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Type of Review: Revision of a currently approved collection.

Abstract: The data collected on VA Form 21–0571 is used to determine whether children’s income can be excluded from consideration in determining a parent’s eligibility for non-service connected pension. A Veteran’s or surviving spouse’s rate of improved pension is determined by family income. However, children’s income may be excluded if it is unavailable or if including that income would cause a hardship.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Estimated Annual Burden: 2,025 hours.

Estimated Average Burden per Respondent: 45 minutes.

Frequency of Response: One time.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 2,700.

Dated: July 1, 2014.

By direction of the Secretary.

Crystal Rennie,

Department Clearance Officer, Department of Veterans Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Health Services Research and Development Service, Scientific Merit Review Board; Notice of Meeting

The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) gives notice under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. 2, that the Health Services Research and Development Service Scientific Merit Review Board will conduct in-person and teleconference meetings of its seven Health Services Research (HSR) subcommittees on the dates from 8:00 a.m. to approximately 5:00 p.m. (unless otherwise listed) and at the VHA National Conference Center in Arlington, Virginia:

- HSR 1—Health Care and Clinical Management on August 26–27, 2014;
- HSR 2—Behavioral, Social, and Cultural Determinants of Health and Care on August 26–27, 2014;
- HSR 4—Mental and Behavioral Health on August 26–27, 2014;
- HSR 5—Health Care System Organization and Delivery; Research Methods and Models on August 26–27, 2014;
- Nursing Research Initiative (NRI) from 8:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. on Thursday, August 28, 2014;
- HSR 3—Healthcare Informatics on Thursday, August 28, 2014;
- HSR 6—Post-acute and Long-term Care on Thursday, August 28, 2014; and
- HSR 7—Aging and Diminished Capacity in the Context of Aging on Thursday, August 28, 2014.

The purpose of the Board is to review health services research and development applications involving the measurement and evaluation of health care services, the testing of new methods of health care delivery and management, and nursing research. Applications are reviewed for scientific and technical merit, mission relevance, and the protection of human and animal subjects. Recommendations regarding funding are submitted to the Chief Research and Development Officer.

Each subcommittee meeting of the Board will be open to the public the first day for approximately one half-hour at the start of the meeting on August 26–27 (HSR 1, 2, 4, and 5), and on August 28 (NRI and HSR 3, 6, and 7), to cover administrative matters and to discuss the general status of the program. Members of the public who wish to attend the open portion of the subcommittee meetings may dial 1–800–767–1750, participant code 10443.

The remaining portion of each subcommittee meeting will be closed for the discussion, examination, reference to, and oral review of the intramural research proposals and critiques. During the closed portion of each subcommittee meeting, discussion and

recommendations will include qualifications of the personnel conducting the studies (the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy), as well as research information (the premature disclosure of which would likely compromise significantly the implementation of proposed agency action regarding such research projects). As provided by subsection 10(d) of Public Law 92–463, as amended by Public Law 94–409, closing the meeting is in accordance with 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(6) and (9)(B).

No oral or written comments will be accepted from the public for either portion of the meetings. Those who plan to participate during the open portion of a subcommittee meeting should contact John Midolo, Designated Federal Officer, Scientific Merit Review Board, Department of Veterans Affairs, Health Services Research and Development Service (10P9H), 810 Vermont Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20420, or email at John.Midolo@va.gov. For further information, please call Mr. Midolo at (202) 443–5752.

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Jelessa Burney,

Federal Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

Rehabilitation Research and Development Service Scientific Merit Review Board; Notice of Meetings

The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) gives notice under the Federal Advisory Committee Act, 5 U.S.C. App. 2, that the subcommittees of the Rehabilitation Research and Development Service Scientific Merit Review Board will meet from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. on the dates indicated below:

Subcommittee	Date(s)	Location
Research Career Scientists	August 1, 2014	*VA Central Office.
Aging & Neurodegenerative Disease	August 5, 2014	VHA National Conference Center.
Psychological Health & Social Reintegration	August 5, 2014	VHA National Conference Center.
Regenerative Medicine	August 5, 2014	VHA National Conference Center.
Brain Injury: TBI & Stroke	August 5–6, 2014	VHA National Conference Center.
Sensory Systems/Communication Disorders	August 6, 2014	VHA National Conference Center.
VA–ORD Historically Black College and University Research Scientist Training Program	August 6, 2014	*VA Central Office.
Musculoskeletal/Orthopedic Rehabilitation	August 7, 2014	VHA National Conference Center.
Rehabilitation Engineering & Prosthetics/Orthotics	August 7, 2014	VHA National Conference Center.
Spinal Cord Injury	August 7, 2014	VHA National Conference Center.
Career Development Award Program	August 7–8, 2014	VHA National Conference Center.

Subcommittee	Date(s)	Location
Center of Excellence and Research Enhancement Award Program.	September 23, 2014	VHA National Conference Center.

The addresses of the meeting sites are:
 (*Teleconference). VA Central Office, 131 M Street NE., Washington, DC 20002.
 VHA National Conference Center, 2011 Crystal Drive, Arlington, VA 22202.

The purpose of the Board is to review rehabilitation research and development applications and advise the Director, Rehabilitation Research and Development Service, and the Chief Research and Development Officer on the scientific and technical merit, the mission relevance, and the protection of human and animal subjects.

The subcommittee meetings will be open to the public for approximately one-half hour at the start of each meeting to cover administrative matters and to discuss the general status of the program. Members of the public who wish to attend the open portion of the teleconference sessions may dial 1-800-767-1750, participant code 69510. The remaining portion of each subcommittee meeting will be closed to the public for

the discussion, examination, reference to, and oral review of the research applications and critiques. During the closed portion of each subcommittee meeting, discussion and recommendations will include qualifications of the personnel conducting the studies (the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy), as well as research information (the premature disclosure of which would likely compromise significantly the implementation of proposed agency action regarding such research projects). As provided by subsection 10(d) of Public Law 92-463, as amended by Public Law 94-409, closing the meeting is in accordance with 5 U.S.C. 552b(c)(6) and (9)(B).

No oral or written comments will be accepted from the public for either portion of the meetings. Those who plan to attend the open portion of a subcommittee meeting should contact Tiffany Asqueri, Designated Federal Officer, Rehabilitation Research and Development Service, at Department of Veterans Affairs (10P9R), 810 Vermont Avenue NW., Washington, DC 20420, or email tiffany.asqueri@va.gov at least 5 days before the meeting. For further information, please call Mrs. Asqueri at (202) 443-5757.

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Jelessa Burney,
Federal Advisory Committee Management Officer.

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