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AGENDA

September 22, 2011

- 11:00 -11:10 Welcome and Call to Order
Lee Cornelius, Ph.D., Chair, BSC & Edward Sondik, Ph.D., Director, NCHS
- 11:10-12:00 NCHS Update
Edward Sondik, Ph.D.
- 12:00-12:30 Understanding Racial and Ethnic Disparities in U.S. Infant Mortality Rates
Marian F. MacDorman, Ph.D., Division of Vital Statistics
- 12:30-1:15 Lunch—Brought in
- 1:15-1:30 NCHS BSC Working Groups
Lee Cornelius, Ph.D. and Virginia Cain, Ph.D., Designated Federal Official
- 1:30-3:30 NHANES DNA Update and BSC Working Group
Rosemarie Hirsch, M.D., Division of Health and Nutrition Examination Surveys
- 3:30-3:45 Break
- 3:45- 4:30 Program for Early Release of Selected Estimates from the National Health Interview Survey
Jeannine Schiller, M.P.H., Division of Health Interview Statistics
- 4:30- 5:00 Plans for a Web-based Survey
Marcie Cynamon, M.A., Division of Health Interview Statistics
- 6:30 Dinner, restaurant TBD

September 23, 2011

9:00-10:00 Monitoring Health Reform

Clarice Brown, M.S., Division of Health Care Statistics

*Robin Cohen, Ph.D. and Christopher Moriarity, Ph.D., Division of Health
Interview Statistics*

10:00-10:45 Report on Research Data Center

Peter Meyer, M.P.H., Research Data Center

10:45-11:00 Break

11:00 - 11:45 DHHS Plan for LGBT Data and Adding Sexual Identity Questions to the NHIS

Virginia Cain, Ph.D., Office of the Center Director

11:45--12:00 Public Comment

12:00 Adjourn