

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Health Resources and Services Administration**

**Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request**

Periodically, the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) publishes abstracts of information collection requests under review by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB), in compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). To request a copy of

the clearance requests submitted to OMB for review, call the HRSA Reports Clearance Office on (301) 443-1129.

The following request has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget for review under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995:

**Proposed Project: Data System for Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network (42 CFR Part 121, OMB No. 0915-0184): Extension**

The operation of the Organ Procurement and Transplantation Network (OPTN) necessitates certain recordkeeping and reporting requirements in order to perform the functions related to organ

transplantation under contract to HHS. This is a request for an extension of the current recordkeeping and reporting requirements associated with the OPTN. These data will be used by HRSA in monitoring the contracts for the OPTN and the Scientific Registry of Transplant Recipients (SRTR) and in carrying out other statutory responsibilities. Information is needed to monitor compliance of member organizations with OPTN rules and requirements, to ensure that all qualified entities are accepted for membership in the OPTN, and to ensure patient safety.

**Estimated Annual Reporting and Recordkeeping Burden**

Section and activity	Number of respondents	Responses per respondents	Total responses	Hours per response	Total burden hours
121.3(b)(2): OPTN membership requirements for OPOs, hospitals, and histocompatibility laboratories .....	40	1	40	45	1,800
121.3: Application for Non-Institutional Members .....	20	1	20	10	200
121.3(b)(4): Appeal for OPTN membership .....	2	1	2	3	6
121.6(c) (Reporting): Submitting criteria for organ acceptance .....	900	1	900	0.5	450
121.6(c) (Disclosure): Sending criteria to OPOs .....	900	1	900	0.5	450
121.7(b)(4): Reasons for Refusal .....	900	38	34,200	0.5	17,100
121.7(e): Transplant to prevent organ wastage .....	260	1.5	390	0.5	195
121.9(b): Designated Transplant Program Requirements .....	10	1	10	5.0	50
121.3: Personnel Change Application .....	324	1	324	10	3,240
121.9(d): Appeal for designation .....	2	1	2	6	12
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>974</b>	<b>.....</b>	<b>39,704</b>	<b>.....</b>	<b>23,503</b>

Written comments and recommendations concerning the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of this notice to the desk officer for HRSA, either by e-mail to *OIRA\_submission@omb.eop.gov* or by fax to 202-395-6974. Please direct all correspondence to the "attention of the desk officer for HRSA."

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**National Institutes of Health**

**Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request; the Cardiovascular Health Study (CHS)**

**SUMMARY:** Under the provisions of Section 3507(a)(1)(D) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI), the National Institutes of

Health (NIH) has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) a request for review and approval the information collection listed below. This proposed information collection was previously published in the **Federal Register** on September 12, 2007, page 52155, and allowed 60 days for public comment. One comment was received. The purpose of this notice is to allow an additional 30 days for public comment. The National Institutes of Health may not conduct or sponsor, and the respondent is not required to respond to, any information collection that has been extended, revised, or implemented on or after October 1, 1995, unless it displays a currently valid OMB control number.

*Proposed Collection: Title:* The Cardiovascular Health Study. *Type of Information Request:* Reinstatement (OMB No. 0925-0334). *Need and Use of Information Collection:* This study quantifies associations between conventional and hypothetical risk factors and coronary heart disease (CHD) and stroke in people age 65 years and older. The primary objectives include quantifying associations of risk factors with subclinical disease;

characterizing the natural history of CHD and stroke; and identifying factors associated with clinical course. The findings provide important information on cardiovascular disease in an older U.S. population and lead to early treatment of risk factors associated with disease and identification of factors that may be important in disease prevention. OBM clearance is being sought for data collection activities at only one of the four CHS field centers (the Pittsburgh field center), which are expected to end on May 31, 2008. Other data collection efforts in the CHS cohort are supported by various non-contract funding sources. *Frequency of response:* Twice a year (participants) or once per cardiovascular disease event (proxies); *Affected public:* Individuals. *Types of Respondents:* Individuals recruited for CHS and their selected proxies. The annual reporting burden is as follows: *Estimated Number of Respondents:* 467; *Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent:* 1.2; and *Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours Requested:* 281. The annualized cost to respondents is estimated at: \$5,225.

There are no capital, operating, or maintenance costs to report.