

ICARE Member Report

- Department of Health and Human Services
- Principal Federal agency for protecting the health of all Americans and providing essential human services, especially for those who are least able to help themselves

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- Major topics of interest in epilepsy research
 - Common definitions/data elements for the epilepsies
 - Prevention
- Types of research support or other activities
 - Inventory of HHS activities, organized by IOM recommendations
 - ACL's University Centers for Education on Developmental Disabilities
 - AHRQ's Evidence Report: *Effectiveness and Safety of Antiepileptic Medications in Patients with Epilepsy*

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- Resources available for shared use or other opportunities for collaboration
 - UCEDD network
 - HHS Working Group

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- **Priorities and/or plans for future activities**
 - Connecting with other parts of HHS, particularly CMS (Medicare, Medicaid, Innovation Centers)
 - Connecting with other Departments
 - Extending educational efforts into the UCEDD network