

2025 Current Fiscal Year Report: NIH Clinical Center Research Hospital Board

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1. Department or Agency

Department of Health and Human
Services

2. Fiscal Year

2025

3. Committee or Subcommittee

NIH Clinical Center Research Hospital
Board

3b. GSA Committee No.

2571

4. Is this New During Fiscal Year?

5. Current Charter	6. Expected Renewal Date	7. Expected Term Date
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No 06/15/2024 06/15/2026

8a. Was Terminated During Fiscal Year?

8b. Specific Termination Authority

8c. Actual Term Date

No

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

42USC282(b)(16)
Section 402(b)(16)

13. Effective Date

11/20/1985

14. Committee Type

Continuing

14c. Presidential?

No

15. Description of Committee Scientific Technical Program

Advisory Board

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 FY	Next 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. Administrative Costs (FRNs, contractor support, In-person/hybrid/virtual meetings)	\$0.00	\$0.00
18d. Other (all other funds not captured by any other cost category)	\$0.00	\$0.00
18e. Total Costs	\$0.00	\$0.00
19. Federal Staff Support Years (FTE)	0.00	0.00

20a. How does the Committee accomplish its purpose?

The NIH Clinical Center Research Hospital Board (CCRHB) advises, consults with, and makes recommendations to the NIH Director and designee(s) and the NIH Clinical Center (CC) Chief Executive Officer (CEO) on CC policies and procedures regarding hospital operations, safety and quality, regulatory compliance, clinical

research, and hospital leadership. The Board consists of external advisors who are national healthcare leaders, as well as stakeholders in the clinical research community. These thought leaders are passionate about their service to the CCRHB in sharing knowledge and expertise from leading institutions in healthcare across the nation. Members represent diverse clinical and scientific perspectives with significant professional and personal experience of great value to the CC, as the world's largest hospital dedicated to clinical research.

20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?

The Board will consist of up to 14 non-federal members, including the chair, appointed by the NIH Director. The appointed members will consist of (a) authorities who are nationally recognized leaders in sectors related to the NIH Clinical Center's duties and authorities, including but not limited to research hospital administration/operations, clinical care, safety and quality, clinical and research compliance, or clinical research, and (b) two individuals who have participated in clinical research studies as patients. Appointed members will be selected from the academic and private sector research community, as well as the general public.

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

The Board met three times during this reporting period. The meetings are integral to assuring the CC continues to align itself with the current best practices and benchmarks in the community.

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

The NIH Clinical Center is the nation's premier research hospital. The Board's primary aim is to reinforce the CC's commitment to essential patient safety while continuing to add to its long list of extraordinary scientific accomplishments to improve health. The CCRHB was created to fortify a CC culture and practice of safety and quality throughout the organization, and to assure strong leadership for clinical care quality, oversight, and compliance. These perspectives are key factors in membership selection and have allowed significant organizational priorities to be developed focused on safety and quality in CC operations and clinical care. Members are also selected to assure broad and diverse representation from the community.

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

N/A

21. Remarks

Deliberations and discussions during all meetings are posted on the CCRHB website (<https://www.ccrhb.od.nih.gov/meetings.html>) and the number of recommendations is variable, dependent upon the topic discussed. Discussions always reflect candid observations, suggestions, and recommendations from Board members, but the Board did not produce any formal recommendations or generalizable public reports during this reporting period. The Committee Decision Maker and the Designated Federal Officer are filled by the same individual based on assigned duties. The committee membership is up to 14 members however CCRHB chooses to have 11 at one given time. Mr. Jack Leslie was reassigned as Chair this fiscal year. Dr. Norvell Coots is no longer a member of the committee.

Drs. Freischlag & Goldstein have been reappointed.

Designated Federal Officer

Nina F. Schor Deputy Director for Intramural Research

Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
				Special Government
Baum, David	10/11/2022	06/30/2026	Patient Advocate	Employee (SGE) Member
				Special Government
Chin, David	10/11/2022	06/30/2026	John Hopkins School of Public Health	Employee (SGE) Member
				Special Government
Cunningham, Regina	10/11/2022	06/30/2026	University of Pennsylvania	Employee (SGE) Member
				Special Government
Devaskar, Sherin	06/04/2023	06/30/2025	University of Los Angeles	Employee (SGE) Member
				Special Government
Freischlag, Julie	04/09/2021	06/30/2026	Chief Executive Officer, Wake Forest Baptist Medical Center	Employee (SGE) Member
				Special Government
Goldstein, Steven	07/01/2020	06/30/2026	Senior Vice President, Strong Memorial Hospital	Employee (SGE) Member
				Special Government
Leslie, John	06/04/2023	06/30/2026	Weber Shandwick	Employee (SGE) Member
				Special Government
Reel, Stephanie	07/01/2019	06/30/2027	Chief Information Officer, Washington University in St. Louis	Employee (SGE) Member
				Special Government
Royster, Antoinette	10/11/2022	06/30/2026	Patient Advocate	Employee (SGE) Member

Sammit,
Craig

10/11/2022 06/30/2026 ITO Advisors

Special
Government
Employee
(SGE)
Member

Number of Committee Members Listed: 10

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. The NIH Clinical Center Research Hospital Board advises and consults with the NIH Director on the NIH Clinical Center's policies and procedures regarding hospital operations, safety and quality, and regulatory compliance.

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

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Outcome Comments

Not Applicable

What are the cost savings associated with this committee?

Checked if Applies

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| 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

Not Applicable

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

0

Number of Recommendations Comments

Discussions and deliberations during CCRHB meetings provide essential guidance to the NIH Director and CC CEO, and all recommendations are considered carefully. The Board did not produce any formal recommendations or public reports during this reporting period.

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

Not Applicable

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

Not Applicable

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 each meeting. The public can view information related to the Committee through the committee'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 type="checkbox"/>
Reallocated resources	<input type="checkbox"/>
Issued new regulation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Proposed legislation	<input type="checkbox"/>
Approved grants or other payments	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

Action Comments

Not Applicable

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

No

Grant Review Comments

Not Applicable

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 type="checkbox"/>

Access Comments

Not Applicable