

From: "Banks, C. Edward (OLP)" (b)(6)

To: "Cohen, Brent (OJP)" (b)(6)

Subject: Re: US backs study of safe injection sites

Date: Fri, 26 May 2023 15:02:55 -0400

Importance: Normal

You're welcome Brent!

Ed

On May 26, 2023, at 2:40 PM, Cohen, Brent (OJP) (b)(6) wrote:

Ed,

A belated thanks for sharing this with us. Much appreciated.

Brent

From: Banks, C. Edward (OLP) (b)(6)

Sent: Tuesday, May 9, 2023 1:40 PM

To: Cohen, Brent (OJP) (b)(6); La Vigne, Nancy (OJP) (b)(6)

Subject: FYA: US backs study of safe injection sites

Hi Brent and Nancy,

For OJP's awareness, I just want to pass along information about this study of Safe Injection Sites funded by NIH/NIDA.

[US backs study of safe injection sites, overdose prevention | AP News](#)

[New Research to Measure the Impact of Overdose Prevention Centers \(healthitanalytics.com\)](#)

New York University (NYU) Langone Health and Brown University's School of Public Health have been [awarded](#) over \$5 million from the National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA), part of the National Institutes of Health (NIH), to evaluate the impact of overdose prevention centers (OPCs) on drug overdose in the US.

Ed

From: "La Vigne, Nancy (OJP)" (b)(6)

To: "Banks, C. Edward (OLP)" (b)(6), "Cohen, Brent (OJP)" (b)(6)

Subject: RE: US backs study of safe injection sites

Date: Tue, 9 May 2023 17:47:18 +0000

Importance: Normal

Thanks for sharing!

From: Banks, C. Edward (OLP) (b)(6)

Sent: Tuesday, May 9, 2023 1:40 PM

To: Cohen, Brent (OJP) (b)(6); La Vigne, Nancy (OJP) (b)(6)

Subject: FYA: US backs study of safe injection sites

Hi Brent and Nancy,

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Ed

From: "De Bono, Christopher (OLP)" (b)(6)

To: "Banks, C. Edward (OLP)" (b)(6)

Subject: RE: US backs study of safe injection sites

Date: Wed, 10 May 2023 13:30:04 +0000

Importance: Normal

Thanks ed. I appreciate it.

From: Banks, C. Edward (OLP) (b)(6)

Sent: Wednesday, May 10, 2023 8:44 AM

To: De Bono, Christopher (OLP) (b)(6)

Subject: FYA: US backs study of safe injection sites

Good morning Chris,

Susan asked me to share this info about the study of Safe Injection Sites being funded by NIH/NIDA.

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[New Research to Measure the Impact of Overdose Prevention Centers \(healthitanalytics.com\)](#)

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If you have any questions, please let me know.

Ed

C. Edward Banks, Ph.D.
Director, Policy Analysis Unit
Office of Legal Policy
U.S. Department of Justice

(b)(6)

From: Davies, Susan M. (OLP) (b)(6)

Sent: Wednesday, May 10, 2023 8:13 AM

To: Banks, C. Edward (OLP) (b)(6); Dellinger, Hampton Y. (OLP)

(b)(6)

Subject: RE: More info: (b)(5) Thanks, h

Please loop Chris DeBono on the chain. Thanks, smd

Susan M. Davies
Principal Deputy Assistant Attorney General
Office of Legal Policy
Department of Justice
(b)(6)

From: "Banks, C. Edward (OLP)" (b)(6)

To: "Davies, Susan M. (OLP)" (b)(6), "Dellinger, Hampton Y. (OLP)" (b)(6)

Subject: RE: More info: (b)(5)
Thanks, h

Date: Wed, 10 May 2023 12:21:17 +0000

Importance: Normal

Will do.

Ed

From: Davies, Susan M. (OLP) (b)(6)

Sent: Wednesday, May 10, 2023 8:13 AM

To: Banks, C. Edward (OLP) (b)(6) Dellinger, Hampton Y. (OLP) (b)(6)

Subject: RE: More info: (b)(5) Thanks, h

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From: "Davies, Susan M. (OLP)" (b)(6)

To: "De Bono, Christopher (OLP)" (b)(6)

Subject: FW: More info: (b)(5)

Thanks, h

Date: Wed, 10 May 2023 12:12:53 -0000

Importance: Normal

FYA

Susan M. Davies

Principal Deputy Assistant Attorney General

Office of Legal Policy

Department of Justice

(b)(6)

From: Davies, Susan M. (OLP)

