Table 8. Postdoctoral Applicant Pool[1]

<u>Sample Table 8</u>

Fellow[2]	Previous Institution	Degree & Year	Preceptor	Thesis Topic or Residency Training	Offered Admission (x)	Entered Program (x)
1	Ohio State U.	Ph.D. 2001	Holmes, J.	Neuronal K+ Currents	x	x
2*	Yale U.	M.D. 2000	Smith, A.	Washington U.	x	
3+*	U. Maryland	Ph.D. 1999	Stuart, G.	Cardiac Metabolism	x	x
4*	U. Wisconsin	M.D. 1998	Lech, J.	Harvard U.	x	x
5 +*	U. Notre Dame	Ph.D. 2002	Allen, D.	Lung Development	x	
6	St. Louis U.	Ph.D. 1998	Davies, J.	Vascular Biology	x	x

[1]PHS 398 (Rev. 09/2004, Interim Rev. 04/2006) Section IV. B.8. Research Training Plan, B.5. Trainee Candidates, paragraph 4, "In a table (Table 7), present the qualifications of prospective postdoctoral trainees . . ."

[2]Indicate the Kirschstein-NRSA training grant eligible fellows (based on citizenship or permanent residency status) with an asterisk (*) and underrepresented minority fellows with a dagger (+).

Instructions: Anonymously present the qualifications of prospective postdoctoral trainees in the most recent applicant pool.

Rationale: These data will permit an evaluation of the quality and depth of the postdoctoral applicant pool. The data permit separate analyses for training grant eligible, underrepresented minority, and non-training grant eligible applicants. These data are useful in determining the selectivity of the admissions process, the competitiveness of the program, the success of the recruitment of underrepresented minority trainees, and the appropriate number of postdoctoral training positions to be awarded.