

2024 Current Fiscal Year Report: Fogarty International Center Advisory Board

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1. Department or Agency

Department of Health and Human
Services

2. Fiscal Year

2024

3. Committee or Subcommittee

Fogarty International Center Advisory
Board

3b. GSA Committee No.

872

4. Is this New During Fiscal Year?

No

5. Current Charter

08/31/2022 08/31/2024

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. 217a

13. Effective Date

11/17/1962

14. Committee Type

Continuing

14c. Presidential?

No

15. Description of Committee Other 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

Meetings and Dates

No Meetings

Current Next
FY FY

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

20a. How does the Committee accomplish its purpose?

Section 492 of the PHS Act states that the 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 Board is composed of both scientific and public members who provide the second level of peer review; advise on policy development, program implementation and evaluation; and research needs and opportunities of the Center.

The FIC Advisory Board, through planning discussions at the Board meetings and through the organization and co-management of working groups was instrumental in the development of several program initiatives, helping to identify

institutional needs and promising areas of scientific pursuit. These include Fogarty's HIV Research Training Programs for Low- and Middle-Income Country Institutions; Global Infectious Disease Research Training Programs; International Bioethics Research Training Program and Education and Curriculum Development Award; Global Brain and Nervous System Disorders Research across the Lifespan Programs; Reducing Stigma to Improve HIV/AIDS Prevention, Treatment and Care in Low- and Middle-Income Countries Program; Mobile Health: Technology and Outcomes in Low and Middle-Income Countries Program; NIH-NSF Ecology and Evolution of Infectious Diseases Initiative; Global Non-Communicable Diseases and Injury Across the Lifespan Programs; African Association for Health Professions Education and Research Initiative; Health-Professional Education Partnership Initiative; Emerging Global Leader Award; and International Research Scientist Development Award. During this reporting period, the FICAB reviewed 558 applications for programs, requesting \$833,643,556.

20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?

The Board will be composed of not more than 13 members appointed by the Secretary (appointed members) and the following nonvoting ex officio members; the Directors of 2 NIH institutes with active international programs, the Director, FIC and additional officers or employees of the Department of Health and Human Services the Secretary determines necessary to effectively carry out its functions. Appointed members must be eligible to serve as Special Government Employees (SGEs) and will serve as SGEs. Of the 13 appointed members, 10 shall be selected from

among the leading representatives of the health and scientific disciplines relevant to the activities of the FIC, particularly representatives of the biomedical and behavioral fields, such as molecular and cellular biology, neurosciences, basic physiology, epidemiology, immunology, nutrition, public health, economics, and demography. Three members are appointed by the Secretary from the general public and include leaders in the fields of health-related enterprises such as pharmaceutical or life insurance companies, voluntary organizations committed to betterment of public health, international health, and international health law. The Chair of the Board will be selected by the Secretary from among the appointed members, except that the Secretary may select the Director, FIC, to be the Chair. The term of office of the Chair will be two years. Currently the Acting Director, FIC, is serving as the Chair.

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

Meetings are held approximately three times each fiscal year. The Fogarty International Center Advisory Board provides advice on a continuing basis on the type of scientific research programs that should be supported and on how to carry out the designated mission and responsibilities of the Center. It also provides ongoing review of the relevance and effectiveness of the existing programs.

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

The Fogarty International Center Advisory Board is composed of both scientific and public members who provide the second level of review for research grant applications; advise on policy

development, program implementation and evaluation; and research needs and opportunities of the Center. The quality, scope, and balance of advice from this Board cannot be obtained from NIH staff or from other established sources because the membership of the council is constituted to meet the specific requirements of the mandated mission of the Board and of the Center.

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

The meetings of the Fogarty International Center Advisory Board were partially closed to the public for 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

Committee Function: Other - National Scientific and Advisory. Reports: This committee did not produce any reports during this reporting period. Members: Newly appointed members Otis Brawley, Wondwossen Gebreyes, Jennifer Kates, Maureen Lichtveld, and Robert Murphy were added to the Annual Report. Eric Goosby resigned on 10/13/2022. Steffanie Strathdee resigned on 12/31/2022. Sten Vermund resigned on 5/18/2023. Michelle Williams and Judith Wasserheit were administratively extended and served through 7/30/2023. Ex Officio Members: Roger Glass stepped down as Chair on 1/14/2023 and he was replaced by Peter Kilmarx (1/15/2023 - 1/31/2025). Vikas Kapil's zip code and

occupation were updated. Per the Charter, the Secretary, HHS may add any additional officers or employees of the HHS to the Board that is determined necessary to effectively carry out its functions. Currently, there are 6 Ex Officios serving on the Board.

