

**National Children's Study
Federal Advisory Committee Meeting**

April 27–28, 2005
Crystal Gateway Marriott
Arlington, VA

Draft Agenda as of 04/21/05

Wednesday, April 27

- 7:30 a.m.–8:30 a.m. **Registration**
- 8:30 a.m.–9:30 a.m. **Welcome and Introductions**
Alan R. Fleischman, M.D.
Chair
National Children's Study Federal Advisory Committee (NCSAC)
- 9:30 a.m.–10:00 a.m. **Welcome and Overview of the National Children's Study**
Peter C. Scheidt, M.D., M.P.H.
Director
National Children's Study
- 10:00 a.m.–10:20 a.m. **Break**
- 10:20 a.m.–10:45 a.m. **National Children's Study—Study Plan**
Ruth A. Brenner, M.D., M.P.H.
Director, Protocol Development
National Children's Study
- 10:45 a.m.–11:30 a.m. **Panel and General Discussion***
- Moderator**
Peter Scheidt, M.D., M.P.H.
- Panel Members**
- Ruth Brenner, M.D., M.P.H.*
- Warren Galke, M.S.P.H., Ph.D.*
Environmental Epidemiologist
National Children's Study Program Office
- Sarah S. Knox, Ph.D.*
Behavioral Scientist
National Children's Study Program Office
- 11:30 a.m.–1:30 p.m. **Working Lunch—Closed Session**
- Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA) Overview**
Mary Plummer
Director
Office of Committee Management
National Institutes of Child Health and Human Development, NIH
- Federal Advisory Committee Ethics Training**
Gretchen Weaver, J.D.
Ethics Counsel
Office of General Counsel
Office of the Director, NIH

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Wednesday, April 27 (continued)

- 1:30 p.m.–2:15 p.m. **Concept Evaluation**
- North Carolina Herald Pilot Study**
*Pauline Mendola, Ph.D., Interagency Coordinating Committee (ICC) Member
National Health and Environmental Effects Research Laboratory
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency*
- Report of Concept Review Working Group**
*Lucinda Suarez, Ph.D., NCSAC Member
Senior Scientist
State of Texas Department of Health*
- General Discussion***
- 2:15 p.m.–3:00 p.m. **Advisory Committee Roles, Responsibilities, Processes, and Procedures**
Alan R. Fleischman, M.D.
- 3:00 p.m.–3:20 p.m. **Break**
- 3:20 p.m.–3:45 p.m. **Public Private Partnerships**
*Marion J. Balsam, M.D.
NCSAC Executive Secretary
Research Partnerships Program Director
National Children's Study*
- General Discussion***
- 3:45 p.m.–4:15 p.m. **Report from the Director, NICHD**
*Duane F. Alexander, M.D.
Director
National Institutes of Child Health and Human Development, NIH*
- Recognition of Service:**
- Donald R. Mattison, M.D.
Chair
National Children's Study Federal Advisory Committee (2002–2004)*
- Jan L. Leahey
Executive Secretary
National Children's Study Federal Advisory Committee (2002–2004)*
- 4:15 p.m. **Adjourn for the Day**

7:30 a.m.–8:30 a.m.

Registration

8:30 a.m.–9:00 a.m.

Welcome and Recap of Day One

Alan R. Fleischman, M.D.

9:00 a.m.–10:30 a.m.

Community Involvement

Presentations

*Giselle Corbie-Smith, M.D., M.P.H., NCSAC Member
Associate Professor
University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill*

*Sarah A. Keim, M.A.
Program Coordinator
National Children's Study*

Response

*James N. Jarvis, M.D., NCSAC Member
Clinical Associate Professor
University of Oklahoma*

*Peggy M. Shepard, NCSAC Member
Executive Director
West Harlem Environmental Action, Inc.*

*Bernice Pescosolido, Ph.D., NCSAC Member
Director
Indiana Consortium for Mental Health Research
Indiana University*

General Discussion*

10:30 a.m.–10:50 a.m.

Break

10:50 a.m.–12:00 p.m.

Ethical Considerations:

Use of Incentives to Enhance Recruitment and Retention

Alan R. Fleischman, M.D.

12:00 p.m.–1:00 p.m.

Lunch on Your Own

1:00 p.m.–2:30 p.m.

Support of the National Children's Study

American Association on Mental Retardation

*Michele Gagnon, M.P.H.
Director
Environmental Health Initiative, AAMR*

Society for Maternal Fetal Medicine

*Haywood L. Brown, M.D.
Roy P. Parker Professor and Chair
Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Duke University
Past President, SMFM*

Thursday, April 28 (continued)

1:00 p.m.–2:30 p.m. **Support of the National Children’s Study (continued)**

Children’s Environmental Health Network

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Acting Executive Director

General Discussion*

2:30 p.m.–3:00 p.m. **Next Steps**

3:00 p.m. **Adjourn**

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