Sent: Wednesday, May 10, 2023 8:13 AM

To: Banks, C. Edward (OLP) (b)(6); Dellinger, Hampton Y. (OLP)

(b)(6)

Subject: RE: More info: (b)(5) Thanks, h

Duplicative Material



From: "Davies, Susan M. (OLP)" (b)(6)

To: "Antell, Kira M. (OLP)" (b)(6)

Subject: FW: More info: (b)(5)

Thanks, h

Date: Tue, 09 May 2023 17:34:42 -0000

Importance: Normal

Nicole

Susan M. Davies

Principal Deputy Assistant Attorney General

Office of Legal Policy

Department of Justice

(b)(6)

From: Banks, C. Edward (OLP) (b)(6)

Sent: Tuesday, May 9, 2023 1:05 PM

To: Dellinger, Hampton Y. (OLP) (b)(6)

Cc: Davies, Susan M. (OLP) (b)(6)

Subject: RE: More info: (b)(5) Thanks, h

Duplicative Material



From: "Banks, C. Edward (OLP)" (b)(6)

To: "Dellinger, Hampton Y. (OLP)" (b)(6)

Cc: "Davies, Susan M. (OLP)" (b)(6)

Bcc: "Banks, C. Edward (OLP)" (b)(6)

Subject: RE: (b)(5)

Thanks, h

Date: Tue, 09 May 2023 16:31:25 -0000

Importance: Normal

Hi Hampton.

Looks like this is being funded by NIH.

I'll try to get more info.

From the article:

National Institutes of Health established a harm reduction research network to study programs providing services and supplies such as naloxone, a drug that can reverse overdoses, and materials to test drugs for fentanyl, a powerful opioid driving record numbers of overdoses. The new study will be part of that project.

From: Dellinger, Hampton Y. (OLP) (b)(6)

Sent: Tuesday, May 9, 2023 12:25 PM

To: Banks, C. Edward (OLP) (b)(6)

Cc: Davies, Susan M. (OLP) (b)(6)

Subject: (b)(5)

Thanks, h

[US backs study of safe injection sites, overdose prevention | AP News](#)

From: "Henthorne, Betsy (OASG)" (b)(6)

To: "Iverson, Dena (PAO)" (b)(6), "Klapper, Matthew B. (OAG)"

(b)(6), "Gupta, Vanita (OASG)" (b)(6),

"Miller, Marshall (ODAG)" (b)(6)

Subject: RE: draft email

Date: Tue, 11 Apr 2023 18:01:12 +0000

Importance: Normal

Attachments: email_DRAFT_v3.docx

Updated draft email attached.

From: Iverson, Dena (PAO) (b)(6)

Sent: Tuesday, April 11, 2023 10:59 AM

To: Klapper, Matthew B. (OAG) (b)(6); Gupta, Vanita (OASG) (b)(6)

Cc: Miller, Marshall (ODAG) (b)(6); Henthorne, Betsy (OASG) (b)(6);

Walker, Rhea (JMD) (b)(6)

Subject: RE: draft email

Updated here with minor tweaks, to be used responsively to incoming –

(b)(5)

Dena Iverson

Principal Deputy Director, Office of Public Affairs

U.S. Department of Justice

(b)(6) - Office

(b)(6) - Cell

(b)(6)

From: Klapper, Matthew B. (OAG) (b)(6)

Sent: Monday, April 10, 2023 7:57 PM

To: Gupta, Vanita (OASG) (b)(6)

Cc: Miller, Marshall (ODAG) (b)(6); Iverson, Dena (PAO) (b)(6);

Henthorne, Betsy (OASG) (b)(6); Walker, Rhea (JMD) (b)(6)

Subject: Re: draft email

Would like to find a few minutes to discuss tomorrow.

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 10, 2023, at 7:47 PM, Gupta, Vanita (OASG) (b)(6) wrote:

Dena, Betsy, and I touched base on this earlier today. We like Marshall's edits.

KLapper, thoughts?

