



National Toxicology Program

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NTP Expert Panel Identifying Research Needs for Assessing Safe Use of High Intakes of Folic Acid

Agenda

Natcher Conference Center
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Bethesda, MD 20892

May 11, 2015: 8:00AM – 5:00PM EDT
May 12, 2015: 8:00AM – 12:00PM EDT

May 11, 2015 (Natcher E1/E2)

8:00 AM	Welcome and Introductions	Dr. Bert Garza, Chair Dr. Linda Birnbaum, Director, NIEHS/National Toxicology Program (NTP) Dr. Paul Coates, Director, OD/Office of Dietary Supplements (ODS)
8:20 AM	Logistics	Dr. Yun Xie, Designated Federal Official, NIEHS/Division of the NTP (DNTP)
8:30 AM	Format of the Meeting	Dr. Garza
8:45 AM	Role of Folic Acid in Birth Defects Prevention – Epidemiologic Perspectives	Dr. Gary Shaw, Stanford University
9:15 AM	Sources of Folic Acid and Supplement Use	Dr. Regan Bailey, OD/ODS
9:45 AM	Blood Levels of Folate Over Time, Current U.S. Levels, and Differences Between Assessment Methods	Dr. Christine Pfeiffer, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
10:15 AM	Break	
10:45 AM	Background on Literature Evaluation	Dr. Abee Boyles, NIEHS/DNTP
11:15 AM	Charge	Dr. John Bucher, NIEHS/DNTP
11:25 AM	Public Comments	Dr. Garza
12:00 PM	Lunch	

1:00 PM	Subpanel Meetings	
	Cancer	Room C1/C2
	Cognition in conjunction with vitamin B ₁₂ deficiency	Room B
	Hypersensitivity-related outcomes	Room G1/G2
	Thyroid and diabetes-related disorders	Room J
5:00 PM	Adjourn	

May 12, 2015 (Natcher F1/F2)

8:00 AM	Welcome and Introductions	Dr. Bert Garza, Chair
8:15 AM	Report from Subpanels	Subpanel Chairs
10:15 AM	Break	
10:35 AM	Public Comments	
10:50 AM	Discussion and Summation	Dr. Garza
12:00 PM	Adjourn	