

personnel; to provide a data base for medical research and statistical purposes and when required by law or for official purposes.

**ROUTINE USES OF RECORDS MAINTAINED IN THE SYSTEM, INCLUDING CATEGORIES OF USERS AND THE PURPOSES OF SUCH USES:**

In addition to those disclosures generally permitted under 5 U.S.C. 552a(b) of the Privacy Act, these records or information contained therein may specifically be disclosed outside the DoD as a routine use pursuant to 5 U.S.C. 552a(b)(3) as follows:

Individual records may be released to referring physician, to physicians treating the individual, to qualified medical researchers and students, and to other Federal agencies and law enforcement personnel when requested for official purposes involving criminal prosecution, civil court action or regulatory orders.

The DoD "Blanket Routine Uses" set forth at the beginning of the Army's compilation of systems of records notices also apply to this system.

**Note:** This system of records contains individually identifiable health information. The DoD Health Information Privacy Regulation (DoD 6025.18-R) issued pursuant to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996, applies to most such health information. DoD 6025.18-R may place additional procedural requirements on the uses and disclosures of such information beyond those found in the Privacy Act of 1974 or mentioned in this system of records notice.

**POLICIES AND PRACTICES FOR STORING, RETRIEVING, ACCESSING, RETAINING, AND DISPOSING OF RECORDS IN THE SYSTEM:**

**STORAGE:**

Paper and photographs in file folders, X-rays, electronic storage media, tissue blocks in appropriate storage containers; and microscopic slides in cardboard file folders.

**RETRIEVABILITY:**

By last name or terminal digit number (Social Security Number) or accession number assigned when case is received for consultation.

**SAFEGUARDS:**

Records are stored in secured rooms protected by cipher locks accessible to personnel having a need-to-know in the performance of their official duties. Access to computerized information is controlled by password and is restricted to personnel having a need-to-know, who are also properly screened and trained in access procedures.

**RETENTION AND DISPOSAL:**

Retained as long as case material has value for medical research or education.

Individual cases are reviewed periodically and materials no longer of value to the Institute are destroyed.

**SYSTEM MANAGER(S) AND ADDRESS:**

Chief, Automated Management Services, Armed Forces Institute of Pathology, 6825 16th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20306-2400.

**NOTIFICATION PROCEDURE:**

Individuals seeking to determine whether information about themselves is contained in this system should address written inquiries to the Administrator, Department of Epidemiology, Repository, and Research Services, Armed Forces Institute of Pathology, 6825 16th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20306-6000.

Requesting individual must submit full name, name, Social Security Number or service number of military sponsor and branch of military service, if applicable, or accession number assigned by the Armed Forces Institute of Pathology, if known. For requests made in person, identification such as military ID card or valid driver's license is required.

**RECORD ACCESS PROCEDURES:**

Individuals seeking access to information about themselves contained in this system should address written inquiries to the Administrator, Department of Epidemiology, Repository, and Research Services, Armed Forces Institute of Pathology, 6825 16th Street, NW., Washington, DC 20306-6000.

Requesting individual must submit full name, name, Social Security Number or service number of military sponsor and branch of military service, if applicable, or accession number assigned by the Armed Forces Institute of Pathology, if known. For requests made in person, identification such as military ID card or valid driver's license is required.

**CONTESTING RECORD PROCEDURES:**

The Army's rules for accessing records, and for contesting contents and appealing initial agency determinations are contained in Army Regulation 340-21; 32 CFR part 505; or may be obtained from the system manager.

**RECORD SOURCE CATEGORIES:**

Interview, diagnostic test, other available administrative or medical records obtained from civilian or military sources.

**EXEMPTIONS CLAIMED FOR THE SYSTEM:**

None.

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE**

**Department of the Navy**

**Notice of Intent To Grant Exclusive Patent License; American BioHealth Group, LLC**

**AGENCY:** Department of the Navy, DOD

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Department of the Navy hereby gives notice of its intent to grant to American BioHealth Group, LLC, a revocable, nonassignable, exclusive license in the United States to practice, with right to sublicense, the Government-owned invention described in U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/766, 625, entitled "Prevention or Reversal of Sensorial Hearing Loss Through Biological Mechanisms," filed January 23, 2001.

**DATES:** Anyone wishing to object to the granting of this license has (15) days from the date of this notice to file written objections along with supporting evidence, if any.

**ADDRESSES:** Written objections are to be filed with the Office of Technology Transfer, Naval Medical Research Center, 503 Robert Grant Ave, Silver Spring, MD 20910-7500.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Dr. Charles Schlagel, Director, Office of Technology Transfer, Naval Medical Research Center, 503 Robert Grant Ave, Silver Spring, MD 20910-7500, telephone (301) 319-7428, fax (301) 319-7432, or E-Mail: [schlagelc@nmrc.navy.mil](mailto:schlagelc@nmrc.navy.mil).

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**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION**

**Notice of proposed information collection requests**

**AGENCY:** Department of Education.

**ACTION:** Notice of proposed information collection requests.

**SUMMARY:** The Leader, Regulatory Information Management, Office of the Chief Information Officer, invites comments on the proposed information collection requests as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

**DATES:** An emergency review has been requested in accordance with the Act (44 U.S.C. Chapter 3507(j)), since public harm is reasonably likely to result if