rules of section 1848(g) of the Act would not apply. Subpart D and the supporting regulations counter the effect of certain provisions of Medicare law that, absent section 4507 of BBA 1997, preclude physicians and practitioners from contracting privately with Medicare beneficiaries to pay without regard to Medicare limits. Physicians and/or practitioners use these information collection requirements to comply with the law. In addition, Medicare carriers use this information to determine if benefits should be paid or continued. *Form Number:* CMS–R–234 (OCN 0938–0730). *Frequency:* Biennially. *Affected Public:* Private sector (business or other for-profits). *Number of Respondents:* 26,820. *Total Annual Responses:* 26,820. *Total Annual Hours:* 7,197. (For policy questions regarding this collection contact Fred Grabau at 410–786–0206. For all other issues call 410–786–1326.)

5. *Type of Information Collection Request:* Extension without change of a currently approved collection. *Title of Information Collection:* Request for Employment Information. *Use:* This form is used by the Social Security Administration to obtain information from employers regarding whether a Medicare beneficiary's coverage under a group health plan is based on current employment status. *Form Number:* CMS–R–297 (OCN 0938–0787). *Frequency:* Once. *Affected Public:* Private sector (business or other for-profit and not-for-profit institutions). *Number of Respondents:* 15,000. *Total Annual Responses:* 15,000. *Total Annual Hours:* 3,750. (For policy questions regarding this collection contact Lindsay Smith at 410–786–6843. For all other issues call 410–786–1326.)

To obtain copies of the supporting statement and any related forms for the proposed paperwork collections referenced above, access CMS' Web site address at *http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PaperworkReductionActof1995,* or Email your request, including your address, phone number, OMB number, and CMS document identifier, to *Paperwork@cms.hhs.gov,* or call the Reports Clearance Office on (410) 786–1326.

In commenting on the proposed information collections please reference the document identifier or OMB control number. To be assured consideration, comments and recommendations must be submitted in one of the following ways by June 3, 2013:

1. *Electronically.* You may submit your comments electronically to *http://www.regulations.gov.* Follow the instructions for ''Comment or Submission'' or ''More Search Options'' to find the information collection document(s) accepting comments.

2. *By regular mail.* You may mail written comments to the following address: CMS, Office of Strategic Operations and Regulatory Affairs, Division of Regulations Development, Attention: Document Identifier/OMB Control Number _____, Room C4–26–05, 7500 Security Boulevard, Baltimore, Maryland 21244–1850.

Dated: March 29, 2013.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Administration for Children and Families

Proposed Information Collection Activity: Comment Request

Title: Innovative Strategies for Increasing Self-Sufficiency: Follow-Up Data Collection.

OMB No.: 0970–0397.

Description: The Administration for Children and Families (ACF), U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), is proposing a data collection activity as part of the Innovative Strategies for Increasing Self-Sufficiency (ISIS) demonstration and evaluation. The ISIS project will test a range of promising career pathways strategies to promote education, employment, and self-sufficiency. The major goals of the ISIS project include increasing the empirical knowledge about the effectiveness of a variety of programs for low-income individuals and families to achieve educational credentials, attain employment and advance to positions that enable self-sufficiency, as well as producing useful findings for both policymakers and program administrators.

This proposed information collection activity focuses on collecting follow-up data elements approximately fifteen months after program enrollment. Baseline data collection instruments were previously approved under OMB No. 0970–0397.

The purpose of this information collection effort is to follow-up with study participants, document the experiences of program participants, examine differences in service receipt and educational experiences between program and control group members, describe the intervention as it was implemented in each site and assess the extent to which it was implemented as intended, and assess the implications for intervention scalability and sustainability.

Specifically, this data will be collected using the following instruments: (a) A follow-up survey which will be administered to all study participants approximately 15 months following enrollment in the study; (b) a modification to the Baseline Information Form requesting some basic information about all of the study participant's children (if applicable); (c) interview guides for the in-person visits to the intervention sites to structure discussions with program leadership/managers, instructional staff, case managers/advisors, partners and employers; (d) a brief survey for instructional staff; (e) a brief survey for case managers/advisors; (f) a brief study participant check-in call; and (g) in-depth interviews with a sample of study participants. Respondents: Individuals enrolled in the ISIS demonstration programs, control group members, ISIS program/partner staff (including program leadership, case managers and instructional staff), and other local informants.

