

by NMFS. NMFS will not issue a CQ permit until NMFS receives a complete application for CQ issuance and confirmation of the full payment of any cost recovery fee liability.

Standard Price

For purposes of calculating cost recovery fees, NMFS uses a standard ex-vessel price (standard price) for Pacific Cod. A standard price is determined using information on landings purchased (volume) and ex-vessel value paid (value). NMFS annually receives information used to calculate the Pacific cod standard price in the existing Bering Sea and Aleutian Island (BSAI) Pacific cod Ex-vessel Volume and Value Report, which is submitted in early November of each year. NMFS uses this existing data source to calculate standard prices and thus determine the annual PCTC Program fishery value, which, along with the direct program costs, is used to calculate the annual PCTC Program cost recovery fee percentage. The standard prices are described in U.S. dollars per pound for landings made during the previous year. NMFS published the standard price of 0.42 cents per pound for Pacific cod for 2024 in the **Federal Register** on November 24, 2023 (88 FR 82336).

Each landing made under the PCTC Program is multiplied by the standard price to arrive at an ex-vessel value for each landing. These values are summed together to arrive at the ex-vessel value of Pacific Cod (fishery value).

Fee Percentage

Annually, NMFS calculates the applicable fee percentage according to the factors and methods described at § 679.135 for the PCTC Program. NMFS used the standard price of 0.42 cents to calculate the fee percentage applied to landings made in 2024. NMFS determined the fee percentage that applies to landings made in the A and B seasons, which extend from January 20 to June 10, 2024, by dividing the total costs directly related to the management, data collection, and enforcement of the program (direct program costs) by the value of the catch subject to the cost recovery fee.

NMFS captures direct PCTC program costs through an established accounting system that allows NMFS staff to track labor, travel, contracts, rent, and procurement costs. For 2024, the direct program costs for the PCTC Program were tracked from October 1, 2023 to June 30, 2024. NMFS began tracking PCTC Program management costs after the effective date of the final rule implementing the PCTC Program (88 FR 53704, August 8, 2023). NMFS will

publish an annual report on the NMFS Alaska Region website in the first quarter of 2025 that summarizes direct program costs for the PCTC Program.

Using the fee percentage formula described generally above, the estimated percentage of direct program costs to fishery value for the 2024 calendar year is 1.92 percent for the PCTC Program. For 2024, NMFS applied the fee percentage to each PCTC landing that was debited from a CQ allocation between January 20 and June 10 to calculate the fee liability for each cooperative. A PCTC cooperative's 2024 fee payments must be submitted to NMFS on or before August 31, 2024. Payment must be made in accordance with the payment methods set forth in § 679.135(a)(3).

Authority: 16 U.S.C. 1801 *et seq.*

Dated: July 26, 2024.

Lindsay Fullenkamp,

Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Defense Health Board; Notice of Federal Advisory Committee Meeting

AGENCY: Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness (USD(P&R)), Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: Notice of Federal advisory committee meeting.

SUMMARY: The DoD is publishing this notice to announce that the following Federal advisory committee meeting of the Defense Health Board (DHB) will take place.

DATES: Open to the public Wednesday, September 4, 2024 from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. (eastern) and open to the public Thursday, September 5, 2024 from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. (eastern).

ADDRESSES: The address of the open meeting is 8111 Gatehouse Rd., Room 345, Falls Church, VA 22042. The meeting will be held both in-person and virtually. To participate in the meeting, see the Meeting Accessibility section for instructions.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: CAPT Shawn Clausen, 703-275-6060 (voice), shawn.s.clausen.mil@health.mil (email). Mailing address is 7700 Arlington Boulevard, Suite 5101, Falls Church, Virginia 22042. Website: <https://www.health.mil/dhb>. The most up-to-date changes to the meeting agenda can be found on the website.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This meeting is being held under the provisions of chapter 10 of title 5, United States Code (U.S.C.) (commonly known as the "Federal Advisory Committee Act" or "FACA"), 5 U.S.C. 552b (commonly known as the "Government in the Sunshine Act"), and 41 Code of Federal Regulations (CFR) 102-3.140 and 102-3.150.

Availability of Materials for the Meeting: Additional information, including the agenda, is available on the DHB website, <https://www.health.mil/dhb>. A copy of the agenda or any updates to the agenda for the September 4-5, 2024, meeting will be available on the DHB website. Any other materials presented in the meeting may also be obtained at the meeting.

Purpose of the Meeting: The DHB provides independent advice and recommendations to maximize the safety and quality of, as well as access to, health care for DoD health care beneficiaries. The purpose of the meeting is to provide progress updates on specific tasks before the DHB.

Agenda: The DHB anticipates receiving decision briefings on the Effective Public Health Communication Strategies with DoD Personnel and Prolonged Theater Care.

Meeting Accessibility: Pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552b and 41 CFR 102-3.140 through 102-3.165 and subject to the availability of space, this meeting will be held in-person and virtually and is open to the public from 9 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. on September 4, 2024 and 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. on September 5, 2024. Seating and virtual participation is limited and is on a first-come basis. All members of the public who wish to participate must register by emailing their name, rank/title, and organization/company to dha.dhb@health.mil or by contacting Mr. Tanner Dean at (703) 275-6010 no later than Thursday, August 29, 2024. Additional details will be required from all members of the public attending in-person that do not have Gatehouse building access. Once registered, participant access information will be provided.