On Apr 9, 2023, at 9:39 PM, Miller, Marshall (ODAG) (b)(6) wrote:

How about a mix:

(b)(5)

From: Iverson, Dena (PAO) (b)(6)
Sent: Sunday, April 9, 2023 9:15 PM
To: Klapper, Matthew B. (OAG) (b)(6); Gupta, Vanita (OASG) (b)(6)
Cc: Miller, Marshall (ODAG) (b)(6); Henthorne, Betsy (OASG) (b)(6); Walker, Rhea (JMD) (b)(6)
Subject: RE: draft email

Draft/Deliberative/Pre-decisional

CURRENT:

(b)(5)

Updated option 1:

(b)(5)

Updated option 2:

(b)(5)

Dena Iverson
Principal Deputy Director, Office of Public Affairs
U.S. Department of Justice

(b)(6) - Office
(b)(6) - Cell
(b)(6)

From: Klapper, Matthew B. (OAG) (b)(6)
Sent: Sunday, April 9, 2023 8:54 PM
To: Gupta, Vanita (OASG) (b)(6)
Cc: Miller, Marshall (ODAG) (b)(6); Henthorne, Betsy (OASG) (b)(6); Iverson, Dena (PAO) (b)(6); Walker, Rhea (JMD) (b)(6)
Subject: Re: draft email

Have a few minor suggestions I'll get to you in tracks in am, but overall very good. Thanks.

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 9, 2023, at 8:49 PM, Gupta, Vanita (OASG) (b)(6) wrote:

MK –

See draft (thank you, Betsy!) with some of our edits for the “Monty email” (just using shorthand).

Dena will circulate options for a reaction statement (if we need it).

V.

From: "Iverson, Dena (PAO)" (b)(6)

To: "Henthorne, Betsy (OASG)" (b)(6)

Cc: "Gupta, Vanita (OASG)" (b)(6)

Subject: Re: draft email

Date: Mon, 10 Apr 2023 01:25:23 +0000

Importance: Normal

What if (b)(5)

Sent from my iPhone

On Apr 9, 2023, at 9:16 PM, Henthorne, Betsy (OASG) (b)(6) wrote:

Just you two: I think (b)(5)

From: Iverson, Dena (PAO) (b)(6)

Sent: Sunday, April 9, 2023 9:15 PM

To: Klapper, Matthew B. (OAG) (b)(6); Gupta, Vanita (OASG) (b)(6)

Cc: Miller, Marshall (ODAG) (b)(6); Henthorne, Betsy (OASG) (b)(6);

Walker, Rhea (JMD) (b)(6)

Subject: RE: draft email

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From: "Klapper, Matthew B. (OAG)" (b)(6)

To: "Gupta, Vanita (OASG)" (b)(6) "Miller, Marshall (ODAG)"
(b)(6), "Henthorne, Betsy (OASG)" (b)(6)

Cc: "Iverson, Dena (PAO)" (b)(6)

Subject: RE: draft email

Date: Tue, 11 Apr 2023 00:45:20 +0000

Importance: Normal

Attachments: email_DRAFT_v2_mlm_mk.docx

Edits tracked, with one comment noting need for conversation. I gave Monty a heads up that we'd be coming to him with a draft tomorrow and he's standing by.

From: Gupta, Vanita (OASG) (b)(6)

Sent: Sunday, April 9, 2023 8:50 PM

To: Klapper, Matthew B. (OAG) (b)(6); Miller, Marshall (ODAG)
(b)(6) Henthorne, Betsy (OASG) (b)(6)

Cc: Iverson, Dena (PAO) (b)(6)

Subject: FW: draft email

Duplicative Material

From: "Miller, Marshall (ODAG)" (b)(6)

To: "Henthorne, Betsy (OASG)" (b)(6), "Gupta, Vanita (OASG)" (b)(6)

Cc: "Iverson, Dena (PAO)" (b)(6)

Subject: RE: draft email

Date: Mon, 10 Apr 2023 00:18:25 +0000

Importance: Normal

Attachments: email_DRAFT_v2_mlm.docx

Some edits in the attached. Should we add Klapper to this chain?

From: Henthorne, Betsy (OASG) (b)(6)

Sent: Sunday, April 9, 2023 7:47 PM

To: Gupta, Vanita (OASG) (b)(6); Miller, Marshall (ODAG) (b)(6)

Cc: Iverson, Dena (PAO) (b)(6)

Subject: RE: draft email

Some updates and responses in the attached.

From: Gupta, Vanita (OASG) (b)(6)

Sent: Sunday, April 9, 2023 1:49 PM

To: Henthorne, Betsy (OASG) (b)(6); Miller, Marshall (ODAG) (b)(6)

Cc: Iverson, Dena (PAO) (b)(6)

Subject: RE: draft email

Reupping with a few edits/questions from me. This would be the (b)(5)

Meanwhile, Dena is working up options for day of comment.

