

## **APPENDIX F-4: MEMBERSHIP OF DIETARY GUIDELINES ADVISORY COMMITTEE SUBCOMMITTEES AND WORKING GROUP**

### **SUBCOMMITTEE AND WORKING GROUP STRUCTURE**

The 2020 Dietary Guidelines Advisory Committee included 6 Subcommittees and 1 Cross-Cutting Working Group. The purpose of the Subcommittees and Working Group was to review evidence for the topics and questions specified by the Departments of Agriculture and of Health and Human Services. Each group conducted its work between the Committee's meetings and reported on its work to the full Committee at its meetings, all of which were held publicly. At these public meetings, the full Committee discussed and made decisions regarding the Subcommittees' and the Working Group's scientific reviews. The conclusions and advice included in the Committee's report were reached with consensus across the full Committee.

*Work structure from Meeting 1 through completion of the report.*

#### **Dietary Patterns Subcommittee**

Carol Boushey (Chair)  
Barbara Schneeman (Chair/Vice Chair Representative)  
Jamy Ard  
Lydia Bazzano  
Steven Heymsfield  
Elizabeth Mayer-Davis  
Joan Sabaté  
Linda Snetselaar  
Linda Van Horn

#### **Pregnancy and Lactation Subcommittee**

Sharon Donovan (Chair)  
Ronald Kleinman (Chair/Vice Chair Representative)  
Kathryn Dewey  
Rachel Novotny  
Jamie Stang  
Elsie Taveras

### **Birth to Age 24 Months Subcommittee**

Kathryn Dewey (Chair)  
Ronald Kleinman (Chair/Vice Chair Representative)  
Lydia Bazzano  
Teresa Davis  
Sharon Donovan  
Elsie Taveras

### **Beverages and Added Sugars Subcommittee**

Elizabeth Mayer-Davis (Chair)  
Barbara Schneeman (Chair/Vice Chair Representative)  
Heather Leidy  
Richard Mattes  
Timothy Naimi  
Rachel Novotny

### **Dietary Fats and Seafood Subcommittee**

Linda Snetselaar (Chair)  
Barbara Schneeman (Chair/Vice Chair Representative)  
Regan Bailey  
Joan Sabaté  
Linda Van Horn

### **Frequency of Eating Subcommittee**

Steven Heymsfield (Chair)  
Ronald Kleinman (Chair/Vice Chair Representative)  
Carol Boushey  
Heather Leidy  
Richard Mattes

## **Data Analysis and Food Pattern Modeling – Cross-Cutting Working Group**

Regan Bailey (Chair)  
Barbara Schneeman (Chair/Vice Chair Representative)  
Jamy Ard  
Teresa Davis  
Timothy Naimi  
Jamie Stang

## **Subcommittee Chairs Meetings**

At various times throughout the Committee's operation, the Chair and Vice Chair held calls with the Subcommittee and Working Group chairs to coordinate work, review the timeline, and discuss cross-cutting issues.

## **WRITING GROUP STRUCTURE**

The Chair and Vice Chair established a writing group to support development of **Part B. Chapter 2: Integrating the Evidence**. This group included representatives from across the Subcommittees and Cross-Cutting Working Group to ensure the chapter captured the major themes of the Committee's work. This chapter was discussed during Subcommittee meetings and reviewed by the members before presentation at the Committee's June 17, 2020, Meeting to discuss the Draft Report.

*Writing group structure from March 2020, when the need was identified, through completion of the report.*

## **Integration Writing Group**

Barbara Schneeman (Chair)  
Ronald Kleinman (Vice Chair)  
Jamy Ard  
Teresa Davis  
Richard Mattes  
Jamie Stang  
Elsie Taveras  
Linda Van Horn