2001 Current Fiscal Year Report: Kinship Care Advisory Panel

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1. Department or Agency			2. Fiscal Year	
Department of Health and Human Services			2001	
3. Committee or Subcommittee			3b. GSA Committee No.	
Kinship Care Ad	visory Panel		5240	
4. Is this New D	uring 5. Current	6. Expect	ed	7. Expected
Fiscal Year?	Charter	Renewal	Date	Term Date
No	06/10/1998	3		09/01/2000
8a. Was Termin FiscalYear?	ated During Ter	Specific mination thority		8c. Actual Term Date
Yes				06/30/2000
9. Agency Recommendati FiscalYear	on for Next	n. Legislatio q to Termin		10b. Legislation Pending?
Terminate	Yes	3		Pending
11. Establishme	ent Authority St	atutory (Co	ngress	s Created)
12. Specific	13.	14.		140
Establishment	Effecti	ve Comi	mitee	14c. Presidential?
Authority	Date	Туре		Fresidential?
42 U.S.C 5113		Conti	nuing	No
15. Description	of Committee	Von Scientif	ic Pro	gram Advisory
Board				
16a. Total Number of Reports	No Reports for this FiscalYear			
17a. 0 17b. Closed 0 17c. Partially Closed 0 Other Activities 0 17d. Total 0 Open				
Meetings and D	ates			
No Meetings				
		Current	Next	

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?

The Kinship Care Advisory Panel reviews and makes recommendations to the Secretary of Health and Human Services to prepare a report to the Congress on children in foster care who are placed in the care of a relative.

20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?

The Secretary appointed 25 individuals, including parents, foster parents, relative caregivers, former foster children, State and local public officials responsible for administering child welfare programs, private persons involved in the delivery of child welfare services, representatives of tribal governments and tribal courts, judges, and academic experts to the Kinship Care Advisory Panel.

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

The Kinship Care Adivsory Panel met on October 5-6, 1998 and January 28, 1999 in order to meet the tight deadlines of the Kinship Care Advisory Panel reports and complete the tasks that were assigned in the original charter.

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

The Kinship Care Advisory Panel is necessary to identify broad, overarching policy recommendations regarding the extent to which children in foster care are placed in the care of a relative. The Panel is needed to discuss areas such as permanency planning for children. In this regard, the actions being taken by the State to achieve the plan; whom the child has been removed, as well as, other critial issues with respect to the matter of Kinship Care.

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

21. Remarks

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Waiting for Congress to officially terminate.

Designated Federal Officer

I BD Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
Berns, David	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Director, El Paso County Department of Human Services	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

Butts, Donna	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Executive Director, Generations United, Washington, DC	(SGE) Member
Carpenter, Liz	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Relative Caregiver, Austin, TX 78746	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Casken, Sarah	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Executive Director, Hawaii State Foster Parents Association	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Chipungu, Sandra	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Professor, National Catholic School of Social Work, Washington, DC	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Clark, Sherri	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Department of Health and Human Services, Administration on Aging, Office of Program Operations and Development, Washington, DC	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Gelles, Richard	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	University of Pennsylvania, School of Social Work, Philadelphia, PA	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Gray, Ernestine	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Judge, Orleans Parish Juvenile Court, New Orleans, Louisiana	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Horn, Wade	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	National Fatherhood Initiative, Gaithersburg, MD	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Jones, DeAnn	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Administrator, IA Citizen Foster Care Review Board, Des Moines, IA	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Lara, Guadalupe	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Relative Caregiver and Corporate Manager, Children's Hospital of Michigan, Detroit, MI	(SGE)

Leitka, Billye	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Indian Child Welfare Specialist, Seminole Nation Child Welfare Program, Wewoka, OK	Government
Markowitz, Teresa	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Commissioner, Kansas Department of Social and Rehabilitation Services, Topeka, Kansas	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
McDaniel, Sharon	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Executive Director, A Second Chance, Inc., Pittsburgh, PA	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Ng, Chak	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Program Director, Refugee Foster Care, Lutheran Social Services of WA and ID, Seattle, WA	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Pierce, William	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	President & Chief Executive Officer, National Council for Adoption, Washington, DC	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Pinkham, Judge Julian	11/13/1998	09/30/2002	Judge	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Sainer, Janet	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Special Consultant, The Brookdale Foundation Group, New York, NY	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Segal, Ann	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Deputy Assistant Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation, Washington, DC	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Suleiman, Layla	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Federal Court Appointed Monitor, Chicago, IL	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

Testa, Mark	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Research Director, IL Department of Children and Family Services, Chicago, IL	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Toran, Kay	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Director, State Office for Services to Children and Families, Oregon Department of Health and Human Resources, Salem, OR	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Walker, Clarice	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Professor, Howard University, School of Social Work, Washington, DC	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Warenda, Patricia	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Relative Caregiver and Executive Director, Supervised Visitation Network, Plantation, FL	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Woodworth, Renee	10/01/2000	09/30/2002	Relative Caregiver, Stevensville, MD	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

Number of Committee Members Listed: 25

Narrative Description

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

What are the cost savings associated with this committee?

	Checked if Applies
None	\checkmark
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

What is the approximate <u>Number</u> of recommendations produced by this committee for the life of the committee?

Number of Recommendations Comments

What is the approximate $\underline{\text{Percentage}}$ of these recommendations that have been or will be $\underline{\text{Fully}}$ implemented by the agency? %

% of Recommendations Fully Implemented Comments

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

%

% of Recommendations Partially Implemented Comments

Does the agency provide the committee with feedback regarding actions taken to implement recommendations or advice offered? Yes No Not Applicable

Agency Feedback Comments

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

Is the Committee engaged in the review of applications for grants? No

Grant Review Comments

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