Special Accommodations: Individuals requiring special accommodations to access the public meeting should contact Mr. Tanner Dean at least five (5) business days prior to the meeting so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

Written Statements: Any member of the public wishing to provide comments to the DHB related to its current taskings or mission may do so at any time in accordance with section 10(a)(3) of the FACA, 41 CFR 102-3.105(j) and 102-3.140, and the procedures described in

this notice. Written statements may be submitted to the DHB's Designated Federal Officer (DFO), CAPT Clausen, at shawn.s.clausen.mil@health.mil. Supporting documentation may also be included, to establish the appropriate historical context and to provide any necessary background information. If the written statement is not received at least five (5) business days prior to the meeting, the DFO may choose to postpone consideration of the statement until the next open meeting. The DFO will review all timely submissions with the DHB President and ensure they are provided to members of the DHB before the meeting that is subject to this notice. After reviewing the written comments, the President and the DFO may choose to invite the submitter to orally present their issue during an open portion of this meeting or at a future meeting.

Dated: July 26, 2024.

Patricia L. Toppings,
OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer,
Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Renewal of Department of Defense Federal Advisory Committees—Uniform Formulary Beneficiary Advisory Panel

AGENCY: Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: Renewal of Federal advisory committee.

SUMMARY: The DoD is publishing this notice to announce that it is renewing the Uniform Formulary Beneficiary Advisory Panel (UFBAP).

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Jim Freeman, DoD Advisory Committee Management Officer, 703-692-5952.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The UFBAP is being renewed in accordance with the provisions of chapter 10 of title 5 United States Code (U.S.C.) (commonly known as “the Federal Advisory Committee Act” or “FACA”) and 41 Code of Federal Register (CFR) 102-3.50(a). The charter and contact information for the UFBAP's Designated Federal Officer (DFO) are found at <https://www.facadatabase.gov/FACA/apex/FACAPublicAgencyNavigation>.

Pursuant to 10 U.S.C. 1074g(c)(2), the UFBAP shall be composed of no more than 15 members and shall include members that represent: a. Nongovernmental organizations and associations that represent the views and interests of a large number of

eligible covered beneficiaries; b. Contractors responsible for the TRICARE retail pharmacy program; c. Contractors responsible for the national mail-order pharmacy program; and d. TRICARE network providers.

The appointment of UFBAP members shall be approved by the Secretary of Defense and the Deputy Secretary of Defense (“the DoD Appointing Authority”) for a term of service of one-to-four years, with annual renewals, in accordance with DoD policy and procedures. No member, unless approved by the DoD Appointing Authority, may serve more than two consecutive terms of service on the UFBAP, or serve on more than two DoD Federal Advisory committees at one time. The DoD Appointing authority shall appoint the UFBAP's leadership from among the membership previously approved to serve on the UFBAP in accordance with DoD policy and procedures, for a term of service of one-to-two years, with annual renewal, not to exceed the member's approved UFBAP appointment.

UFBAP members who are not full-time or permanent part-time Federal civilian officers or employees, or active-duty members of the Armed Forces, shall be appointed as experts or consultants pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 3109 to serve as special government employee members. UFBAP members who are full-time or permanent part-time Federal civilian officers or employees, or active-duty members of the Armed Forces, shall be appointed pursuant to 41 CFR 102-3.130(a) to serve as regular government employee members. All UFBAP members are appointed to exercise their own best judgment on behalf of the DoD, without representing any particular points of view, and to discuss and deliberate in a manner that is free from conflicts of interest. With the exception of reimbursement of official UFBAP-related travel and Per diem, UFBAP members serve without compensation.

The public or interested organizations may submit written statements to the UFBAP about the UFBAP's mission and functions. Written statements may be submitted at any time or in response to the stated agenda of planned meeting of the UFBAP. All written statements shall be submitted to the DFO for the UFBAP, and this individual will ensure that the written statements are provided to the membership for their consideration.

Dated: July 26, 2024.

Patricia L. Toppings,
OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer,
Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

Applications for New Awards; Transitioning Gang-Involved Youth to Higher Education Program

AGENCY: Office of Postsecondary Education, Department of Education.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Department of Education (Department) is issuing a notice inviting applications (NIA) for fiscal year (FY) 2024 for the Transitioning Gang-Involved Youth to Higher Education Program.

DATES:

Applications Available: August 1, 2024.

Deadline for Transmittal of Applications: September 30, 2024.

Deadline for Intergovernmental Review: November 29, 2024.

ADDRESSES: For the addresses for obtaining and submitting an application, please refer to our Common Instructions for Applicants to Department of Education Discretionary Grant Programs, published in the **Federal Register** on December 7, 2022 (87 FR 75045), and available at <https://www.federalregister.gov/documents/2022/12/07/2022-26554/common-instructions-for-applicants-to-department-of-education-discretionary-grant-programs>.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Jymece Seward, U.S. Department of Education, 400 Maryland Avenue SW, Room 5C113, Washington, DC 20202-4260. Telephone: 202-453-6138. Email: Jymece.Seward@ed.gov.

If you are deaf, hard of hearing, or have a speech disability and wish to access telecommunications relay services, please dial 7-1-1.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Full Text of Announcement

I. Funding Opportunity Description

Purpose of Program: The purpose of the Transitioning Gang-Involved Youth to Higher Education (TGIY) Program is to provide a funding opportunity for organizations that work directly with gang-involved youth to help such youth pursue higher education opportunities that will lead to certification or credentials.

Assistance Listing Number: 84.116Y.