REQUEST FOR NOMINATIONS ADVISORY COUNCIL ON ALZHEIMER'S RESEARCH, CARE, AND SERVICES

The Advisory Council on Alzheimer's Research, Care, and Services meets quarterly to discuss programs that impact people with Alzheimer's disease and related dementias and their caregivers. The Advisory Council makes recommendations to Congress and the Secretary of Health and Human Services about ways to reduce the financial impact of Alzheimer's disease and related dementias and to improve the health outcomes of people with these conditions. The Advisory Council also provides feedback on a National Plan for Alzheimer's Disease. On an annual basis, the Advisory Council evaluates the implementation of the recommendations through an updated National Plan.

The Advisory Council consists of approximately 25 members. At least 12 members will represent a number of federal agencies. The Advisory Council also consists of 13 non-federal members selected by the Secretary who fall into seven categories, two members in each category: Alzheimer's patient advocates; Alzheimer's caregivers; health care providers; representatives of state health departments; researchers with Alzheimer's-related expertise in basic, translational, clinical, or drug development science; voluntary health association representatives; and one member who is currently living with the disease.

The Secretary will appoint one non-federal member for each category during this nominations process, to replace the members whose terms end on September 30, 2015, for a total of seven new members to the Advisory Council. The new members will be invited to serve a 4-year term. The member who is living with dementia will serve a 2-year term. Members will serve as Special Government Employees.

TO NOMINATE:

Nominations should include the nominee's contact information (current mailing address, email address, and telephone number) and current curriculum vitae or resume. Anyone may nominate an individual, including themselves, for Advisory Council membership.

Submit nominations by email or USPS mail before COB <u>June 12, 2015</u>. Nominations should be sent to:

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