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PPDC 21st Century Toxicology/New Integrated Testing Strategies Workgroup
Meeting Minutes

Time: 2:00 – 3:00 PM (EST)

Summary

On February 19, 2014, the PPDC 21st Century Toxicology / New Integrated Testing Strategies Workgroup met for the group's bi-monthly meeting. The metrics subgroup gave an update on the next steps for the proposal to the Agency detailing measurable goals that could be set as part of the implementation of metrics for progress on *in vitro* and alternative testing methods. The accomplishments of this subgroup and next steps were also discussed. An update was given on the Priority Pesticide List Expert workgroup, which has brought together scientists and public health professionals with the goals of establishing prioritization criteria and making recommendations on which pesticides should be the focus of further biomarker research and development. This expert workgroup is currently refining the draft list of priority pesticides for biomarker research based on the criteria and supporting data. The workgroup will hold its next regular bi-monthly meeting in April.

Attendees

Non-EPA: Patricia Bishop, Caroline Cox, Erik Janus, Thomas Kellner, Joel Paterson, Gary Patterson, James Roberts, Kristie Sullivan

EPA: Jennifer McLain, Lisa Austin, Garland Waleko

Notable Issues/Actions/Commitments

- Email Garland or the group with ideas for future topics, speakers, or discussions. Examples include ICCVAM activities, EDSP21, and OPP IATA activities.

Next Meeting

The regular, bi-monthly meeting will be on April 23, 2014. A call-in number will be provided for those who are unable to attend in person.