

## 2025 Current Fiscal Year Report: Infectious Diseases and Immunology B Integrated Review Group

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### 1. Department or Agency

Department of Health and Human Services

### 2. Fiscal Year

2025

### 3. Committee or Subcommittee

Infectious Diseases and Immunology B  
Integrated Review Group

### 3b. GSA

### Committee

### No.

1871

### 4. Is this New During Fiscal Year?

No

### 5. Current Charter

01/03/1994

### 6. Expected Renewal Date

### 7. Expected Term Date

### 8a. Was Terminated During Fiscal Year?

No

### 8b. Specific Termination Authority

### 8c. Actual Term Date

### 9. Agency Recommendation for Next Fiscal Year

Continue

### 10a. Legislation Req to Terminate?

Not Applicable

### 10b. Legislation Pending?

Not Applicable

### 11. Establishment Authority Authorized by Law

### 12. Specific Establishment Authority

42 U.S.C. 282 (b)(16)

### 13. Effective Date

11/20/1985

### 14. Committee Type

Continuing

### 14c. Presidential?

No

### 15. Description of Committee Grant Review Committee

### 16a. Total

### Number of Reports

No Reports for  
this Fiscal Year

### 17a.

Open

0

17b. Closed

0

17c. Partially Closed

0

Other Activities

0

17d. Total

0

### Meetings and Dates

No Meetings

Current Next  
FY FY

<b>18a(1). Personnel Pmts to Non-Federal Members</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>18a(2). Personnel Pmts to Federal Members</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>18a(3). Personnel Pmts to Federal Staff</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>18a(4). Personnel Pmts to Non-Member Consultants</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>18b(1). Travel and Per Diem to Non-Federal Members</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>18b(2). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Members</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>18b(3). Travel and Per Diem to Federal Staff</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>18b(4). Travel and Per Diem to Non-member Consultants</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>18c. Other(rents,user charges, graphics, printing, mail, etc.)</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>18d. Total</b>	\$0.00 \$0.00
<b>19. Federal Staff Support Years (FTE)</b>	0.00 0.00

**20a. How does the Committee accomplish its purpose?**

Section 492 of the PHS Act states that The Secretary...shall by regulation require appropriate technical and scientific peer review of -- (A) applications...; and (B) biomedical and behavioral research and development contracts. This committee is composed of recognized biomedical and behavioral research authorities who represent the forefront of research and technical knowledge and who provide first-level merit review of highly scientific and technical research grant applications, cooperative agreements and/or contract proposals in the fields of immunology including studies to understand how the immune system functions and the relationship of the immune system to pathology. During this reporting

period the committee reviewed 1988 applications requesting \$3,118,403,707

**20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?**

The members of this committee are authorities knowledgeable in the fields of infectious diseases and immunology including: the synthesis, structure and function of antibodies; the development and interaction of the elements of the humoral and cellular areas of the immune system; and the involvement of the immune system in the pathogenesis and treatment of disease.

**20c. How frequent and relevant are the Committee Meetings?**

The committee held 27 meetings during this reporting period.

**20d. Why can't the advice or information this committee provides be obtained elsewhere?**

This committee is composed of recognized biomedical and/or behavioral research authorities who represent the forefront of research and technical knowledge and who provide first-level merit review of highly scientific and technical research grant applications and contract proposals. These evaluations and recommendations can not be obtained from other sources because the specialized, complex nature of the applications and proposals requires a unique balance and breadth of expertise not available on the NIH staff or from other established sources.

**20e. Why is it necessary to close and/or partially closed committee meetings?**

The meetings of the committee were closed to the public for the review of grant applications.

Sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6) of the Government in the Sunshine Act permit the closing of meetings where discussion could reveal confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material and personal information, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

## **21. Remarks**

This committee did not produce any public reports during the fiscal year. Dr. Caroline Jefferies was reassigned to the role of chairperson during the fiscal year. Dr. Nadig Satish was reassigned to the role of chairperson during the fiscal year. His term will end on 6/30/2027, one year earlier. Dr. Amanda Lund was reassigned to the role of chairperson through 8/31/2024. Dr. Katharine June Bar was reappointed to the role of chairperson through 6/30/2025. The following members' terms ended early: Drs. Seema S Lakdawala (11/14/2023) and Jianhua Yu (05/29/2024). Due to the assignment of responsibilities within the Center, the roles of the committee designated federal official and committee decision maker are filled by the same individual. In general, initial/integrated review group (IRG) members serve up to six years, which is documented in the Members list. Temporary members are individuals recruited based on expertise needed for each meeting. Some temporary members may attend one meeting only while others may attend multiple meetings. Instead of appointment start and end dates, each meeting date on which the temporary member served is identified on the Members list. Meeting rosters, including members' affiliations and zip codes are available online at <https://public.era.nih.gov/pubroster/>.

