

grantee for the final budget and project periods of Grant No. 90CVO172.

Big Brothers Big Sisters of Clinton and Ionia Counties was responsible for assisting children in Clinton and Ionia Counties whose parents are incarcerated to alleviate risk factors and to improve their quality of life by providing them with specially-trained adult mentors who can provide supportive relationships, guidance and encouragement. As Big Brothers Big Sisters of Michigan Capital Region is proposing to continue services to the same community with the same staff as previously done by Big Brothers Big Sisters of Clinton and Ionia Counties, the Family and Youth Services Bureau (FYSB) is requesting that Big Brothers Big Sisters of Michigan Capital Region be granted a deviation to be funded as the permanent successor grantee without competition for the remaining twelve months of the project period.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Curtis Porter, Director, Youth Development Division, Family and Youth Services Bureau, Administration for Children, Youth and Families, Administration for Children and Families, Portals Building, Suite 800, 1250 Maryland Avenue, SW., Washington, DC 20024. Telephone: 202-205-8102

Dated: September 8, 2006.

Joan E. Ohl,

Commissioner, Administration on Children, Youth and Families.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies Advisory Committee; Amendment of Notice

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing an amendment to the notice of the meeting of the Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies Advisory Committee. This meeting was announced in the *Federal Register* of August 3, 2006 (71 FR 44035). The amendment is being made to reflect a change in the *Date and Time*, *Agenda*, and *Procedure* portions of the document. Specifically, the open public hearing times in the *Procedure* portion of the document were changed. Because of a change in the agenda, the

afternoon committee discussion topic will be cancelled. There are no changes other than those stated in this announcement.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: William Freas or Rosanna L. Harvey, Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research (HF-71), Food and Drug Administration, 1401 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD 20852-1448, 301-827-0314, or FDA Advisory Committee Information Line, 1-800-741-8138 (301-443-0572 in the Washington, DC area), code 3014512392.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In the *Federal Register* of August 3, 2006, FDA announced that a meeting of the Transmissible Spongiform Encephalopathies Advisory Committee would be held September 18, 2006 from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and September 19, 2006 from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. On page 44035, in the third column, the *Date and Time* portion of the notice is amended to read as follows:

Date and Time: The meeting will be held on September 18, 2006, from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. and September 19, 2006, from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m.

On page 44036, in the first column, the *Agenda* and *Procedure* portions of the notice are amended to read as follows:

Agenda: On September 18, 2006, the committee will hear updates on the following topics: United States and worldwide bovine spongiform encephalopathies (BSE); variant Creutzfeldt-Jakob disease (vCJD) epidemiology and transfusion-transmission; blood and plasma donor deferral for transfusion in France since 1980 guidance; and critical factors influencing prion decontamination using sodium hydroxide. The committee will then discuss experimental clearance of transmissible spongiform encephalopathy infectivity in plasma-derived Factor VIII products. In the afternoon, the committee will hear updates on the status of FDA's initiative on communication of the potential exposure to vCJD risk from an investigational product, plasma derived FACTOR XI that was manufactured from UK donor plasma, and a summary of World Health Organization consultation on distribution of infectivity in tissues of animals and humans with transmissible spongiform encephalopathies. On September 19, 2006, the committee will discuss possible criteria for approval of donor screening tests for vCJD.

Procedure: Interested persons may present data, information, or views, orally or in writing, on issues pending before the committee. Written

submissions may be made to the contact person on or before September 6, 2006. Oral presentations from the public will be scheduled between approximately 11:30 a.m. and 12 noon and 3:30 p.m. and 4 p.m. on September 18, 2006, and between approximately 11:25 a.m. and 11:45 a.m. on September 19, 2006. Time allotted for each presentation may be limited. Those desiring to make formal oral presentations should notify the contact person and submit a brief statement of the general nature of the evidence or arguments they wish to present, the names and addresses of proposed participants, and an indication of the approximate time requested to make their presentation on or before September 11, 2006.

This notice is issued under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. app.2) and 21 CFR part 14, relating to the advisory committees.

Dated: September 6, 2006.

Randall W. Lutter,

Associate Commissioner for Policy and Planning.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Health Resources and Services Administration

Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

Periodically, the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) publishes abstracts of information collection requests under review by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB), in compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). To request a copy of the clearance requests submitted to OMB for review, call the HRSA Reports Clearance Office on (301) 443-1129.

