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Name of Committee: Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, Biomaterials, Delivery Systems, and Nanotechnology.

Date: March 15–16, 2010.

Time: 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: Doubletree Hotel Bethesda, 8120 Wisconsin Avenue, Bethesda, MD 20814.

Contact Person: Alexander Gubin, PhD, Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 6046B, MSC 7892, Bethesda, MD 20892. 301-408-9655. gubina@csr.nih.gov.

Name of Committee: Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, Member Conflict: HIV Behavior Chartered.

Date: March 25, 2010.

Time: 8 a.m. to 11 a.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892 (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Hilary D. Sigmon, PhD, Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5216, MSC 7852, Bethesda, MD 20892. (301) 594-6377. sigmonh@csr.nih.gov.

Name of Committee: Center for Scientific Review Special Emphasis Panel, Review of Member Conflict Applications.

Date: March 29, 2010.

Time: 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Bethesda, MD 20892 (Telephone Conference Call).

Contact Person: Jose H. Guerrier, PhD, Scientific Review Officer, Center for Scientific Review, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Rockledge Drive, Room 5218, MSC 7852, Bethesda, MD 20892. 301-435-1137. guerriej@csr.nih.gov.

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Dated: February 19, 2010.

Jennifer Spaeth,

Director, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

[CMS-3223-N]

Medicare Program; Meeting of the Medicare Evidence Development and Coverage Advisory Committee—April 21, 2010

AGENCY: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), HHS.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: This notice announces that a public meeting of the Medicare Evidence Development & Coverage Advisory Committee (MEDCAC) (“Committee”) will be held on Wednesday, April 21, 2010. The Committee generally provides advice and recommendations concerning the adequacy of scientific evidence needed to determine whether certain medical items and services should be covered under the Medicare statute. This meeting will focus on the currently available evidence regarding the risks, benefits, and outcomes of radiation therapy, inclusive of external beam radiotherapy (EBRT) and brachytherapy, for the treatment of localized prostate cancer. This meeting is open to the public in accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. App. 2, section 10(a)).

DATES: *Meeting date:* The public meeting will be held on Wednesday, April 21, 2010 from 7:30 a.m. until 4:30 p.m., eastern daylight time (e.d.t.).

Deadline for Submission of Written Comments: Written comments must be received at the address specified in the **ADDRESSES** section of this notice by 5 p.m., e.d.t. on March 22, 2010. Once submitted all comments are final.

Deadlines for Speaker Registration and Presentation Materials: The deadline to register to be a speaker and to submit Powerpoint presentation materials and writings that will be used in support of an oral presentation, is 5 p.m., e.d.t. on Monday, March 22, 2010. Speakers may register by phone or via e-mail by contacting the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section of this notice. Presentation materials must be received at the address specified in the **ADDRESSES** section of this notice.

Deadline for All Other Attendees Registration: Individuals may register via e-mail at MEDCAC.Registration@cms.hhs.gov or by phone by contacting the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION**

CONTACT section of this notice by 5 p.m., e.d.t. on Wednesday, April 14, 2010.

Deadline for Submitting a Request for Special Accommodations: Persons attending the meeting who are hearing or visually impaired, or have a condition that requires special assistance or accommodations, are asked to contact the Executive Secretary for MEDCAC as specified in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section of this notice no later than 5 p.m., e.d.t. Friday, April 2, 2010.

ADDRESSES: *Meeting Location:* The meeting will be held in the main auditorium of the Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, 7500 Security Boulevard, Baltimore, MD 21244.

Submission of Presentations and Comments: Presentation materials and written comments that will be presented at the meeting must be submitted via e-mail to MedCACpresentations@cms.hhs.gov or by regular mail to the contact listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section of this notice by the date specified in the **DATES** section of this notice.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Maria Ellis, Executive Secretary for MEDCAC, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Office of Clinical Standards and Quality, Coverage and Analysis Group, C1-09-06, 7500 Security Boulevard, Baltimore, MD 21244 or contact Ms. Ellis by phone (410-786-0309) or via e-mail at Maria.Ellis@cms.hhs.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

MEDCAC, formerly known as the Medicare Coverage Advisory Committee (MCAC), provides advice and recommendations to CMS regarding clinical issues. (For more information on MCAC, see the December 14, 1998 **Federal Register** (63 FR 68780).) This notice announces the April 21, 2010, public meeting of the Committee. During this meeting, the Committee will discuss the currently available evidence regarding the risks, benefits and outcomes of radiation therapy, inclusive of EBRT and brachytherapy, for the treatment of localized prostate cancer. Background information about this topic, including panel materials, is available at <http://www.cms.hhs.gov/coverage>. We encourage the participation of appropriate organizations with expertise in radiation therapy for the treatment of localized prostate cancer.

II. Meeting Format

This meeting is open to the public. The Committee will hear oral presentations from the public for approximately 45 minutes. The Committee may limit the number and duration of oral presentations to the time available. Your comments should focus on issues specific to the list of topics that we have proposed to the Committee. The list of research topics to be discussed at the meeting will be available on the following Web site prior to the meeting: http://www.cms.hhs.gov/mcd/index_list.asp?list_type=mcac. We require that you declare at the meeting whether you have any financial involvement with manufacturers (or their competitors) of any items or services being discussed.

The Committee will deliberate openly on the topics under consideration. Interested persons may observe the deliberations, but the Committee will not hear further comments during this time except at the request of the chairperson. The Committee will also allow a 15-minute unscheduled open public session for any attendee to address issues specific to the topics under consideration. At the conclusion of the day, the members will vote and the Committee will make its recommendation(s) to CMS.

