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Department of Health and Human Services

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Office of Research

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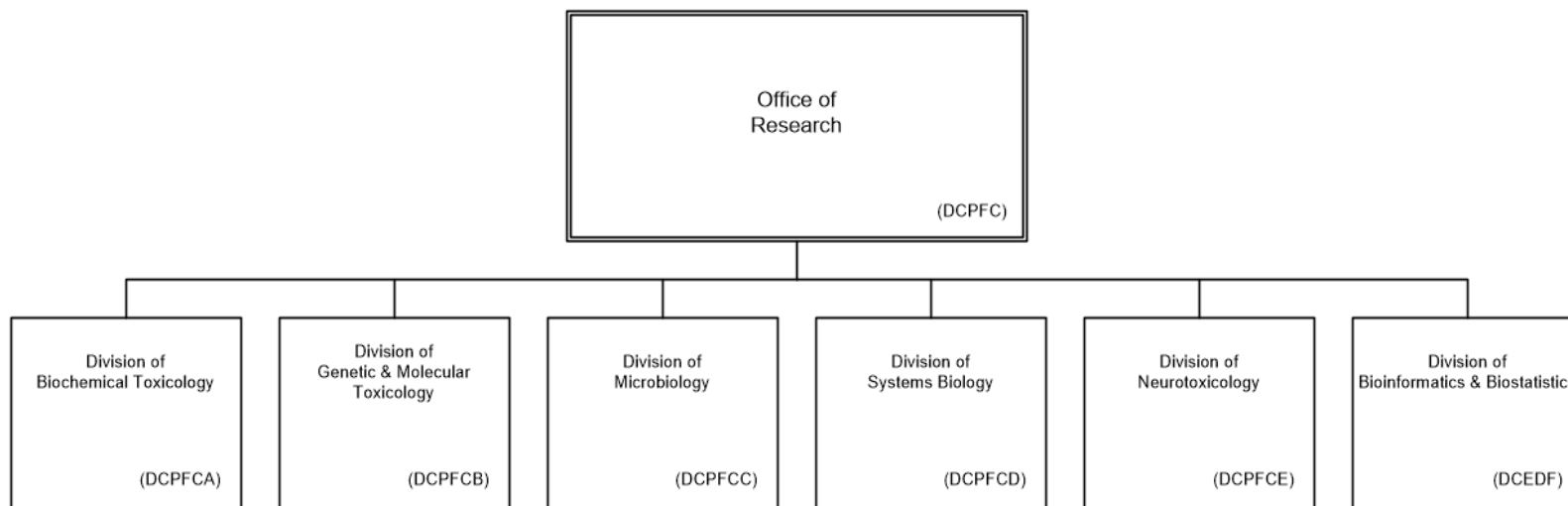
1. Office of Research (DCPFC).

- A. Organizes, plans, and directs Center research programs in accordance with Center-wide strategic direction. Implements Center-wide strategies for achieving annual and long-range plans for research.
- B. Provides leadership and direction for communications among scientific and administrative staffs.
- C. Reviews all Center protocols for scientific integrity and insures that requirements such as Instructional Review Board requirements are met. Evaluates and reviews the adequacy of research resources, and appraises the technical aspects and contributions of Center science programs.
- D. Evaluates and interprets results of scientific research, and initiates and recommends action as appropriate to implement policy changes.
- E. Coordinates with other Center and Agency components and top level officials of other Agencies to provide input for long-term research planning in responsible program areas. Ensures that programs implemented are responsive to the Center's portion of the Agency's integrated research plan.

2. Authority and Effective Date.

The functional statements for the Office of Research were approved by the Secretary of Health and Human Services and effective on December 14, 2018.

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The following is the Department of Health and Human Services, Food and Drug Administration, Office of the Chief Scientist, National Center for Toxicological Research, Office of Research organization structure depicting all the organizational structures reporting to the Director:

These organizations report to the Office of Research (DCPFC):

Division of Biochemical Toxicology (DCPFCA)

Division of Genetic and Molecular Toxicology (DCPFCB)

Division of Microbiology (DCPFCC)

Division of Systems Biology (DCPFCD)

Division of Neurotoxicology (DCPFCE)

Division of Bioinformatics and Biostatistics (DCPFCF)