Designated Federal Officer

KRISTEN H. WEYMOUTH PROGRAM ANALYST

Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
BIANCHI, DIANA	04/16/2018	07/16/2024	DIRECTOR, EUNICE KENNEDY SHRIVER NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF CHILD HEALTH AND HUMAN DEVELOPMENT (NICHD)	Ex Officio Member
BRAWLEY, OTIS	06/04/2023	01/31/2026	PROFESSOR OF ONCOLOGY	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
CLAYTON, JANINE	07/15/2016	07/16/2024	NIH ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR FOR RESEARCH ON WOMEN'S HEALTH, DIRECTOR, NIH OFFICE OF RESEARCH ON WOMEN'S HEALTH (ORWH)	Ex Officio Member
DAHL, CAROL	01/03/2021	01/31/2024	EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR (RETIRED), THE LEMELSON FOUNDATION PROFESSOR AND	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
GEBREYES, WONDWOSSEN	11/20/2022	01/31/2026	EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, GLOBAL ONE HEALTH INITIATIVE	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

GERMINO, GREGORY	07/15/2016	07/16/2024	DEPUTY DIRECTOR, NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF DIABETES AND DIGESTIVE AND KIDNEY DISEASES (NIDDK)	Ex Officio Member
GORALESKI, KAREN	01/03/2021	01/31/2024	CEO, AMERICAN SOCIETY OF TROPICAL MEDICINE AND HYGIENE	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
JOHN, CHANDY	01/03/2021	01/31/2024	DIRECTOR, UNIVERSITY OF INDIANA	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
KAPIL, VIKAS	07/15/2016	07/16/2024	CHIEF MEDICAL OFFICER AND ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR FOR SCIENCE, CENTER FOR GLOBAL HEALTH, CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION (CDC)	Ex Officio Member
KATES, JENNIFER	03/26/2023	01/31/2026	SENIOR VICE PRESIDENT AND DIRECTOR, GLOBAL HEALTH AND HIV POLICY	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
KILMARX, PETER	01/15/2023	01/31/2025	ACTING DIRECTOR, FOGARTY INTERNATIONAL CENTER	Ex Officio Member
KOROSHETZ, WALTER	07/15/2016	07/16/2024	DIRECTOR, NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF NEUROLOGICAL DISORDERS AND STROKE (NINDS)	Ex Officio Member
LICHTVELD, MAUREEN	05/21/2023	01/31/2026	DEAN, PROFESSOR, AND JONAS SALK CHAIR IN POPULATION HEALTH	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

MURPHY, ROBERT	11/20/2022 01/31/2026	PROFESSOR AND EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
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Number of Committee Members Listed: 14

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: conducting research in its own laboratories; supporting the research of non-Federal scientists in universities, medical schools, hospitals, and research institutions throughout the country and abroad; helping in the training of research investigators; and fostering communication of medical and health sciences information. Section 492 of the PHS Act states that the 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 Board is composed of both scientific and public members who provide the second level of peer review; advise on policy development, program implementation and evaluation; and identify research needs and opportunities of the Center. The FIC Advisory Board, through planning discussions at the Board meeting and through the organization and co-management of working groups was instrumental in the development of several program initiatives, helping to identify institutional needs and promising areas of scientific pursuit. These include Fogarty's HIV Research Training Programs for Low- and Middle-Income Country Institutions; Global Infectious Disease Research Training Programs; International Bioethics Research Training Program and Education and Curriculum Development Award; Global Brain and Nervous System Disorders Research across the Lifespan Programs; Reducing Stigma to Improve HIV/AIDS Prevention, Treatment and Care in Low- and Middle-Income Countries Program; Mobile Health: Technology and Outcomes in Low and Middle-Income Countries Program; NIH-NSF Ecology and Evolution of Infectious Diseases Initiative; Global Non-Communicable Diseases and Injury Across the Lifespan

Programs; African Association for Health Professions Education and Research Initiative; Health-Professional Education Partnership Initiative; Emerging Global Leader Award; and International Research Scientist Development Award.

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

Checked if
Applies

Improvements to health or safety	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Trust in government	<input type="checkbox"/>
Major policy changes	<input checked="" 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

N/A

What are the cost savings associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

None	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Unable to Determine	<input 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 which 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?

7,279

Number of Recommendations Comments

The Board provided invaluable perspectives and advice on the development of new programs with a focus on building research capacity in developing countries as well as grants review results.

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

Information on the research funded by NIH is available through the RePORT (Research Portfolio Online Reporting Tool) website. RePORT provides access to reports, data, and analyses of NIH research activities that advance the mission of the NIH, including information on NIH expenditures, strategic plans, reports on NIH funding, and reports on the organization and people involved in NIH research and research training. The RePORT website is located at <http://report.nih.gov>. Due to the complexity of the recommendations made by this committee on policy and program areas, staff is unable to determine which recommendations have been fully or partially implemented solely in response to this committee's activities.

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 is provided to the public at the open session of each Council meeting through reports and the Director's update. The public can view information related to the Council through the council's official website.

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

Checked if Applies

Reorganized Priorities	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Reallocated resources	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Issued new regulation	<input checked="" 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 review by this Board 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 that includes 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 558

What is the estimated Number of grants recommended for approval 558

What is the estimated Dollar Value of grants recommended for approval

\$833,643,556

Grant Review Comments

N/A

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

Checked if Applies

Contact DFO	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Online Agency Web Site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Online Committee Web Site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Online GSA FACA Web Site	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Publications	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Access Comments

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