From: Henthorne, Betsy (OASG) (b)(6)

Sent: Friday, March 31, 2023 9:56 AM

To: Gupta, Vanita (OASG) (b)(6); Miller, Marshall (ODAG) (b)(6)

Subject: draft email

Here is something to shoot at. I (b)(5)

From: "Henthorne, Betsy (OASG)" (b)(6)

To: "Iverson, Dena (PAO)" (b)(6)

Subject: docs

Date: Fri, 07 Apr 2023 17:33:35 -0000

Importance: Normal

Attachments: email_DRAFT.docx; 2022.12.21_Draft_RI_Letter_(clean).docx

Let me know if you have questions about either of these. I am free until 2:30 if you want to touch base.

Betsy Henthorne | Chief of Staff
Office of the Associate Attorney General
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mobile: (b)(6)

From: "Henthorne, Betsy (OASG)" (b)(6)

To: "Gupta, Vanita (OASG)" (b)(6)

Cc: "Mizer, Benjamin (OASG)" (b)(6)

Subject: AGAC memo

Date: Wed, 15 Mar 2023 02:14:06 +0000

Importance: Normal

Attachments: 2023.01.23_SCS_AGAC_Memo.pdf

Vanita – reupping for tomorrow AM.

Betsy Henthorne | Chief of Staff
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From: "Kohlman, Abby K. (OLA)" (b)(6)

To: "Henthorne, Betsy (OASG)" (b)(6)

Subject: FW:

Date: Tue, 17 Jan 2023 20:21:54 +0000

Importance: Normal

Embedded: RE: _Mayors_Safe-Injection_Response; Fwd: _Mayors_Safe-Injection_Response

Hey Betsy – this follow my email from last week re (b)(6). Do you have a second to chat? She wanted to talk about the same issues with the DEA Administrator.

Abigail Kay Kohlman

Chief of Staff / Senior Counsel

U.S. Department of Justice

Office of Legislative Affairs

(b)(6)

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From: Antell, Kira M. (OLA) (b)(6)

Sent: Tuesday, January 17, 2023 3:17 PM

To: Hanson, Matthew B. (OLA) (b)(6); Kohlman, Abby K. (OLA)

(b)(6)

Subject:

From: "Henthorne, Betsy (OASG)" (b)(6)

To: "Gupta, Vanita (OASG)" (b)(6)

Subject: updated memo

Date: Fri, 13 Jan 2023 04:29:20 +0000

Importance: Normal

Attachments: 2023.01.12_SCS_AGAC_Memo_draft.docx;
2023.01.12_SCS_AGAC_Memo_draft_REDLINE.docx

This includes responses to your feedback, as well as some from Ashley—her comments which were mostly about organization and I think were very smart. Attaching a redline so you can see the changes, but the moves make it a little unwieldy.

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From: "Robertson, Ashley E. (ODAG)" (b)(6)

To: "Henthorne, Betsy (OASG)" (b)(6)

Subject: RE: agac

Date: Wed, 11 Jan 2023 20:59:24 -0000

Importance: Normal

Attachments: 2023.01.09_SCS_AGAC_Memo_draft_+ar.docx

Betsy – This is great. ODAG is so lucky that you took the pen (and I am personally very grateful). My edits in the attached, and almost all were minor edits to framing/organization with this audience in mind. I had two edits/questions in the (b)(5) section that might be worth discussing.

From: Henthorne, Betsy (OASG) (b)(6)

Sent: Monday, January 9, 2023 11:30 PM

To: Robertson, Ashley E. (ODAG) (b)(6)

Subject: agac

See attached current draft—it is long, but I think it's important to include (b)(5). Thoughts welcome, especially if you think anything is missing, redundant, conclusive, etc. I also sent to ASG for her thoughts and will reread in the morning with fresh eyes.

Betsy Henthorne | Chief of Staff
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From: "Maltby, Jeremy (ODAG)" (b)(6)

To: "Forbes, Carlton (ODAG)" (b)(6)

Subject: FW: SH issue

Date: Tue, 03 Jan 2023 18:37:59 -0000

Importance: Normal

Attachments: (b)(5); 2022.12.21_Draft_RI_Letter_(clean).docx

Here is the background – when this came in I assumed you were included – sorry that I missed it

From: Miller, Marshall (ODAG) (b)(6)

Sent: Friday, December 30, 2022 11:24 AM

To: Robertson, Ashley E. (ODAG) (b)(6); BenAry, Michael (ODAG)

(b)(6); Maltby, Jeremy (ODAG) (b)(6)

Subject: SH issue

(b)(5)

I'm attaching the latest version of the RI letter (b)(5)

I'm going to ask Winnie to set up a meeting on Tuesday to discuss next steps, which will include (b)(5)

Thanks!

Marshall L. Miller

Principal Associate Deputy Attorney General

U.S. Department of Justice

W (b)(6)

M (b)(6)

(b)(6)