

NIAAA Proposed Re-organization

June 10, 2015

Public hearing of proposed organizational change as
required by the Public Health Service Act

Establish the Division of Medications Development (DMD)

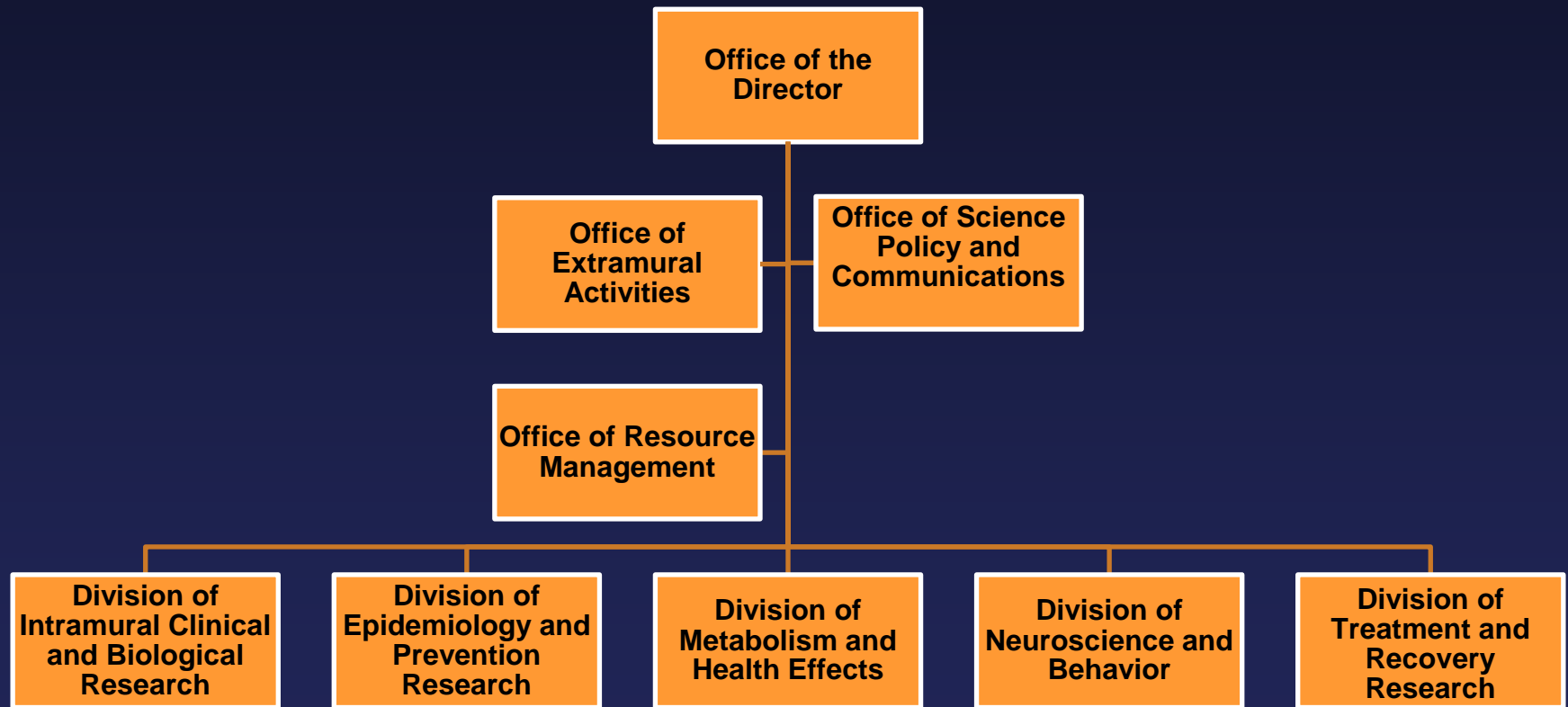
Impact:

- Better reflection of NIAAA Priorities
- Increased emphasis on medications development efforts focused on treating alcohol use disorders (AUD)
- Change is budget neutral and will utilize existing resources within the institute.

