

# 2026 Current Fiscal Year Report: Brain Disorders and Clinical Neuroscience Integrated Review Group

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## 1. Department or Agency

Department of Health and Human Services

## 2. Fiscal Year

2026

## 3. Committee or Subcommittee

Brain Disorders and Clinical Neuroscience  
Integrated Review Group

## 3b. GSA

## Committee

## No.

1860

## 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.

0 Open

## 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. Administrative Costs (FRNs, contractor support, In-person/hybrid/virtual meetings)</b>	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>18d. Other (all other funds not captured by any other cost category)</b>	\$0.00	\$0.00
<b>18e. Total Costs</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 and/or contract proposals in the fields related to brain disorders and clinical neuroscience. During this reporting period the committee reviewed 2,382 applications requesting \$4,102,743,226.00

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

This committee is composed of members who are authorities knowledgeable in the fields relating to brain disorders and clinical neuroscience.

**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 cannot 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. Drs. Stewart Anderson, Alain Charest, Kristin Guilliams, Danielle Robertson, and Jennifer Stevens were reassigned to the role of chairperson during the fiscal year. Dr. Timothy Corson was reappointed to the role of chairperson through 6/30/2026. Dr. Marc Halterman was reappointed to the role of chairperson through 6/30/2027. The following members' terms ended early: Sandra Garraway (6/30/2025), Joseph Arboleda-Velasquez (4/26/2025), and Jonathan Savitz (10/26/2024). 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

Emily Foley Director, Division of Neuroscience,  
Development and Aging

Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
Adhikari, Avishek	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Aksenov, Daniil	08/12/2025	06/30/2029	Chief Research Scientist	Peer Review Consultant Member
Amezcuca, Lilyana	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Anderson, Stewart	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Professor of Psychiatry	Peer Review Consultant Member
Arai, Ken	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Atkins, Coleen	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Atwood, Brady	08/12/2025	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Benner, Eric	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	George W. Brumley, Jr., Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Berger, Elizabeth	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Bispo, Paulo	08/11/2025	06/30/2029	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Blenkinsop, Timothy	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Bloch, Orin	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Blumberger, Daniel	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Bollinger, Kathryn	08/03/2025	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Bonilha, Leonardo	08/22/2025	06/30/2028	Senior Associate Dean for Research and Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member

Bonilha, Vera	07/01/2021	06/30/2027	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Bota, Daniela	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Brady, Roscoe	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Vice Chair for Research	Peer Review Consultant Member
Brooks, John	08/19/2025	06/30/2029	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Buckley, Erin	08/15/2025	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Bushman, Jared	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Byrnes, Elizabeth	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Cafferty, William	07/01/2021	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Campbell, Susan	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Cao, Wei	08/01/2025	06/30/2029	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Carlson, Shaun	09/29/2025	06/30/2029	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Chang, Qiang	08/12/2025	06/30/2029	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Chapman, Abbie	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Charest, Alain	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Chen, Lu	07/01/2021	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Chen, Rong	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Chen, Shuo	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Choi, Gloria	08/12/2025	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member

Claassen, Jan	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Conelea, Christine	08/21/2025	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Corson, Timothy	07/01/2021	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Coughlin, Jennifer	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Cuesta, Santiago	08/12/2025	06/30/2029	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Cui, Qi	08/11/2025	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Dennis, Michael	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Dizon, Maria Luz	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Djalilian, Ali	08/12/2025	06/30/2029	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Doan, Thuy	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Dobrowsky, Rick	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Duncan, Dominique	08/12/2025	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Eggers, Erika	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Eid, Tore	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Elbasiouny, Sherif	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Elyaman, Wassim	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Espana, Edgar	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Eyo, Ukpong	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member