The following request has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget for review under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995:

Proposed Project: Faculty Loan Repayment Program (FLRP) Application (OMB No. 0915-0150)—Extension

Under the Health Resources and Services Administration Faculty Loan Repayment Program, health profession graduates from a disadvantaged background may enter into a contract under which HRSA, with the Department of Health and Human Services, will make payments on

eligible health professions educational loans in exchange for a minimum of two years of service as a full-time or part-time faculty member of an accredited

health professions college or university. Applicants must complete an application and provide all other required documentation including

information on all eligible health professions educational loans. The estimated response burden is as follows:

Respondent	Number of respondents	Responses per response	Total responses	Hours per response	Total burden hours
Applicants	160	1	160	1	160

Written comments and recommendations concerning the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of this notice to: John Kraemer, Human Resources and Housing Branch, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: September 7, 2006.

Cheryl R. Dammons,
Director, Division of Policy Review and Coordination.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Health Resources and Services Administration

National Vaccine Injury Compensation Program; List of Petitions Received

AGENCY: Health Resources and Services Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) is publishing this notice of petitions received under the National Vaccine Injury Compensation Program (the Program), as required by Section 2112(b)(2) of the Public Health Service (PHS) Act, as amended. While the Secretary of Health and Human Services is named as the respondent in all proceedings brought by the filing of petitions for compensation under the Program, the United States Court of Federal Claims is charged by statute with responsibility for considering and acting upon the petitions.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: For information about requirements for filing petitions, and the Program in general, contact the Clerk, United States Court of Federal Claims, 717 Madison Place, NW., Washington, DC 20005, (202) 357-6400. For information on HRSA's role in the Program, contact the Director, National Vaccine Injury Compensation Program, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 11C-26, Rockville, MD 20857; (301) 443-6593.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Program provides a system of no-fault compensation for certain individuals who have been injured by specified childhood vaccines. Subtitle 2 of Title XXI of the PHS Act, 42 U.S.C. 300aa-10 *et seq.*, provides that those seeking compensation are to file a petition with the U.S. Court of Federal Claims and to serve a copy of the petition on the Secretary of Health and Human Services, who is named as the respondent in each proceeding. The Secretary has delegated his responsibility under the Program to HRSA. The Court is directed by statute to appoint special masters who take evidence, conduct hearings as appropriate, and make initial decisions as to eligibility for, and amount of, compensation.

A petition may be filed with respect to injuries, disabilities, illnesses, conditions, and deaths resulting from vaccines described in the Vaccine Injury Table (the Table) set forth at Section 2114 of the PHS Act or as set forth at 42 CFR 100.3, as applicable. This Table lists for each covered childhood vaccine the conditions which may lead to compensation and, for each condition, the time period for occurrence of the first symptom or manifestation of onset or of significant aggravation after vaccine administration. Compensation may also be awarded for conditions not listed in the Table and for conditions that are manifested outside the time periods specified in the Table, but only if the petitioner shows that the condition was caused by one of the listed vaccines.

Section 2112(b)(2) of the PHS Act, 42 U.S.C. 300aa-12(b)(2), requires that the Secretary publish in the **Federal Register** a notice of each petition filed. Set forth below is a list of petitions received by HRSA on April 1, 2006, through June 30, 2006.

Section 2112(b)(2) also provides that the special master "shall afford all interested persons an opportunity to submit relevant, written information" relating to the following:

1. The existence of evidence "that there is not a preponderance of the evidence that the illness, disability, injury, condition, or death described in

the petition is due to factors unrelated to the administration of the vaccine described in the petition," and

2. Any allegation in a petition that the petitioner either:

(a) "Sustained, or had significantly aggravated, any illness, disability, injury, or condition not set forth in the Table but which was caused by" one of the vaccines referred to in the Table, or

(b) "Sustained, or had significantly aggravated, any illness, disability, injury, or condition set forth in the Vaccine Injury Table the first symptom or manifestation of the onset or significant aggravation of which did not occur within the time period set forth in the Table but which was caused by a vaccine" referred to in the Table.

This notice will also serve as the special master's invitation to all interested persons to submit written information relevant to the issues described above in the case of the petitions listed below. Any person choosing to do so should file an original and three (3) copies of the information with the Clerk of the U.S. Court of Federal Claims at the address listed above (under the heading "For Further Information Contact"), with a copy to HRSA addressed to Director, Division of Vaccine Injury Compensation Program, Healthcare Systems Bureau, 5600 Fishers Lane, Room 11C-26, Rockville, MD 20857. The Court's caption (Petitioner's Name v. Secretary of Health and Human Services) and the docket number assigned to the petition should be used as the caption for the written submission. Chapter 35 of title 44, United States Code, related to paperwork reduction, does not apply to information required for purposes of carrying out the Program.

List of Petitions

1. Bonnie and Paul Narducci on behalf of Jonathan Paul Narducci, Wallingford, Connecticut, Court of Federal Claims Number 06-0266V.

2. Susan Walmsley, Bay Shore, New York, Court of Federal Claims Number 06-0270V.

3. Kimberly and Norman Crawford on behalf of Nicholas Timothy Crawford, Porter, Texas, Court of Federal Claims Number 06-0278V.