

Department of Health and Human Services
National Institutes of Health
National Institute of Neurological Disorders and Stroke

**National Advisory Neurological Disorders and Stroke (NANDS) Council
226th Meeting**

**May 14-15, 2025
10 a.m.**

AGENDA

Open Session	
10 a.m.	I. Call to Order Dr. Walter Koroshetz, Chairperson Director, NINDS II. Opening Remarks Dr. Ann Poduri Deputy Director, NINDS Dr. Andrea Meredith Director, Division of Extramural Activities
	III. Report of the Director, Division of Extramural Activities, NINDS Dr. Andrea Meredith Associate Director, Division of Extramural Activities Executive Secretary, NANDS Council A. Confirmation of Dates for Future Council Meetings Wednesday and Thursday, September 3-4, 2025 Wednesday and Thursday, February 11-12, 2026 Wednesday and Thursday, May 20-21, 2026 Wednesday and Thursday, September 9-10, 2026 Wednesday and Thursday, February 10-11, 2027 Wednesday and Thursday, May 19-20, 2027 Wednesday and Thursday, September 8-19, 2027 B. Other Items Expedited Review Process Triennial Report Extramural Announcements
10:15 a.m.	IV. The MICrONS Project: Functional and Structural Reconstruction of Neural Circuits at Scale Dr. John Ngai Director, BRAIN Initiative

10:30 a.m.	V. NIH Director Update Dr. Jayanta Bhattacharya Director, National Institutes of Health
11:15 a.m.	VI. Report of the NINDS Director and Discussion Dr. Walter Koroshetz Director, NINDS
12:15 p.m.	Lunch
1 p.m.	VII. Neural Exposome Research Priorities Implementation Plan Dr. David A. Jett Program Director, Office of Neural Exposome & Toxicology Dr. Shardell M. Spriggs Program Director, Office of Neural Exposome & Toxicology Dr. Richard Woychik Director, National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences
2 p.m.	VIII. State of Intramural Report Dr. Jeffrey Diamond Scientific Director, NINDS
2:30 p.m.	IX. Report from the HEAL Pain Strategic Research Priorities Working Group Dr. Walter Koroshetz Director, NINDS Dr. Robert Gereau Co-Chair, HEAL Pain Strategic Research Priorities Working Group Director, Washington University Pain Center Professor, Anesthesiology Vice Chair, Research Washington University School of Medicine in St. Louis Dr. Kathleen Sluka Co-Chair, HEAL Pain Strategic Research Priorities Working Group Professor, Physical Therapy and Rehabilitation Science Professor, Neuroscience and Pharmacology University of Iowa Carver College of Medicine
3:30 p.m.	X. Concept Clearance
	Open Session Adjourns There will be a 15-minute break before entering into Closed Session

Closed Session

This portion of the meeting is being closed to the public in accordance with the provisions set forth in sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5, U.S.C. §§ 1001-1014 and Section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended (5 U.S.C. Appendix 2).

XI. Review of Conflict of Interest, Confidentiality, and Council Procedures

Council Consideration of Pending

Dr. Andrea Meredith
Executive Secretary, NANS Council

Adjournment