

**Board of Scientific Counselors
National Center for Health Statistics
Coordinating Center for Health Information and Service
Centers for Disease Control and Prevention**

**May 7, 2009
NCHS
Auditorium
3311 Toledo Rd.
Hyattsville, MD 20782
AGENDA**

- 9:00 -9:05 Welcome and Call to Order
*Edward Sondik, Ph.D., Director, NCHS
Irma Elo, Ph.D., BSC Chair*
- 9:05-9:35 NCHS Update
Edward Sondik, Ph.D.
- 9:35-9:50 BSC Update
Irma Elo, Ph.D.
- 9:50-10:30 Report of BSC Working Group: NCHS Core Mission and Budget Issues
Mike O'Grady, Ph.D., Workgroup Chair
- 10:30 -10:45 Break
- 10:45 -12:00 Survey Redesign: Integrated Interview and Examination Survey
Virginia Cain, Ph.D., Chair, NCHS Redesign Working Group
- 12:00-1:15 Lunch -- Hank's Tavern
- 1:15 -1:45 Other Working Groups: Vital Statistics and NHIS Advisors
Irma Elo, Ph.D. and Virginia Cain, Ph.D., Designated Federal Official
- 1:45 - 2:30 US-Mexico Collaboration: Presentation and Discussion
Sam Notzon, Ph.D., Director, NCHS International Program
- 2:30-3:15 Q-BANK: A Question Evaluation Database: Presentation and Discussion
Kristen Miller, Ph.D., Office of Research Methodology, NCHS
- 3:15-3:30 Break
- 3:30-4:00 NCVHS Update:
Statistics for the 21st Century & Meaningful Use of Electronic Health Records
*Don Steinwachs, Ph.D. Chair, NCVHS Population Subcommittee;
Jim Lepkowski, Ph.D. and Mike O'Grady, Ph.D., BSC Liaisons to NCVHS*
- 4:00-4:45 SLAITS Update
Marcie Cynamon, Chief, Survey Planning and Special Surveys Branch, NCHS
- 4:45-5:00 Public Comments
- 5:00 Adjourn

**Future Meeting Dates: September 24 - 25, 2009
Tentative January 28-29, 2010**