

## 2025 Current Fiscal Year Report: National Advisory Committee on Children and Disasters

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### 1. Department or Agency

Department of Health and Human Services

### 2. Fiscal Year

2025

### 3. Committee or Subcommittee

National Advisory Committee on Children and Disasters

### 3b. GSA

### Committee No.

2484

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

No

### 5. Current Charter

02/20/2024

### 6. Expected Renewal Date

02/20/2026

### 7. Expected Term Date

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

No

### 8b. Specific Termination Authority

42 U.S.C. § 300hh-10b

### 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

Statutory (Congress Created)

### 12. Specific Establishment Authority

42 U.S.C. § 300hh-10b

### 13. Effective Date

06/24/2019

### 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
<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?**

The NACCD conducts working group and public meetings to identify, discuss, and deliberate on specific issues within the scope of the charter, making recommendations and providing advice to HHS consistent with FACA.

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

Members shall be appointed by the HHS Secretary from among the nation's preeminent scientific, public health, and medical experts in areas consistent with the purpose and functions of

the advisory committee. The HHS Secretary, in consultation with such other heads of federal agencies as may be appropriate, shall appoint a maximum of 25 members to the NACCD, ensuring that the total membership is an odd number.

Non-federal voting members include representatives from State, local, Tribal, or territorial government agency, experts in public health emergency preparedness, response, and recovery, pediatric medical specialists of multiple types (including children's hospitals), as well as experts in schools, caregivers, and children with disabilities.

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

NACCD is required to meet at least twice annually and may convene as needed.

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

The mission and composition of the NACCD is unique, with no other entity specifically organized to provide advice and recommendations that meet the special needs of children and their families in disaster preparedness, response, and recovery.

The NACCD provides a unique combination of scientific, operational, policy, and social perspectives that is complementary to and distinct from other FACA in HHS.

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

Not Applicable

**21. Remarks**

For FY 2024, members were inactive, creating a pause in member meetings (workgroups and public), caused by expired ethics clearances.

Therefore, there are no public meetings or recommendations to report for FY2024.

## Designated Federal Officer

### Zhoowan Jackson Designated Federal Official

Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
Barnett, Claire	04/26/2021	12/31/2026	Executive Director, Health Schools Network (children's health advocate)	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Burke, Rita	04/02/2021	12/31/2026	Assistant Professor, Clinical Preventive Medicine	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Butler, Jay	03/07/2023	12/31/2026	Centers for Disease Control and Prevention	Ex Officio Member
Charney, Rachel	04/26/2021	12/31/2026	Professor or Pediatrics, Medical Director Disaster Preparedness	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Chung, Sarita	04/26/2021	12/31/2026	Director, Disaster Preparedness, Emergency Medicine, Boston Children's Hospital	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Cooper, Arthur	04/26/2021	12/31/2026	Director Pediatric Surgical and Trauma Service, NYC Health and Hospitals	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Dixon, Cinnamon	07/30/2024	12/31/2026	NIH, National Institute of Child Health and Human Development	Ex Officio Member
Dodgen, Daniel	04/26/2021	12/31/2026	Administration for Strategic Preparedness and Response (ASPR), SPR	Ex Officio Member
Eisnor, Derek	04/26/2021	12/31/2026	Administration for Strategic Preparedness and Response (ASPR) BARDA	Ex Officio Member
Green, Dionna	04/26/2021	12/31/2026	Food and Drug Administration, Office of Pediatric Therapeutics	Ex Officio Member

Johnson, Jennifer	04/26/2021	12/31/2026	HHS Administration on Community Living (ACL)	Ex Officio Member
Kaziny, Brent	04/26/2021	12/31/2026	Associate Professor, Pediatric Emergency Medicine, Baylor College	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Kinsman, Sara	04/26/2021	12/31/2026	HRSA, Maternal Child Health Bureau	Ex Officio Member
Koziol, Lauralee	04/26/2021	12/31/2026	Federal Emergency Management Agency	Ex Officio Member
Mason, Byron	04/26/2021	12/31/2026	HHS Administration on Children and Families (ACF), OSEPR	Ex Officio Member
Miller, Meredith	04/26/2021	12/31/2026	U.S. Department of Education, Disaster Recovery Unit	Ex Officio Member
Robiou, Grace	04/01/2024	12/31/2026	EPA Office of Child Health	Ex Officio Member
Rubin, Leslie	04/26/2021	12/31/2026	Medical Director, Rubin Center for Autism and Developmental Pediatrics	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Schonfeld, David	04/26/2021	12/31/2026	professor of clinical pediatrics	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Weiner, Debra	04/26/2021	12/31/2026	Attending Physician, Emergency Medicine, Boston Children's Hospital; Assistant Professor Harvard Medical School	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

## Number of Committee Members Listed: 20

### Narrative Description

The National Advisory Committee on Children and Disasters (NACCD) is required by section 2811A of the Public Health Service Act (42 U.S.C. § 300hh-10b), as amended, by the Pandemic and All-Hazards Preparedness and Advancing Innovation Act (PAHPAIA), Public Law No. 116-22. The NACCD is governed by the provisions of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (FACA), Public Law 92-463, as amended (5 U.S.C. App.), which sets forth standards for the formation and use of advisory committees. The NACCD shall provide advice and consultation to

the Secretary of HHS to assist him in carrying out these and related activities as they pertain to the unique needs of children in preparation for, responses to, and recovery from all-hazards emergencies and disasters.

**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 checked="" 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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Increased customer satisfaction	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Implementation of laws or regulatory requirements	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Outcome Comments**

Not applicable

**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**

Not Applicable

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

162

**Number of Recommendations Comments**

Update on individual recommendations based on comprehensive review of reports from the NACCD 2014-2024.

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

35%

**% of Recommendations Fully Implemented Comments**

No change, no comment.

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

26%

**% of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments**

No change, no comment.

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

Yes ☒ No ☐ Not Applicable ☐

**Agency Feedback Comments**

Yes, the agency provides feedback on the recommendations, and that comes in the form of meetings with the appointed members. That feedback may also happen during public meetings as agency representatives engage in discussion with the advisory committee and these discussions would be included in meeting summary reports that are published on the NACCD website.

**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	<input type="checkbox"/>
Approved grants or other payments	<input type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Action Comments**

none

**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 checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Other	<input type="checkbox"/>

**Access Comments**

Contact NACCD@hhs.gov