III. Registration Instructions

CMS's Coverage and Analysis Group is coordinating meeting registration. While there is no registration fee, individuals must register to attend. You may register by contacting the person listed in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section of this notice by the deadline listed in the **DATES** section of this notice. Please provide your full name (as it appears on your state-issued driver's license), address, organization, telephone, fax number(s), and e-mail address. You will receive a registration confirmation with instructions for your arrival at the CMS complex or you will be notified the seating capacity has been reached.

IV. Security, Building, and Parking Guidelines

This meeting will be held in a Federal government building; therefore, Federal security measures are applicable. We recommend that confirmed registrants arrive reasonably early, but no earlier than 45 minutes prior to the start of the meeting, to allow additional time to clear security. Security measures include the following:

- Presentation of government-issued photographic identification to the

Federal Protective Service or Guard Service personnel.

- Inspection of vehicle's interior and exterior (this includes engine and trunk inspection) at the entrance to the grounds. Parking permits and instructions will be issued after the vehicle inspection.

- Inspection, via metal detector or other applicable means of all persons entering the building. We note that all items brought into CMS, whether personal or for the purpose of presentation or to support a presentation, are subject to inspection. We cannot assume responsibility for coordinating the receipt, transfer, transport, storage, set-up, safety, or timely arrival of any personal belongings or items used for presentation or to support a presentation.

Note: Individuals who are not registered in advance will not be permitted to enter the building and will be unable to attend the meeting. The public may not enter the building earlier than 45 minutes prior to the convening of the meeting. All visitors must be escorted in areas other than the lower and first floor levels in the Central Building.

Authority: 5 U.S.C. App. 2, section 10(a).

(Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance Program No. 93.773, Medicare—Hospital Insurance; and Program No. 93.774, Medicare—Supplementary Medical Insurance Program)

Dated: February 4, 2010.

Barry M. Straube,

Chief Medical Officer and Director, Office of Clinical Standards and Quality, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

Prospective Grant of Exclusive License: Treatment of Glaucoma by Administration of Adenosine A3 Antagonists

AGENCY: National Institutes of Health, Public Health Service, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This is notice, in accordance with 35 U.S.C. 209(c)(1) and 37 CFR part 404.7(a)(1)(i), that the National Institutes of Health, Department of Health and Human Services, is contemplating the grant of an exclusive patent license to practice the inventions embodied in U.S. Provisional Patent Application 60/010,737, entitled "Dihydropyridine, pyridine-,

benzopyran one-, and triazoloquinazoline derivatives, their preparation and use as adenosine receptor antagonists," filed January 29, 1996 [HHS Ref. No. E-225-1995/0-US-1], U.S. Provisional Patent Application 60/021,191, entitled "Dihydropyridine, pyridine-, benzopyran one-, and triazoloquinazoline derivatives, their preparation and use as adenosine receptor antagonists," filed July 3, 1996 [HHS Ref. No. E-225-1995/1-US-1], PCT Application PCT/US97/01252, entitled "Dihydropyridine, pyridine-, benzopyran one-, and triazoloquinazoline derivatives, their preparation and use as adenosine receptor antagonists," filed January 29, 1997 [HHS Ref. No. E-225-1995/2-PCT-1], U.S. Patent 6,066,642, entitled "Dihydropyridine, pyridine-, benzopyran one-, and triazoloquinazoline derivatives, their preparation and use as adenosine receptor antagonists," issued May 23, 2000 [HHS Ref. No. E-225-1995/2-US-08], Australian Patent 709190, issued December 9, 1999 [HHS Ref. No. E-225-1995/2-AU-04], European Patent Application No. 97905627.2, filed January 29, 1997 [HHS Ref. No. E-225-1995/2-EP-05], Hong Kong Application No. 99102653.6, filed January 29, 1997 [HHS Ref. No. E-225-1995/2-HK-06], Japanese Patent Application No. 527065/1997, filed January 29, 1997 [HHS Ref. No. E-225-1995/2-JP-07], Australian Patent 755525, issued March 27, 2003 [HHS Ref. No. E-225-1995/2-AU-02], and Canadian Patent 2244774, issued October 17, 2006 [HHS Ref. No. E-225-1995/2-CA-03], U.S. Provisional Patent Application 60/092,292, entitled "A3 Adenosine Receptor Antagonists," filed July 10, 1998 [HHS Ref. No. E-096-1998/0-US-1], PCT Application PCT/US99/15562, entitled "A3 Adenosine Receptor Antagonists," filed July 2, 1999 [HHS Ref. No. E-096-1998/0-PCT-2], U.S. Patent 6,376,521, entitled "A3 Adenosine Receptor Antagonists," issued April 23, 2003, [HHS Ref. No. E-096-1998/0-US-04], and Canadian Patent Application No. 2336967, filed July 2, 1999 [HHS Ref. No. E-096-1998/0-CA-03], U.S. Provisional Patent Application 61/085,588, entitled "Truncated Methanacarba Adenosine Derivatives as A3 Antagonists," filed August 1, 2008 [HHS Ref. No. E-285-2008/0-US-1], PCT Application PCT/US2009/52439, entitled "Truncated Methanacarba Adenosine Derivatives as A3 Antagonists," filed July 31, 2009 [HHS Ref. No. E-285-2008/0-PCT-2], and Korean International Application No. PCT/KR2007/001131, entitled