2002 Current Fiscal Year Report: Negotiated Rulemaking Committee on Coverage and Administrative Policies for Clinical Diagnostic Laboratory Tests

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1. Department or Agency				2. Fiscal Year
Department of Health and Human Services				2002
·				3b. GSA
3. Committee or Subcommittee				Committee
				No.
Negotiated Rulem	aking Committ	ee on C	overage	
and Administrative	e Policies for C	linical		5239
Diagnostic Labora	tory Tests			
4. Is this New Du	ring 5. Curren	t 6. Exp	pected	7. Expected
Fiscal Year?	Charter	arter Renewal Date		Term Date
No	06/10/199	8		11/23/2001
8a. Was Termina	ted 8b. S	8b. Specific		8c. Actual
During FiscalYea	r? Term	Termination Authority		Term Date
Yes	•		gation of the /23/2001)	11/23/2001
9. Agency Recommendation for Next FiscalYear 10a. Legislation Terminate?		ion Req to	10b. Legislation Pending?	
Terminate				
11. Establishmen	t Authority P	resident	ial	
12. Specific	13.	1	4.	44-
Establishment Authority	Effect Date		ommitee ype	14c. Presidential?
42 USC 1395u no	te 08/05/	1997 C	ontinuing	No
15. Description o	f Committee	Regulate	ory Negotiat	ions
Committee				
Number of	No Reports for this FiscalYear			
17a. 0 17b. Closed 0 17c. Partially Closed 0 Other Activities 0 17d. Total 0 Open				
Meetings and Dat	tes			

	Current Next FY FY
18a(1). Personnel Pmts to	\$0.00\$0.00
Non-Federal Members	Φ0.00 Φ0.00
18a(2). Personnel Pmts to	\$0.00\$0.00
Federal Members	ψ0.00ψ0.00
18a(3). Personnel Pmts to	\$0.00\$0.00
Federal Staff	φ0.00 φ0.00
18a(4). Personnel Pmts to	\$0.00\$0.00
Non-Member Consultants	<i>Q</i> 0000000000000
18b(1). Travel and Per Diem to	\$0.00\$0.00
Non-Federal Members	+
18b(2). Travel and Per Diem to	\$0.00\$0.00
Federal Members	
18b(3). Travel and Per Diem to	\$0.00\$0.00
Federal Staff	
18b(4). Travel and Per Diem to	\$0.00\$0.00
Non-member Consultants	
18c. Other(rents, user charges,	\$0.00\$0.00
graphics, printing, mail, etc.)	\$ 0,00, \$ 0,00
18d. Total	\$0.00\$0.00
19. Federal Staff Support Years	0.00 0.00
(FTE)	

20a. How does the Committee accomplish its purpose?

The Committee provided a public forum for establishing coverage policy for paying for diagnostic laboratory tests.

20b. How does the Committee balance its membership?

With the exception of the representative of the Office of Clinical Standards and Quality (OCSQ), Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), committee members represented nongovernment interests, such as professional medical and laboratory associations. A neutral facilitator served as the Chair.

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

No meetings were held in Fiscal Year 2002.

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

Section 4554(b) of the Balanced Budget Act of 1997 required the Secretary to adopt national coverage and administrative policies for clinical diagnostic laboratory tests using a Negotiated Rulemaking process.

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

No formal committee meetings were closed to the public.

21. Remarks

The Final Rule was published on 11/23/2001, with an effective date of November 25, 2002. A Negotiated Rulemaking Committee terminates upon promulgation of the Final Rule.

Designated Federal Officer

Jackie Sheridan - Coverage and Analysis Group, Office of Clinical Standards and Quality, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS)

Committee Members	Start	End	Occupation	Member Designation
Allen, Eddie	07/13/1998	08/31/1999	Health Ind. Manufacturers Association	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Bagley, Grant	07/13/1998	08/31/1999	Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

Baker, Brett	07/13/1998	08/31/1999	American Society of Internal Medicine	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Ballard, Judy	07/13/1998	08/31/1999	Facilitator, Departmental Appeals Board	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Banton, Gene	07/13/1998	08/31/1999	Medical Group Management Asociation	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Baselski, Vickie	07/13/1998	08/31/1999	American Society of Microbiology	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Bauer, Stephen	07/13/1998	08/31/1999	College of American Pathologists	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Faggett, Walter	07/13/1998	08/31/1999	National Medical Association	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Godwin, Ira	07/13/1998	08/31/1999	American Society for Clinical Pathologist	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Mahood, William	07/13/1998	08/31/1999	American Medical Association	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Matheis, Cheryl	07/13/1998	08/31/1999	American Association for Retired Persons	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Murray, Robert	07/13/1998	08/31/1999	American Association for Clinical	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Murray, Tim	07/13/1998	08/31/1999	Clinical Labor Management Association	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Passiment, Ellissa	07/13/1998	08/31/1999	American Society for Clinical Lab. Science	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Prophet, Sue	07/13/1998	08/31/1999	American Health Info Mgmt. Association	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Salton, Alvin	07/13/1998	08/31/1999	American Association of Bioanalyats	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

Sundwall, David	07/13/1998	08/31/1999	American Clinical Lab. Association	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Taylor, Mary Beth	07/13/1998	08/31/1999	American Hospital Association	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member
Wold, Lester	07/13/1998	08/31/1999	American Medical Group Association	Special Government Employee (SGE) Member

Number of Committee Members Listed: 19

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?

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	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 <u>Percentage</u> of these recommendations that have been or will be <u>Fully</u> 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