## Designated Federal Officer

Ross Shonat Director, Division of Physiological  
and Pathological Sciences

Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
Aguilar, Patricia	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Alonzo, Francis	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Alto, Neal	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Anguera, Montserrat	07/01/2021	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Anthony, Simon	07/11/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Archin, Nancie	07/18/2023	06/30/2027	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Arumugaswami, Vaithilingaraja	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Ascherman, Dana	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Baerga-Ortiz, Abel	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Bar, Katharine	12/18/2020	06/30/2025	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Barczak, Amy	07/01/2023	06/30/2029	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Beeton, Christine	09/01/2024	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Bermick, Jennifer	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Bettini, Maria	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Bhattacharya, Debika	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Associate Clinical Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Blackard, Jason	07/01/2024	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member

Bose, Jeffrey	07/06/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Botten, Jason	07/01/2024	06/30/2030	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Brown, Eric	07/01/2022	06/30/2025	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Brust, James	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Bumgardner, Ginny	07/01/2022	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Capitini, Christian	07/01/2021	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Carey, Alison	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Casadevall, Arturo	07/01/2022	06/30/2028	Professor and Chair	Peer Review Consultant Member
Cascalho, Marilla	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Charles, Richelle	12/18/2020	06/30/2025	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Chiao, Elizabeth	07/01/2022	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Coates, Bria	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Collier, James	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Connor, John	07/17/2023	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Cunningham, Melissa	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
David, Michael	07/20/2023	06/30/2027	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Debes, Jose	07/01/2021	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Demetriou, Michael	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member

Deng, Jane	07/13/2023	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Deshmukh, Hitesh	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Diel, Diego	07/11/2023	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Ding, Siyuan	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Dinglasan, Rhoel David	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Dionne-Odom, Jodie	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Dirajlal-Fargo, Sahera	07/01/2023	06/30/2026	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Doran, Kelly	07/01/2022	06/30/2025	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Escalante, Patricio	07/01/2022	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Fairfax, Keke	07/01/2021	06/30/2027	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Farhadian, Shelli	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Fennema-Notestine, Christine	07/01/2022	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Fischer, William	08/04/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Gaglia, Marta	07/11/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Gao, Peisong	09/01/2024	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Gordon, Aubree	12/18/2020	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Greenland, John	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Guevara-Patino, Jose	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member

Guma, Monica	09/01/2024	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Gutierrez Contreras, Jose	07/01/2021	06/30/2027	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Hammer, Gianna	07/01/2022	06/30/2028	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Hancock, Wayne	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Hang, Howard	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Harrington, Laurie	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Harrison, Shannon	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Heysell, Scott	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Holtz, Lori	07/21/2023	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Horne, David	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Hsiao, Ansel	07/01/2022	06/30/2025	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Huang, Weishan	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Ivashkiv, Lionel	09/01/2024	06/30/2027	Senior Scientist	Peer Review Consultant Member
Iyer, Swaminathan	07/23/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Jefferies, Caroline	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Johannsen, Eric	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Jones, Bridgette	09/01/2024	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Kalamvoki, Maria	08/15/2023	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member



Kallianpur, Asha	07/01/2021	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Kanmogne, Georgette	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Kelley, Colleen	07/01/2023	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Kendall, Emily	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Khan, Imtiaz	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Khanna, Kamal	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Koethe, John	07/01/2022	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Kosek, Margaret	07/28/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Kunisaki, Ken	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Kyei, George	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
LaCourse, Sylvia	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Lafaille, Juan	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Lake, Jordan	07/01/2023	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Lancioni, Louise	07/01/2022	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Lanier, Lewis	07/01/2022	06/30/2025	Distinguished Professor and Chair	Peer Review Consultant Member
Li, Qingsheng	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Ling, Binhua	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Lipscomb, Michael	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member

Lo, Eugenia	07/01/2024	06/30/2030	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Lodge, Jennifer	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Luo, Xin	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Luo, Xunrong	07/01/2020	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Lynch, Rebecca	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Ma, Qing	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Marcondes, Maria Cecilia	07/01/2021	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Martinelli, Elena	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Research Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Maury, Wendy	07/11/2023	06/30/2025	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
McGeachy, Mandy	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Menon, Madhav	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Messer, William	07/20/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Meyer, Everett	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Morris, Gerald	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Morrison, Thomas	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Muller, Mandy	07/01/2024	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Nachman, Sharon	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Nadig, Satish	07/01/2023	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member

Nair, Meera	07/02/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Nath, Swapan	09/01/2024	06/30/2025	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Novais, Fernanda	07/01/2023	06/30/2029	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Obar, Joshua	07/01/2023	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Okoye, Afamefuna	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Olive, Andrew	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Pandiyan, Pushpa	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Patrick, Kristin	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Paust, Silke	07/01/2021	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Penaloza, Pablo	07/07/2023	06/30/2029	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Perera, Rushika	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Perez, Daniel	08/15/2023	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Piganelli, Jon	07/01/2024	06/30/2030	Professor of Medicine	Peer Review Consultant Member
Pillai, Satish	07/18/2023	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Pinho, Sandra	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Pintye, Jillian	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Ploss, Alexander	07/12/2023	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Ponce, Doris	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member

