## Department of Veterans Affairs Research Advisory Committee on Gulf War Veterans' Illnesses Subcommittee on Veteran Engagement

**LOCATION: Louis Stokes VAMC** 

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#### Agenda Tuesday, April 16th, 2019

4:00 – 4:10	Welcome and Introduction	Dr. Larry Steinman and Kimberly Adams Res Adv Cmte on GW Veterans' Illnesses
4:10 – 4:15	RAC-GWVI Overview	Dr. Larry Steinman and Kimberly Adams
4:15 - 4:25	<b>Meeting Guidelines</b>	Marylyn Harris
4:25 – 4:30	<b>Houston VES Overview</b>	Bill Watts
4:30 – 4:50	What health issues are of greatest concern to Gulf War (GW) Veterans?	Public Comments (Moderated by Dr. Hunt)
4:50 – 5:10	How can research improve the treatments available to GW Veterans?	Public Comments (Moderated by Dr. Block)
5:10 - 5:20	Break	
5:20-5:40	<b>Recruiting Veterans for Research</b>	
5:40 - 6:00	What health issue could the VA address to improve GW Veterans' quality of life?	Public Comments (Moderated by Kimberly Adams)
6:00 – 6:20	What would you like the VA Secretary to know about the health of GW Veterans?	Public Comments (Moderated by Dr. Steinman)
6:20-6:30	<b>Available Resources for Veterans</b>	Local (Kimberly Adams, Brent Casey) National (Marylyn Harris)
6:30 - 6:50	General Discussion	<b>Public Comments</b>
6:50 – 7:00	<b>Closing Comments</b>	Dr. Larry Steinman and Marylyn Harris
7:00	Adjourn	

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10:30 – 10:50	What health issues are of greatest concern to Gulf War (GW) Veterans?	Public Comments (Moderated by Dr. Hunt)
10:50 – 11:10	How can research improve the treatments available to GW Veterans?	Public Comments (Moderated by Dr. Block)
11:10 - 11:20	Break	
11:20-11:40	Recruiting Veterans for Research	Public Comments (Moderated by Dr. Block)
11:40 – 11:00	What health issue could the VA address to improve GW Veterans' quality of life?	<b>Public Comments (Moderated by Kimberly Adams)</b>
12:00 – 12:20	What would you like the VA Secretary to know about the health of GW Veterans?	Public Comments (Moderated by Dr. Steinman)
12:20-12:30	Available Resources for Veterans	Local (Kimberly Adams, Brent Casey) National (Marylyn Harris)
12:30 – 12:50	General Discussion	<b>Public Comments</b>
12:50 – 1:00	<b>Closing Comments</b>	Dr. Larry Steinman and Marylyn Harris
1:00	Adjourn	