

Brief NTP Associate Director Update

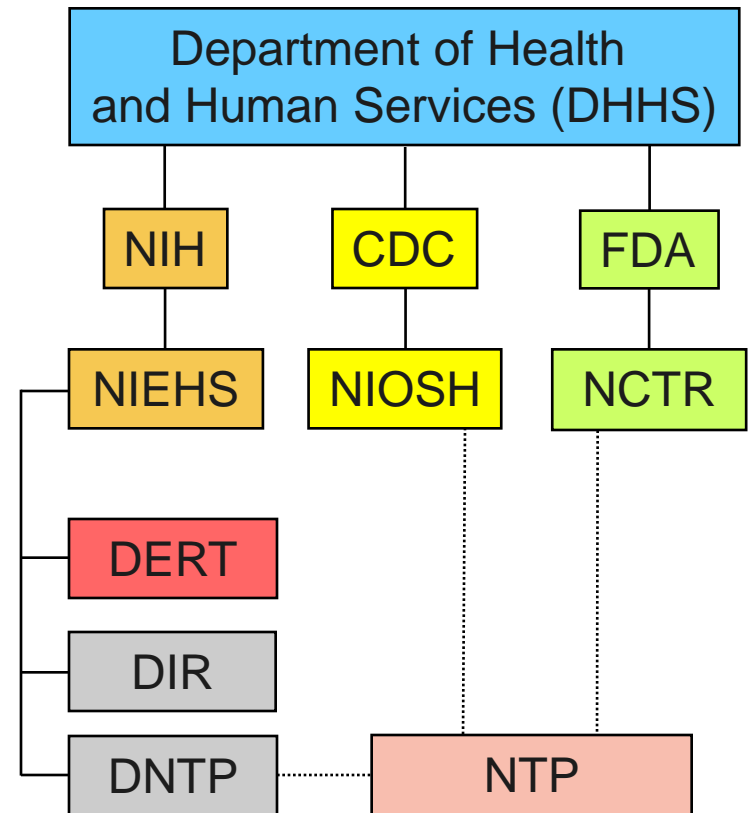
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NTP Board of Scientific Counselors Meeting
June 17 - 18, 2014

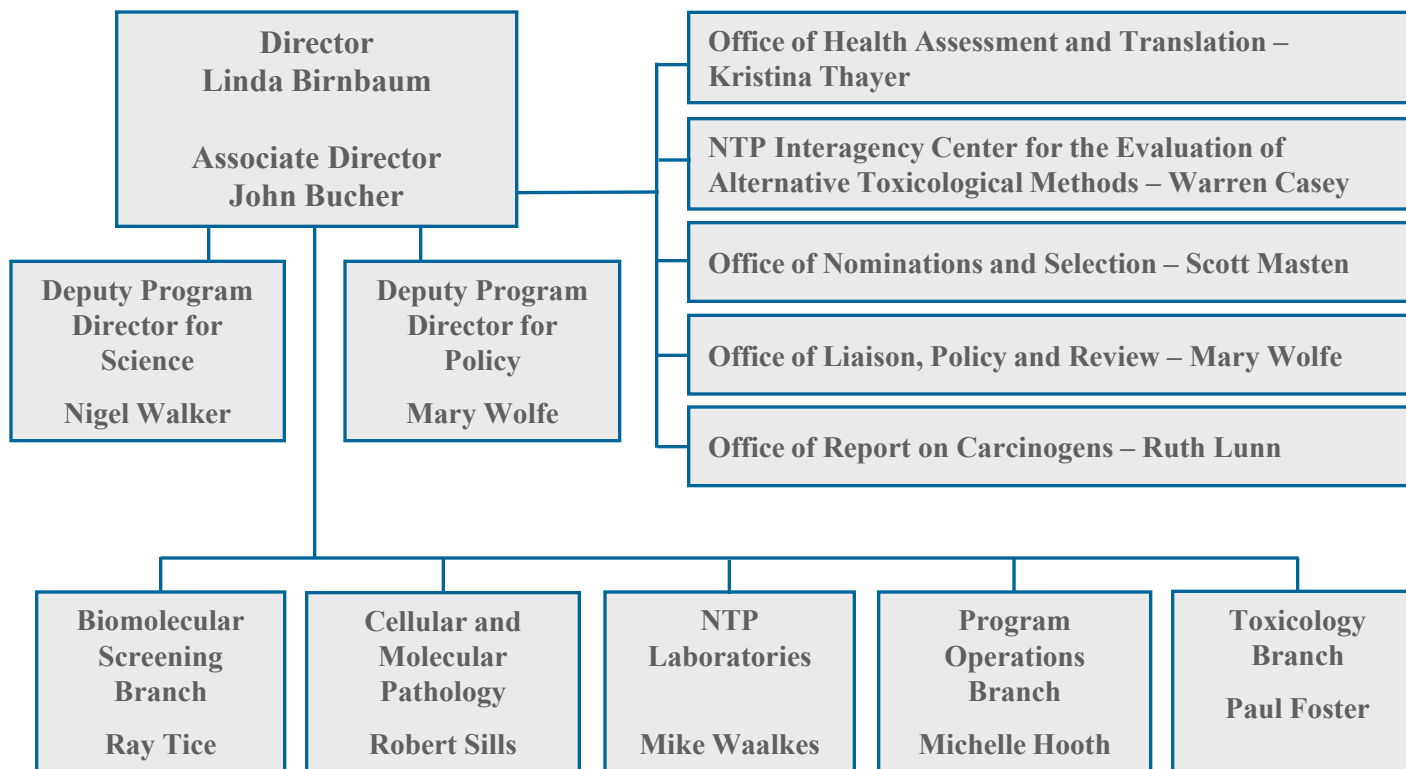
What is the National Toxicology Program?

- Interagency program
 - Established in 1978 to coordinate toxicology research in DHHS
 - Headquartered at NIEHS
- Research on submitted “nominations,” substances, or issues
 - Thousands of substances evaluated in comprehensive toxicology studies
 - GLP compliant “testing” through government contracts
 - In house lab capabilities
- Analysis activities
 - Report on Carcinogens (RoC)
 - Office of Health Assessment and Translation (OHAT)
 - NTP Interagency Center for the Evaluation of Alternative Toxicological Methods (NICEATM)

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An Interesting Two Days:

- June 17-18 NTP Board of Scientific Counselors Meeting
 - Research concepts on bisphenol S and analogs, triclocarban, alkylbenzenes, and xylenes
 - OHAT concept on personal care products and home exposures
 - Update on Tox21 progress
 - Tox21, phase III - the 1500 genes HTS transcriptomics project
 - NICEATM efforts on adverse outcome pathways for skin sensitization
 - Inflammation-based atherosclerosis associated with environmental exposures