AGENDA

Thursday, September 14, 2006
Room 705A

11:00 Convene BSC/NCVHS Joint Meeting—Introductions and Overview
Simon Cohn, M.D., Chair, NCVHS and June O’Neill, Ph.D., Chair, BSC

11:30 Implications of Confidentiality Requirements in Natality and Mortality Vital Statistics
Charles Rothwell, M.S., Director, Division of Vital Statistics, NCHS
Steven Schwartz, Ph.D., NYC Bureau of Vital Statistics

12:15 Working Lunch
Re-engineering the Vital Statistics System and Role of Health Information Technology
Charles Rothwell, M.S., Director, Division of Vital Statistics, NCHS

1:30 Next Steps for Future Collaborations
Simon Cohn, M.D. and June O’Neill, Ph.D.

1:45 Wrap-up and Adjourn Joint Meeting
Simon Cohn, M.D. and June O’Neill, Ph.D.

Room 325A
2:30 NCHS Update
Edward J. Sondik, Ph.D., Director, NCHS

3:00 Discussion of NCVHS Joint Activities
Irma Elo, Ph.D. and Bill Scanlon, Ph.D., Committee Liaisons

3:45 Men in the US: Data from the 2002 National Survey of Family Growth
Joyce Abma, Ph.D., Social Scientist, NSFG, DVS, NCHS
Gladys Martinez, Ph.D., Demographer, NSFG, DVS, NCHS

4:30 Wrap-up of Mortality Review
June O’Neill, Ph.D.

5:00 Adjourn for the Day

7:00 Dinner, (Thai at Silver Spring 921E Ellsworth Drive, Silver Spring, Maryland 20910
(http://www.thaiatsilverspring.com/index.html)
**Friday, September 15, 2006**

8:30  Review of the Natality Statistics Program  
      Barbara Luke, ScD, Chair, Natality Statistics Review Panel

9:30  NCHS Comment  
      Stephanie Ventura, M.A., Chief, Reproductive Statistics Branch, DVS, NCHS  
      Charles Rothwell, M.S., Director, DVS, NCHS

10:00 Break

10:15 Discussion  
      Nick Eberstadt, Ph.D. and Louise Ryan, Ph.D.

11:30 Next Steps in Natality Review  
      June O’Neill, Ph.D.

12:00 Lunch (Orientation of New Members – Room 1406)

1:15 Update on RDC Activities  
      Jennifer Madans, Ph.D., Associate Director for Science, NCHS

1:45 Public Comment

2:00 Adjournment

Future Meetings:  January 25-26, 2007  
      Tentative:     April 26-27, 2007