

**Meeting of the Research Advisory Committee on Gulf War Veterans' Illnesses
Department of Veterans Affairs**

**LOCATION: InterContinental Mark Hopkins
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Agenda

Tuesday, August 1, 2017

9:00 – 9:15	Introductory Remarks	Dr. Stephen Hauser, Chairman Res Adv Cmte on GW Veterans' Illnesses
9:15 – 10:00	Sleep Disorders: Identifying Novel Biomarkers and Clinical Applications	Dr. Emmanuel Mignot Stanford Center for Sleep Sciences and Medicine
10:00 – 10:45	Senescent Cells and Aging	Dr. Judith Campisi Buck Institute for Research on Aging and Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory
10:45 – 11:00	Break	
11:00 – 11:45	Military Risk Factors & Cognitive Aging	Dr. Kristine Yaffe U.C. San Francisco and SF VAMC
11:45 – 12:15	Committee Discussion	Dr. Stephen Hauser, Chairman Res Adv Cmte on GW Veterans' Illnesses
12:15 – 1:15	Lunch	
1:15 – 2:00	Targeted therapeutics in GWI: Status report	Dr. Nancy Klimas Miami VAMC and Nova Southeastern University
2:00 – 2:30	Update on National Health Survey of Persian GW Era Veterans	Drs. Aaron Schneiderman and Erin Dursa VA Office of Post-Deployment Health Services
2:30 – 3:15	Roadmap for a Single GWI Case Definition	Dr. Peter Rumm VA Office of Post-Deployment Health Services
3:15 – 3:30	Break	
3:30 – 4:00	ORD GW Research Strategic Plan Update	Dr. Victor Kalasinsky VA Office of Research and Development
4:00 – 4:30	Committee Discussion	Dr. Stephen Hauser, Chairman Res Adv Cmte on GW Veterans' Illnesses
4:30 – 5:00	Public Comment	
5:00	Adjourn	

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**Agenda
Wednesday, August 2, 2017**

8:45 – 9:00	Introductory Remarks	Dr. Stephen Hauser, Chairman Res Adv Cmte on GW Veterans' Illnesses
9:00 – 9:45	Brain Cancer Mortality in GW Veterans: Findings, Challenges, and Next Steps	Dr. Erin Dursa VA Office of Post-Deployment Health Services
9:45 – 10:30	Epidemiology of Adult Glioma	Dr. Joseph Wiemels U.C. San Francisco
10:30 – 10:45	Break	
10:45 – 11:30	Post-Deployment Coordinated System of Centers	RAC and Invited Speakers
11:30 – 12:15	Committee Discussion	Dr. Stephen Hauser, Chairman Res Adv Cmte on GW Veterans' Illnesses
12:15 – 12:45	Public Comment	
12:45	Adjourn	