

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

September 20–21, 2005  
Gaithersburg Marriott Washingtonian Center  
Gaithersburg, MD

**Agenda**

**Tuesday, September 20**

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- 7:30 a.m.–8:30 a.m.      **Registration**
- 8:30 a.m.–9:15 a.m.      **Welcome and Introductions**  
*Alan R. Fleischman, MD*  
*Chair*  
*National Children's Study Federal Advisory Committee (NCSAC)*
- 9:15 a.m.–9:45 a.m.      **Welcome and Update of the National Children's Study**  
*Peter C. Scheidt, MD, MPH*  
*Director*  
*National Children's Study*
- 9:45 a.m.–10:30 a.m.      **National Research Council/Institute of Medicine Report:  
Ethical Issues in Housing-Related Health Hazard Research  
Involving Children, Youth, and Families**  
*Bernard Lo, MD, Report Committee Chair*  
*Director, Program in Medical Ethics*  
*University of California, San Francisco*
- 10:30 a.m.–10:45 a.m.      **Break**
- 10:45 a.m.–11:00 a.m.      **Report from the Director, NICHD**  
*Duane F. Alexander, MD*  
*Director*  
*National Institutes of Child Health and Human Development, NIH*
- 11:00 a.m.–12:30 p.m.      **Role of Behavioral and Psychosocial Factors in the National Children's Study**  
*Sarah S. Knox, PhD*  
*Behavioral Scientist*  
*National Children's Study Program Office*
- NCSAC Discussion and Recommendations  
General Discussion\***
- 12:30 p.m.–2:00 p.m.      **Lunch On Your Own**  
**Working Lunch: NCSAC Community Engagement Subcommittee**  
12:30 p.m.–1:00 p.m.      Closed Administrative Session  
1:00 p.m.–2:00 p.m.      Open Session
- 2:00 p.m.–3:30 p.m.      **Ethical Considerations: Informing Participants, Families,  
and Communities of Information Learned**  
*Myron Genel, MD, Chair*  
*Ethics Subcommittee, NCSAC*  
*Professor Emeritus of Pediatrics*  
*Child Health Research Center*  
*Yale University School of Medicine*
- NCSAC Discussion and Recommendations  
General Discussion\***

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## Tuesday, September 20 (continued)

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- 3:30 p.m.–3:50 p.m.      **Break**
- 3:50 p.m.–4:15 p.m.      **Update from the National Children’s Study  
Interagency Coordinating Committee (ICC)**  
*Amy Branum, MSPH*  
*Health Statistician*  
*Infant and Child Health Studies*  
*National Center for Health Statistics*  
*Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)*
- 4:15 p.m.–4:30 p.m.      **Concluding Remarks**
- 4:30 p.m.                      **Adjourn for the Day**

## Wednesday, September 21

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- 7:30 a.m.–8:30 a.m.      **Registration**
- 8:30 a.m.–8:45 a.m.      **Welcome and Recap of Day One**  
*Alan R. Fleischman, MD*
- 8:45 a.m.–9:15 a.m.      **The Role of Genetic Information in the National Children’s Study**  
*Cynthia A. Moore, MD, PhD*  
*Team Leader, Genomics and Population Health Research Team*  
*Office of Genomics and Disease Prevention*  
*Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)*
- 9:15 a.m.–10:30 a.m.      **Genetics Panel Discussion**
- Moderator**  
*Ruth A. Brenner, MD, MPH*  
*Director, Protocol Development*  
*National Children’s Study*
- Panel Members**
- Jeffrey Long, PhD*  
*Professor of Human Genetics*  
*University of Michigan*
- Alan R. Fleischman, MD*
- Cynthia A. Moore, MD, PhD*
- Comments**  
*Edward R.B. McCabe, MD, PhD*  
*Professor and Executive Chair*  
*Department of Pediatrics*  
*University of California, Los Angeles*
- NCSAC Discussion and Recommendations**  
**General Discussion\***
- 10:30 a.m.–10:45 a.m.      **Break**
- 10:45 a.m.–11:15 a.m.      **Peer Review of the Study Protocol—Potential Mechanisms**  
*Alan R. Fleischman, MD*
- NCSAC Discussion and Recommendations**  
**General Discussion\***
- 11:15 a.m.–12:00 p.m.      **‘Outside Proposals’ and Public Private Partnerships: Review Process**  
*Marion J. Balsam, MD*  
*NCSAC Executive Secretary*  
*Research Partnerships Program Director*  
*National Children’s Study*
- NCSAC Discussion and Recommendations**  
**General Discussion\***
- 12:00 p.m.–1:30 p.m.      **Lunch On Your Own**  
**Working Lunch: NCSAC Concept Review Subcommittee**  
12:00 p.m.–12:30 p.m. Closed Administrative Session  
12:30 p.m.–1:30 p.m. Open Session

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## **Wednesday, September 21 (continued)**

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1:30 p.m.–3:00 p.m.

### **Clinical, Economic, and Regulatory Implications of the National Children’s Study**

#### **Moderator**

*Peter C. Scheidt, MD, MPH*

#### **Panel Members**

*Donald J. Dudley, MD*

*Professor, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology  
University of Texas Health Science Center at San Antonio*

*Jerome A. Paulson, MD*

*Associate Professor of Pediatrics  
Associate Research Professor of Environmental and Occupational Health  
George Washington University*

*William H. Farland, PhD*

*Acting Deputy Assistant Administrator for Science  
Acting Science Advisor  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA)*

#### **NCSAC Discussion and Recommendations General Discussion\***

3:00 p.m.–3:15 p.m.

#### **Break**

3:15 p.m.–4:15 p.m.

### **Support of the National Children’s Study**

#### **National Medical Association (NMA)**

*Renee Jenkins, MD, FAAP*

*Past Chair, Pediatric Section*

*National Medical Association*

*Professor and Chairman*

*Department of Pediatrics and Child Health*

*Howard University*

#### **American Chemistry Council (ACC)**

*Lee Salamone*

*Director*

*Public Health and Science Policy Issue Group*

#### **General Discussion\***

4:15 p.m.–4:30 p.m.

#### **Next Steps**

4:30 p.m.

#### **Adjourn**

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