2008 RTOI Projects Web-Enhanced Conference Call

October 14, 2008
Hosted by: AUCD
Agenda

- Introduction and Overview of the Cooperative Agreement – AUCD Staff
- CDC Updates – CDC Scientific Collaborators
- RTOI Project Summaries – RTOI PIs
- Administrative Processes – AUCD Staff
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  - Quarterly Progress Reports
  - IRB Approvals
- Other Cooperative Agreement Activities Update – AUCD Staff
- Questions and Comments – AUCD Staff
Overall Cooperative Agreement Activities

- Research: Research Topic of Interest (RTOI)
- Education: Fellowship, Collaborative Researcher Awards (CRA) and network wide training, conference, and symposium in public health and disability
- Dissemination: RTOI publications, public awareness and educational products, web-based information clearinghouse, e-newsletter, listserv, etc.

RTOI Research Disability Areas:
- Fragile X Syndrome
- Autism
- Down Syndrome
- Epilepsy
- Duchenne Muscular Dystrophy
- Fetal Alcohol Syndrome
- EHDI
- Spina Bifida
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Research Topics of Interests (RTOI)

RTOI are specific research area of significance identified by scientists at NCBDDD, CDC. Past RTOI projects have focused on the following areas:

- Health Communication and Education
- Prevention of Secondary Conditions
- Healthcare Cost Analysis
- Quality of Life Studies
- Developmental Factors and Outcomes
- Health Promotion Interventions
- Co-Morbidity Prevalence Studies
CDC Updates
RTOI Project Summaries

(1-2 minute overview of projects from the PIs)
## 2008 RTOI Projects

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<td>Changing the way Family/General Practice Physicians (F/GP) screen for Developmental Milestones and Utilize Early Intervention and Early Childhood Special Education Services</td>
<td>Laura McGuinn, MD</td>
<td>Helping Family Practitioners Improve Developmental Services in Primary Care</td>
<td>University of Oklahoma Health Sciences Center</td>
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<td>William Schwab, MD</td>
<td>Project 3D: Developmental Delays and Disabilities Screening and Referral Project</td>
<td>Waisman Center, University of Wisconsin, Madison</td>
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<td>Occurrence of Developmental Disabilities and Other Neurologic Comorbidities in Children with Epilepsy</td>
<td>David Lindeman, PhD</td>
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<td>University of Kansas</td>
<td>David Thurman, MD, MPH</td>
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<td>I–RTOI 2008-999-01</td>
<td>Christine Yoshinaga-Itano, PhD</td>
<td>Developmental Outcome Feasibility Study: Deaf/Hard of Hearing</td>
<td>University of Colorado</td>
<td>John Eichwald, MA</td>
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<td>I–RTOI 2008-999-03</td>
<td>Ted Brown, MDPh.D.</td>
<td>Fragile X Clinical and Research Consortium Cooperative Agreement</td>
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Administrative Processes

*Invoices* Due ~

- February 15, 2009 – for quarter ending December 31, 2008
- May 15, 2009 – for quarter ending March 31, 2009
- August 15, 2009 – for quarter ending June 30, 2009
- November 15, 2009 – for quarter ending September 30, 2009

Invoices shall be sent to:
Association of University Centers on Disabilities
1010 Wayne Avenue, Suite 920
Silver Spring, Maryland 20910
Attn: Sue Lin, Project Director

* RTOI 2008-999-03 is on a different invoice schedule
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Progress reports are to be submitted electronically at [http://www.aucd.org/projects/scoring/](http://www.aucd.org/projects/scoring/)

(Karla will send url & username/password after the call)
Administrative Processes

IRB Approvals

- Submit documentation to AUCD indicating that the Institutional Review Board (IRB) reviewed and approved the project.

- Funding restriction on total award, pending the receipt of IRB approval. (Note: During this time the Awardee is eligible to receive payments for project activities that do not involve human subjects prior to obtaining documentation of IRB approval.)
Other Cooperative Agreement Activities Update

State Disability and Health Grantees Technical Assistance

- Efforts will focus on the following activities:
  - Conduct network-wide needs assessment
  - Direct technical assistance to the State Disability and Health (D&H) Grantees
  - Gather & Disseminate materials and information to and from the State D&H Grantees
  - Coordinate an annual meeting among State D&H Grantees and other stakeholders
  - Maintain and expand an information clearinghouse
  - Educate policymakers and advocates about the accomplishments and future directions of the State D&H Grantees
ACT EARLY REGIONAL SUMMIT
PROJECT GOALS

- Enhance awareness of the Campaign and its impact in the target regions
- Bring key state leaders together to enhance state’s capacity in responding to the increasing demand for evidence-based practices for children with ASD and related disabilities.
- Serve as catalysts for the development of state plans and foster information exchange
Question and Comments
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