Falcone, Tatiana	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Assistant Professor of Medicine	Peer Review Consultant Member
Falk, Torsten	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Farr, Susan	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Fawzi, Amani	07/01/2022	06/30/2028	Cyrus Tang and Lee Jampol Professor of Ophthalmology	Peer Review Consultant Member
Filosa, Jessica	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Fudge, Julie	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Ge, Shaoyu	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Professor and Vice Chair	Peer Review Consultant Member
Geisler, Stefanie	07/01/2023	06/30/2029	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Geldenhuys, Werner	09/26/2025	06/30/2029	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Gelfand, Bradley	08/11/2025	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Gensel, John	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Ghosh, Kaustabh	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Glykys, Joseph	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Goldberg, Ethan	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Golovko, Mikhail	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Gonzales, Rayna	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Gross, Christina	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member

Guilliams, Kristin	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Gulati, Tanuj	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Gust, Juliane	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Halterman, Marc	07/01/2022	06/30/2027	Professor and Chair	Peer Review Consultant Member
Harris, Neil	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Hawiger, Daniel	08/01/2025	06/30/2029	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Hayes, Jasmeet	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Heinzen Cox, Erin	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Hogeveen, Jeremy	08/18/2025	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Huang, Hu	08/03/2025	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Hunt, Robert	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Jabbi, Mbemba	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Jacob, Suma	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Division Director	Peer Review Consultant Member
Jehi, Lara	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Ji, Daoyun	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Ju, Wonkyu	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Junge, Harald	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Katakam, Prasad	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member

Kentner, Amanda	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Professor of Psychology	Peer Review Consultant Member
Kohno, Milky	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Koliatsos, Vassilis	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Konova, Anna	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Kontos, Anthony	07/01/2024	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Krenciute, Giedre	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Kuehn, Markus	08/29/2025	06/30/2029	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Kuo, Anthony	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor of Ophthalmology	Peer Review Consultant Member
Laksari, Kaveh	08/21/2025	06/30/2029	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Lazar, Mariana	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Lee, Ellen	08/18/2025	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Lee, Reggie	09/26/2025	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Lee, Sun Young	08/11/2025	06/30/2029	ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR	Peer Review Consultant Member
Lee, Vivian	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Lei, Saobo	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Levison, Steven	07/01/2021	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Li, Hedong	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Licino, Julio	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member

Lieberman, Andrew	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Limperopoulos, Catherine	07/12/2021	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Liu, Qing-song	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Liu, Xiaorong	08/01/2025	06/30/2029	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Lopez-Ramirez, Miguel	07/01/2023	06/30/2026	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Lopour, Beth	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Lukacher, Aron	08/01/2025	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Lutz, Sarah	08/01/2025	06/30/2029	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
MacDonald, Christine	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
MacDonald, Jessica	07/01/2023	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
MacKenzie-Graham, Allan	08/04/2025	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Mach, Robert	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Britton Chance Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Marquart, Mary	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Martin-Fardon, Remi	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Miller, Brandon	08/19/2025	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Miller, Joseph	08/12/2025	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Monuki, Edwin	07/01/2020	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Morrow, Eric	08/12/2025	06/30/2029	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member

Muotri, Alysson	07/01/2021	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Nagel, Maria	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Navas-Martin, Sonia	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Ngwenya, Laura	09/26/2025	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Nociari, Marcelo	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Noebels, Jeffrey	07/01/2020	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Nordahl, Christine	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Nordman, Jacob	08/12/2025	06/30/2029	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Nowakowski, Sara	07/14/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Ortega-Gutierrez, Santiago	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Padovani-Claudio, Dolly	08/10/2025	06/30/2029	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Pardo-Villamizar, Carlos	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Paredes, Mercedes	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Pasquale, Louis	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Patten,Carolynn	07/01/2024	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Paul, Surojit	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Paz, Jeanne	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Perlis, Roy	07/01/2021	06/30/2026	Associate Chair for Research	Peer Review Consultant Member