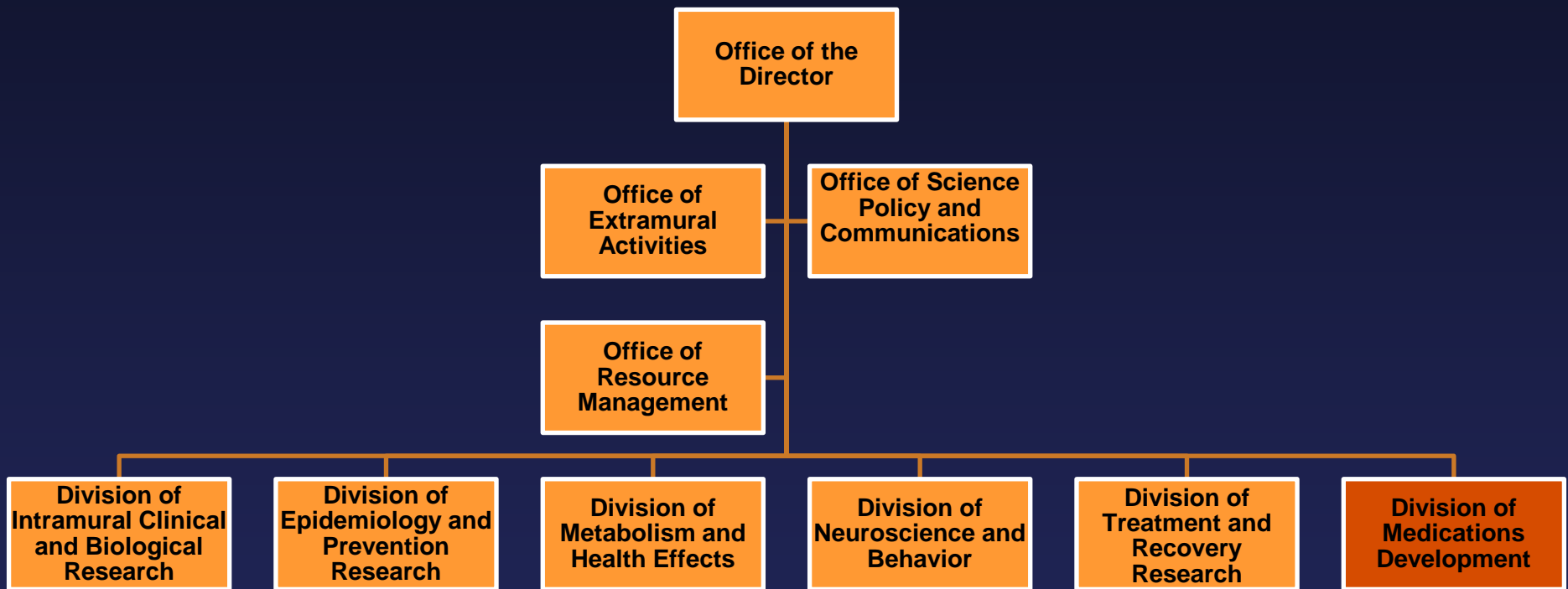
DMD – Proposed Responsibilities

- Plans, develops, supports and manages the medications development program to treat alcohol use disorder
- Develop and standardize preclinical and clinical laboratory screening models to test promising medications
- Advance personalized medicine to predict favorable responses to specific medications
- Advises the NIAAA Director on advances in drug development and coordinates program to establish institute objectives

Existing NIAAA Organizational Structure



Proposed NIAAA Organizational Structure



Questions or Comments?

- Please email NIAAReOrgComments@mail.nih.gov by 5:00 pm EDT, July 17, 2015.
- The email should include your name and, when applicable, your professional affiliation.
- NIAAA will respond to your email by July 24, 2015.