

2004 Current Fiscal Year Report: Domestic Advisory Panel on Early Intervention and Education for Infants, Toddlers, Preschool Children, and Children with Disabilities

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| 1. Department or Agency | | 2. Fiscal Year | |
| Department of Defense | | 2004 | |
| 3. Committee or Subcommittee | | 3b. GSA Committee No. | |
| Domestic Advisory Panel on Early Intervention and Education for Infants, Toddlers, Preschool Children, and Children with Disabilities | | 5230 | |
| 4. Is this New During Fiscal Year? | 5. Current Charter | 6. Expected Renewal Date | 7. Expected Term Date |
| No | 03/27/2002 | 03/27/2004 | 03/27/2004 |
| 8a. Was Terminated During Fiscal Year? | 8b. Specific Termination Authority | | 8c. Actual Term Date |
| Yes | | | 08/13/2004 |
| 9. Agency Recommendation for Next Fiscal Year | 10a. Legislation Req to Terminate? | | 10b. Legislation Pending? |
| Merge | No | | |
| 11. Establishment Authority | Statutory (Congress Created) | | |
| 12. Specific Establishment Authority | 13. Effective Date | 14. Committee Type | 14c. Presidential? |
| 20 U.S.C. 1413(a)(12) | 03/27/1998 | Continuing | No |
| 15. Description of Committee | Non Scientific Program Advisory Board | | |
| 16a. Total Number of Reports | No Reports for this Fiscal Year | | |
| 17a. Open Meetings and Dates | 17b. Closed | 17c. Partially Closed | 17d. Total |
| No Meetings | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | | Other Activities | 0 |
| | | 18a(1). Personnel Pmts to Non-Federal Members | Current FY Next FY |
| | | | \$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 |

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| 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?

As stated in its Charter, the Domestic Advisory Panel (DAP) advises the Director, DoDEA and Director DDESS of unmet needs within the DDESS for education of children with disabilities; comments publicly on any proposed DDESS rules or standards regarding the education of children with disabilities; and assists DDESS in matters that have been identified as areas of concern by the Director, DoDEA, and/or the Director, DDESS.

20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?

As required by Part 80 of Title 32, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Panel membership must consist of at least one representative from eleven categorical groups of persons including individuals with disabilities, parents, special and regular education teachers, DDESS administrators and schools boards, military, early intervention services providers, and other appropriate persons.

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

As stated in its Charter, one meeting of the DAP shall be scheduled and held in the spring and one meeting in the fall of each year.

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

This is committee was created by federal statute.

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

N/A

21. Remarks

Presently Revised DODI 1342.12 Dec. 2003, incorporates DoDDS and DDESS into one implementing instruction for special education. The Advisory committees will be merged into one advisory organization. Legislative Action was not required. Membership composition and a charter are in the process of being developed.

Designated Federal Officer

Cynthia Chen Designated Federal Officer

| Committee Members | Start | End | Occupation | Member Designation |
|---------------------------|------------|------------|--|--|
| Armstrong, Millie | 12/22/1998 | 06/30/2003 | Early Intervention Service Provider | Special Government Employee (SGE) Member |
| Barkmeier, Maria | 09/30/2002 | 09/30/2005 | Office of Director, DDESS | Special Government Employee (SGE) Member |
| Braxton, Lucia | 09/30/2002 | 09/30/2005 | Family Support Programs/Military Departments | Special Government Employee (SGE) Member |
| Bray, Alane | 09/30/2002 | 09/30/2005 | Parent of a child with disabilities | Special Government Employee (SGE) Member |
| Burket, David | 09/30/2002 | 09/30/2005 | Office of Director | Special Government Employee (SGE) Member |
| Calbert, Jacquelyn | 07/01/2000 | 06/30/2003 | Surgeons General/Military Departments | Special Government Employee (SGE) Member |
| Chen, Cynthia | 09/30/2002 | 09/30/2005 | Office of the Director | Special Government Employee (SGE) Member |
| Hibbeler, Felicia | 12/22/1998 | 06/30/2003 | DDESS Regular Education Teacher | Special Government Employee (SGE) Member |
| Hinman, Elaine | 07/01/2001 | 06/30/2003 | Director, DDESS/Cuba | Special Government Employee (SGE) Member |
| Hollingsworth, Vickie | 07/01/2001 | 06/30/2004 | DDESS Special Education Teacher | Special Government Employee (SGE) Member |
| LaFalce, Barbara | 09/30/2002 | 09/30/2005 | Individual with Disabilities | Special Government Employee (SGE) Member |
| Meyer, Cheri | 07/01/2001 | 06/30/2004 | Parent | Special Government Employee (SGE) Member |
| Papciak, Sally | 09/30/2002 | 09/30/2003 | Parent of a child with a disability | Special Government Employee (SGE) Member |
| Paschel-Alexander, Aretha | 07/01/2001 | 06/30/2003 | DDESS School Board Member | Special Government Employee (SGE) Member |
| Pellicciotto, Nicole | 12/22/1998 | 06/30/2004 | Early Intervention Service Provider | Special Government Employee (SGE) Member |
| Person, Sallie | 12/22/1998 | 06/30/2004 | DDESS Superintendent's Office | Special Government Employee (SGE) Member |
| Stanley, Rowena | 12/22/1998 | 06/30/2003 | DDESS Special Education Teacher | Special Government Employee (SGE) Member |

Number of Committee Members Listed: 17

Narrative Description

Improvement of educational services to students with disabilities. It provides perspectives from all stakeholders regarding the status of special education services in the DOD schools and how the services support special needs students in attaining the highest possible achievement as delineated in the Strategic Plan.

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

NA

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

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Number of Recommendations Comments

These recommendations generally do not have a cost attached but are procedural in nature.

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

33%

% of Recommendations Fully Implemented Comments

NA

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

33%

% of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments

NA

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

Yes No Not Applicable

Agency Feedback Comments

Through e-mail communications, meetings, and reports.

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

Checked if Applies

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

Action Comments

The agency developed and implemented a POM which resulted in a special education initiative to enhance educational services for students with disabilities throughout the DOD school system.

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

No

Grant Review Comments

NA

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

Checked if Applies

Contact DFO

Online Agency Web Site

Online Committee Web Site

Online GSA FACA Web Site

Publications

Other

Access Comments

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