of the Secretary.

#### E. Philip Riggan,

*Committee Management Officer.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

### Geriatrics and Gerontology Advisory Committee; Notice of Meeting

The Department of Veterans Affairs gives notice under Public Law 92–463 (Federal Advisory Committee Act) that a meeting of the Geriatrics and Gerontology Advisory Committee (GGAC) will be held on September 28, 2004, at the Department of Veterans Affairs Central Office, 810 Vermont Avenue, NW., Washington, DC. The

meeting will convene in Room 530 at 8:30 a.m. and conclude at 5 p.m. The meeting is open to the public.

The purpose of the Committee is to provide advice to the Secretary of Veterans Affairs and the Under Secretary for Health on all matters pertaining to geriatrics and gerontology by assessing the capability of VA health care facilities to meet the medical, psychological, and social needs of older veterans and by evaluating VA facilities designated as Geriatric Research, Education and Clinical Centers (GRECCs).

Presentations will include VA's Long-Term Care Strategic Plan and Long-Term Care Planning Model; Office of Academic Affiliations—VA Geriatric Education (size, scope and outcomes of individual programs); review of GRECC contributions to VA and methods of rating individual GRECC's performance; review of progress on projects in Assisted Living and All-Inclusive Care authorized by the Millennium Act; changes to research funding methodology and research tracking data base.

No time will be allocated at this meeting for receiving oral presentations from the public. Interested parties can provide written comments for review by the Committee in advance of the meeting to Mr. Daniel Converse, Designated Federal Officer, Geriatrics and Extended Care Strategic Healthcare Group (114), Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20420. Individuals who wish to attend the meeting should contact Ms. Jacqueline Holmes, Staff Assistant, at (202) 273–8539.

Dated: August 23, 2004.

By direction of the Secretary.

#### E. Philip Riggan,

*Committee Management Officer.*

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