ANNUAL BURDEN ESTIMATES

Instrument	Total number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden hours per response	Total burden hours	Average annual burden hours
#1 Basic Information Form Modification	5,645	1	0.05	282	94
#2 15 Month Follow-up Survey, no child roster	6,998	1	0.833	5,829	1943
#2 15 Month Follow-up Survey, with child roster	1,562	1	1	1,562	521
#2 15 Month Follow-Up Survey, Additional HPOG Questions	2,974	1	0.083	247	82

ANNUAL BURDEN ESTIMATES—Continued

Instrument	Total number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden hours per response	Total burden hours	Average annual burden hours
#3 Program Leadership/Managers/Supervisors Interview Guide	46	1	2	92	31
#3 Instructional Staff Interview Guide	58	1	2	116	39
#3 Case Managers/Advisor Interview Guide	50	1	2	100	33
#3 Partners Interview Guide	54	1	2	108	36
#4 Case Managers/Advisors Online Survey	90	1	0.5	45	15
#5 Manager/Supervisor Online Survey	43	1	0.5	22	7
#6 Instructional Staff Online Survey	136	1	0.5	68	23
#7 Study Participant Interview Guide	210	2	2.083	875	292
#7 Study Participant Check-in Call	210	1	0.16	34	11
Total Burden Hours: New Collection	.....	.....	.....	9,380	3,127

Additional Information: Copies of the proposed collection may be obtained by writing to the Administration for Children and Families, Office of Planning, Research and Evaluation, 370 L'Enfant Promenade, SW., Washington, DC 20447, Attn: OPRE Reports Clearance Officer. All requests should be identified by the title of the information collection. Email address: *OPREinfocollection@acf.hhs.gov*.

OMB Comment: OMB is required to make a decision concerning the collection of information between 30 and 60 days after publication of this document in the **Federal Register**. Therefore, a comment is best assured of having its full effect if OMB receives it within 30 days of publication. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent directly to the following: Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reduction Project, *Email*: *OIRA_SUBMISSION@OMB.EOP.GOV*, *Attn:* Desk Officer for the Administration for Children and Families.

Steven M. Hanmer,

Reports Clearance Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. FDA–2013–N–0001]

2013 Parenteral Drug Association/Food and Drug Administration Joint Regulatory Conference: Driving Quality and Compliance Throughout the Product Life Cycle in a Global Regulatory Environment

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice of public conference.

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA), in co-sponsorship with the Parenteral Drug Association (PDA), is announcing a public conference titled ''Driving Quality and Compliance Throughout the Product Life Cycle in a Global Regulatory Environment.'' The conference will cover current issues affecting the industry as well as explore strategies and approaches for ensuring conformance with regulations to facilitate the development and continuous improvement of safe and effective medical products. The conference establishes a unique forum to discuss the foundations, emerging technologies and innovations in regulatory science, as well as the current quality and compliance areas of concerns. Meeting participants will hear from FDA and industry speakers about the requirements and best practices to consider while implementing robust quality systems in order to deliver the best quality product.

Date and Time: The public conference will be held on September 16, 2013, from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m.; September 17, 2013, from 7:30 a.m. to 6:15 p.m.; and September 18, 2013, from 7:30 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

Location: The public conference will be held at the Renaissance Washington Hotel, 999 9th St. NW., Washington, DC 20001, 202–898–9000, FAX: 202–289–0947.

Contact: Wanda Neal, Parenteral Drug Association, PDA Global Headquarters, Bethesda Towers, 4350 East West Hwy., suite 200, Bethesda, MD 20814, 301–656–5900, ext. 111, FAX: 301–986–1093, email: *info@pda.org* or Ken Nolan, Office of the Commissioner, Food and Drug Administration, 10903 New Hampshire Ave., Bldg. 32, rm. 5314, Silver Spring, MD 20993, 301–796–8629, email: *kenneth.nolan@fda.hhs.gov.*

Accommodations: Attendees are responsible for their own accommodations. To make reservations at the Renaissance Washington Hotel at the reduced conference rate, contact the Renaissance Washington Hotel (see *Location*)—cite the meeting code ''PDA.'' Room rates are: Single or Double: $299, plus 14.5 percent State and local taxes. Reservations can be made on a space and rate availability basis.

Registration: Attendees are encouraged to register at their earliest convenience. The PDA registration fees cover the cost of facilities, materials, and refreshments. Seats are limited; please submit your registration as soon as possible. Conference space will be filled in order of receipt of registration. Those accepted for the conference will receive confirmation. Registration will close after the conference is filled. Onsite registration will be available on a space available basis on each day of the public conference beginning at 7 a.m. on September 16, 2013. The cost of registration is as follows: