

DATES: July 26, 2000.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Mark Pincus, Office of Information Resources Management (HFA-250), Food and Drug Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, 301-827-1471.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In FR Doc. 00-17944 appearing on page 44061 in the **Federal Register** of July 17, 2000, the following correction is made:

On page 44061, in the first column, under the **ADDRESSES** caption, after the second sentence, "Persons with access to the Internet may submit electronic comments on the collection of information at <http://www.accessdata.fda.gov/scripts/oc/dockets/comments/commentdocket.cfm>." is added.

Dated: July 21, 2000.

William K. Hubbard,

Senior Associate Commissioner for Policy, Planning, and Legislation.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. 00N-0930]

Request for Nominations for Working Groups Under the Nonclinical Studies Subcommittee of the Advisory Committee for Pharmaceutical Science

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is requesting nominations for qualified persons to serve on two fact-finding working groups being formed to support the Nonclinical Studies Subcommittee of the Advisory Committee for Pharmaceutical Science. The working groups will identify and report on scientific issues that may benefit from focused nonclinical research and collaboration.

FDA has a special interest in ensuring that women, minority groups, and individuals with disabilities are adequately represented on advisory committees, and therefore, encourages nominations of qualified candidates from these groups. Final selections from among qualified candidates for each working group will be based on the expertise demonstrated for the specific focus areas and previous experience working in these areas.

DATES: All nominations should be received by September 29, 2000.

ADDRESSES: Please submit nominations to Docket No. 00N-0930, Dockets Management Branch (HFA-305), Food and Drug Administration, 5630 Fishers Lane, rm. 1061, Rockville, MD 20852.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David C. Morley, Center for Drug Evaluation and Research (HFD-358), Food and Drug Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, 301-594-5684, FAX 301-594-2503, e-mail: MORLEYD@CDER.FDA.GOV.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: FDA is requesting nominations for qualified persons to serve on two fact-finding working groups being formed to support the Nonclinical Studies Subcommittee of the Advisory Committee for Pharmaceutical Science. The working groups will identify and report on scientific issues that may benefit from focused nonclinical research and collaboration.

FDA is forming the following two working groups:

- A multidisciplinary working group to identify promising areas of nonclinical scientific research to develop biomarkers and/or other evolving molecular technologies to identify or predict drug-induced cardiac tissue injury, and
- A multidisciplinary working group to identify promising areas of nonclinical scientific research to develop biomarkers and/or other evolving molecular technologies to identify or predict drug-induced vasculitis.

Criteria

Persons nominated for the working groups shall have exceptional accomplishments and expertise in the scientific fields appropriate to the working group. In particular, expertise in genomic and proteomic technologies is desired.

Nomination Procedures

Any interested person or organization may nominate one or more qualified persons for one or more of the working groups. Self-nominations are also accepted. Nominations should include appropriate biographical material, a brief (one-half page maximum) endorsement, a list of scientific publications relevant to the working group, and a statement that the nominee is aware of the nomination and is willing to serve on the working group if selected.

This notice is issued under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (5 U.S.C. app. 2) and 21 CFR part 14, relating to advisory committees.

Dated: July 18, 2000.

Linda A. Suydam,

Senior Associate Commissioner.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. 00D-1384]

Medical Devices; Draft Guidance for Surveillance and Detention Without Physical Examination of Surgeons' and/or Patient Examination Gloves; Availability

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing the availability of a draft guidance entitled "Guidance for Surveillance and Detention Without Physical Examination of Surgeons' and/or Patient Examination Gloves." Many foreign manufacturers and shippers of surgeons' and/or patient examination gloves have consistently failed to provide surgeons' and/or patient examination gloves of adequate quality for distribution in the United States, which presents a potential serious hazard to health for users and patients. The draft guidance is intended to help industry understand our policy to monitor continuously recidivist firms under our import program. This policy is neither final nor is it in effect at this time.

DATES: Submit written comments concerning this draft guidance by October 24, 2000.

ADDRESSES: Submit written requests for single copies on a 3.5" diskette of the draft guidance entitled "Draft Guidance for Surveillance and Detention Without Physical Examination of Surgeons' and/or Patient Examination Gloves" to the Division of Small Manufacturers Assistance (HFZ-220), Center for Devices and Radiological Health, Food and Drug Administration, 1350 Piccard Dr., Rockville, MD 20850. Send one self-addressed adhesive label to assist that office in processing your request, or fax your request to 301-443-8818. See the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section for information on electronic access to the guidance.

Submit written comments concerning this guidance to the Dockets Management Branch, (HFA-305), Food