Popovich, Kyle	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Rahman, Ziaur	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Robinson, Cory	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Rodriguez Garcia, Marta	07/01/2023	06/30/2026	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Rodriguez, Gloria	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Rolland, Morgane	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Chief	Peer Review Consultant Member
Romerio, Fabio	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Rowley, Anne	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Rucks, Elizabeth	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Salazar, Juan	07/01/2022	06/30/2025	Professor and Chair	Peer Review Consultant Member
Santiago-Tirado, Felipe	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Schieffelin, John	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Scull, Margaret	08/15/2023	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Seshadri, Chetan	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor of Medicine	Peer Review Consultant Member
Seydel, Karl	07/22/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Shair, Kathy Ho Yen	07/11/2023	06/30/2029	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Shin, Sunny	12/18/2020	06/30/2025	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Singer, Cherie	09/01/2024	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member

Skopelja-Gardner, Sladjana	07/01/2023	06/30/2029	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Smith, David	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Snyder, Christopher	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Stafford, Irene	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Stein, Catherine	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Su, Maureen	07/01/2021	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Tafesse, Fikadu	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Tang, Hengli	08/15/2023	06/30/2025	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Tempera, Italo	07/01/2024	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Tobin, David	07/01/2024	06/30/2030	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Totonchy, Jennifer	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Tukel, Cagla	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Wang, Jing	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Weaver, Jessica	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Weinstein, Jason	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Weiss, Robert	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Whitmire, Jason	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Williams, Jessica	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member

Williams, Kirsten	07/01/2023	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Wojna, Valerie	07/01/2021	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Woodfolk, Judith	07/01/2023	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Yang, Priscilla	07/01/2024	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Yotebieng, Marcel	07/01/2023	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Yu, Xu	07/01/2021	06/30/2025	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Zarrinpar, Ali	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Zeng, Hu	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Zhen, Anjie	07/18/2023	06/30/2027	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member

**Number of Committee Members Listed: 169**

### **Narrative Description**

NIH's mission is to seek fundamental knowledge about the nature and behavior of living systems and the application of that knowledge to enhance health, lengthen life, and reduce illness and disability. NIH works toward that mission by supporting the research of non-Federal scientists in universities, medical schools, hospitals, and research institutions throughout the country and abroad. Section 492 of the PHS Act states that The Secretary ...shall by regulation require appropriate technical and scientific peer review of (A) applications...; and (B) biomedical and behavioral research and development contracts...

**What are the most significant program outcomes associated with this committee?**

Checked if  
Applies

Improvements to health or safety



Trust in government	<input type="checkbox"/>
Major policy changes	<input type="checkbox"/>
Advance in scientific research	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Effective grant making	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Improved service delivery	<input type="checkbox"/>
Increased customer satisfaction	<input type="checkbox"/>
Implementation of laws or regulatory requirements	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

### Outcome Comments

NA

### What are the cost savings associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

None	<input type="checkbox"/>
Unable to Determine	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Under \$100,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$100,000 - \$500,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$500,001 - \$1,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
\$5,000,001 - \$10,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
Over \$10,000,000	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cost Savings Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

### Cost Savings Comments

NIH supported basic and clinical research accomplishments often take many years to unfold into new diagnostic tests and new ways to treat and prevent diseases.

### What is the approximate Number of recommendations produced by this committee for the life of the committee?

34,417

### Number of Recommendations Comments

Grant Review

### What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Fully implemented by the agency?

0%

**% of Recommendations Fully Implemented Comments**

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**What is the approximate Percentage of these recommendations that have been or will be Partially implemented by the agency?**

0%

**% of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments**

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**Does the agency provide the committee with feedback regarding actions taken to implement recommendations or advice offered?**

Yes ☒ No ☐ Not Applicable ☐

**Agency Feedback Comments**



Information resulting from closed initial peer review meetings is subject to the Freedom of Information Act. The public can view information on research projects funded by NIH on the RePORT (Research Portfolio Online Reporting Tool) website located at <http://report.nih.gov>.

**What other actions has the agency taken as a result of the committee's advice or recommendation?**

Checked if Applies

Reorganized Priorities	<input type="checkbox"/>
Reallocated resources	<input type="checkbox"/>
Issued new regulation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Proposed legislation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Approved grants or other payments	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Action Comments**

An action of “approved” or “recommended” for grants receiving initial peer review by this committee does not infer that the grant will be or has been funded. Research grant applications submitted to NIH must go through a two-step review process that includes the initial peer review for scientific and technical merit and a second step of review and approval by a National Advisory Council for program relevance. In addition, prior to an award or funding being made, NIH staff must conduct an administrative review for a number of other considerations. These include alignment with NIH’s funding principles, review of the project budget, assessment of the applicant’s management systems, determination of applicant eligibility, and compliance with public policy requirements. After all these steps have been completed, NIH officials make funding decisions on individual grant applications.

**Is the Committee engaged in the review of applications for grants?**

Yes

What is the estimated Number of grants reviewed for approval

What is the estimated Number of grants recommended for approval 1,988  
1,988

What is the estimated Dollar Value of grants recommended for approval  
\$3,118,403,707

**Grant Review Comments**

Grant Review

**How is access provided to the information for the Committee's documentation?**

Checked if Applies

Contact DFO



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