Peterson, Roseann	07/19/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Portera-Cailliau, Carlos	07/01/2020	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Prisciandaro, James	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Rajappa, Prajwal	08/01/2025	06/30/2029	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Robertson, Danielle	07/01/2022	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Romero, Jose	07/01/2020	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Saletin, Jared	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Seiler, Magdalene	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Seney, Marianne	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Shanechi, Maryam	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor and Viterbi Early Career Chair	Peer Review Consultant Member
Sharma, Ajay	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Singh, Ruchira	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Skowronska-Krawczyk, Dorota	08/01/2025	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Smith, Seth	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Smith, Zachary	08/23/2025	06/30/2029	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Sodhi, Akrit	07/01/2021	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Soehner, Adriane	08/18/2025	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Son, Young-Jin	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member

Sonabend, Adam	07/01/2020	06/30/2026	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Soundara Manickam, Devika	09/26/2025	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Stevens, Hanna	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Stevens, Jennifer	07/01/2024	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Stowe, Ann	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Sucharew, Heidi	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Sun, Yang	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Suthar, Mehul	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Tran, Cam Ha	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Tsai, Peter	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Tsang, Stephen	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Tsankova, Nadejda	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Turner, Jill	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Ulland, Tyler	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Assistant Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Underwood, Mark	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Vera-Diaz, Fuensanta	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor of Optometry	Peer Review Consultant Member
Wang, Shusheng	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Wang, Zijun	08/12/2025	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member

Wong, Ma-Li	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Distinguished Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Wood, Susan	07/01/2022	06/30/2026	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Woodward, Neil	08/18/2025	06/30/2029	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Xia, Zongqi	08/01/2025	06/30/2029	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Yang, Jun	07/01/2024	06/30/2028	Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Yun, Kyuson	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member
Zha, Xiangming	07/01/2023	06/30/2027	Associate Professor	Peer Review Consultant Member

**Number of Committee Members Listed: 183**

### 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
- Major policy changes
- Advance in scientific research
- Effective grant making

- Improved service delivery
- Increased customer satisfaction
- Implementation of laws or regulatory requirements
- Other

**Outcome Comments**

NA

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

Checked if Applies

- None
- Unable to Determine
- Under \$100,000
- \$100,000 - \$500,000
- \$500,001 - \$1,000,000
- \$1,000,001 - \$5,000,000
- \$5,000,001 - \$10,000,000
- Over \$10,000,000
- Cost Savings Other

**Cost Savings Comments**

NIH supported basics 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?**

53,419

**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**

The mission of the Center for Scientific Review is to provide the funding Institutes and

Centers of NIH with the scientific and technical merit of research grant applications submitted to the NIH. It is these Institutes or Centers and their advisory councils that make funding decisions. NIH Peer Review Committees are involved in the initial review of research grant applications. The NIH dual peer review system is mandated by statute in accordance with section 492 of the Public Health Service Act. The charge to this committee is to determine scientific and technical merit of the individual grants or contracts. These recommendations are forwarded to Federal officials who generally accept the committee's recommendations and favorable applications are then forwarded for the second level of review performed by Institute and Center (IC) National Advisory Councils or Boards. Only applications that are favorably recommended by both the initial peer review committee and the Advisory Council may be funded.

**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**

The mission of the Center for Scientific Review is to provide the funding Institutes and Centers of NIH with the scientific and technical merit of research grant applications submitted to the NIH. It is these Institutes or Centers and their advisory councils that make funding decisions. NIH Peer Review Committees are involved in the initial review of research grant applications. The NIH dual peer review system is mandated by statute in accordance with section 492 of the Public Health Service Act. The charge to this committee is to determine scientific and technical merit of the individual grants or contracts. These recommendations are forwarded to Federal officials who generally accept the committee's recommendations and favorable applications are then forwarded for the second level of review performed by Institute and Center (IC) National Advisory Councils or Boards. Only applications that are favorably recommended by both the initial peer review committee and the Advisory Council may be funded.

**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
- Reallocated resources
- Issued new regulation
- Proposed legislation
- Approved grants or other payments
- Other

**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 2,382  
2,382

What is the estimated Dollar Value of grants recommended for approval  
\$4,102,743,226

**Grant Review Comments**

Grant Review

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

Checked if Applies

- Contact DFO
- Online Agency Web Site

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Online GSA FACA Web Site



Publications



Other



**Access Comments**

N/A