

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Zenaida Delgado, Federal Acquisition Policy Division, GSA, 202-969-7207 or via email zenaida.delgado@gsa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

A. Purpose

It is the Government's policy to try to resolve all contractual issues by mutual agreement at the contracting officer's level without litigation. Reasonable efforts should be made to resolve controversies prior to submission of a contractor's claim. The Contract Disputes Act of 1978 (41 U.S.C. 7103) requires that claims exceeding \$100,000 must be accompanied by a certification that (1) the claim is made in good faith; (2) supporting data are accurate and complete; and (3) the amount requested accurately reflects the contract adjustment for which the contractor believes the Government is liable. The information, as required by FAR clause 52.233-1, Disputes, is used by a contracting officer to decide or resolve the claim. Contractors may appeal the contracting officer's decision by submitting written appeals to the appropriate officials.

B. Public Comment

A 60-day notice published in the **Federal Register** at 83 FR 44052, on August 29, 2018. No comments were received.

C. Annual Reporting Burden

Respondents: 4,500.

Responses per Respondent: 3.

Annual Responses: 13,500.

Hours per Response: 1.

Total Burden Hours: 13,500.

Obtaining Copies of Proposals:

Requesters may obtain a copy of the information collection documents from the General Services Administration, Regulatory Secretariat Division (MVCB), 1800 F Street NW, Washington, DC 20405, telephone 202-501-4755. Please cite OMB Control No. 9000-0035, Claims and Appeals, in all correspondence.

Dated: November 28, 2018.

Janet Fry,

Director, Federal Acquisition Policy Division, Office of Governmentwide Acquisition Policy, Office of Acquisition Policy, Office of Governmentwide Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Health Resources and Services Administration

National Advisory Council on Nurse Education and Practice

AGENCY: Health Resources and Service Administration (HRSA), The Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: HHS is hereby giving notice that the charter for the National Advisory Council on Nurse Education and Practice (NACNEP) has been renewed. The effective date of the renewed charter is November 30, 2018.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Tracy Gray, MBA, MS, RN, Designated Federal Official, NACNEP, HRSA, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Maryland 20857. Phone: 301-443-3346; email: tgray1@hrsa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Secretary of HHS (Secretary), and by delegation, the Administrator of HRSA, are charged under Title VIII of the Public Health Service Act, as amended, with responsibility for a wide range of activities in support of nursing education and practice which include: Enhancement of the composition of the nursing workforce, improvement of the distribution and utilization of nurses to meet the health needs of the nation, expansion of the knowledge, skills, and capabilities of nurses to enhance the quality of nursing practice, development and dissemination of improved models of organization, financing and delivery of nursing services and promotion of interdisciplinary approaches to the delivery of health services, particularly in the context of public health and primary care.

NACNEP advises the Secretary and Congress on policy issues related to Title VIII programs administered by HRSA's Bureau of Health Workforce. Title VIII programs include, but are not limited to, issues relating to nurse workforce supply, education, and practice improvement. Meetings are held not less than twice a year. Renewal of the NACNEP charter authorizes the Council to operate until November 30, 2020.

A copy of the NACNEP charter is available on the NACNEP website at: <http://www.hrsa.gov/advisorycommittees/bhpradvisory/nacnep/index.html>. A copy of the charter also can be obtained by accessing the FACA database that is maintained by the Committee

Management Secretariat under the General Services Administration. The website address for the FACA database is <http://www.facadatabase.gov/>.

Amy P. McNulty,

Acting Director, Division of the Executive Secretariat.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

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Agency Information Collection Request; 60-Day Public Comment Request

AGENCY: Office of the Secretary, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the requirement of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Office of the Secretary (OS), Department of Health and Human Services, is publishing the following summary of a proposed collection for public comment.

DATES: Comments on the ICR must be received on or before February 1, 2019.

ADDRESSES: Submit your comments to Sherrette.Funn@hhs.gov or by calling (202) 795-7714.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: When submitting comments or requesting information, please include the document identifier 0990-0275-60D, and project title for reference, to Sherrette Funn, the Reports Clearance Officer, Sherrette.funn@hhs.gov, or call 202-795-7714.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Interested persons are invited to send comments regarding this burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including any of the following subjects: (1) The necessity and utility of the proposed information collection for the proper performance of the agency's functions; (2) the accuracy of the estimated burden; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology to minimize the information collection burden.

Title of the Collection: Implementation of an Electronic Spreadsheet-Based Uniform Data Set for OMH-funded Activities.

Type of Collection: Revision.
OMB No.: 0990-0275; Office of the Secretary, Office of Minority Health.

Abstract: The Office of Minority Health is seeking an approval on a

revision to a currently approved collection OMB # 0990-0275. The revised data collection activities seeks to further streamline the current questions grantees are asked by reducing the number of questions, and reduce the cost of the data collection system by using a more cost efficient alternative to the Performance Data System, (PDS) web-based portal. The overall reduction in questions will reduce the number of burden hours on grantees. The movement from a customized web-based portal to reporting using commercial, off-the shelf software (*i.e.*, a spreadsheet)

significantly reduces the cost of performance data collection and reporting. To collect program management and performance data for all OMH-funded projects, grantee data collection via the Uniform Data Set, UDS (original data collection system) was first approved by OMB on June 7, 2004 (OMB No. 0990-275).

Need and Proposed Use of the Information: The clearance is needed to continue performance data collection to enable OMH to comply with Federal reporting requirements, monitor, and evaluate performance by enabling the efficient collection of performance-oriented data tied to OMH-wide

performance reporting needs. The ability to monitor and evaluate performance in this manner, and to work towards continuous program improvement are basic functions that OMH must be able to accomplish in order to carry out its mandate with the most effective and appropriate use of resources.

Likely Respondents: Respondents for this data collection include the project directors for OMH-funded projects and/or the data entry persons for each OMH-funded project. Affected public includes non-profit institutions, State, Local, or Tribal Governments.

ANNUALIZED BURDEN HOUR TABLE

Forms (If necessary)	Respondents (If necessary)	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondents	Average burden per response	Total burden hours
Performance Reporting Template	Non-profit institutions, State, Local, or Tribal Governments.	130	4	45/60	390
Total	130	4	45/60	390

Terry Clark,
Paperwork Reduction Act Reports Clearance Officer, Office of the Secretary.
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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

National Institute of Nursing Research; Notice of Meeting

Pursuant to section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended, notice is hereby given of a meeting of the National Advisory Council for Nursing Research.

The meeting will be open to the public as indicated below, with attendance limited to space available. Individuals who plan to attend and need special assistance, such as sign language interpretation or other reasonable accommodations, should notify the Contact Person listed below in advance of the meeting.

The meeting will be closed to the public in accordance with the provisions set forth in sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5 U.S.C., as amended. The grant applications and the discussions could disclose confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable material, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the grant applications, the disclosure of which

would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

Name of Committee: National Advisory Council for Nursing Research.

Date: January 29-30, 2019.

Open: January 29, 1:00 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Agenda: Discussion of Program Policies and Issues.

Place: National Institutes of Health, Natcher Building, 45 Center Drive, Room D, Bethesda, MD 20892.

Closed: January 30, 2019, 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

Place: National Institutes of Health, Natcher Building, 45 Center Drive, Room D, Bethesda, MD 20892.

Contact Person: Marguerite Littleton Kearney, Ph.D., RN, FAAN, Director Division of Extramural Science Programs, National Institute of Nursing Research, National Institutes of Health, 6701 Democracy Boulevard, Room 708, Bethesda, MD 20892, 301-402-7932, *marguerite.kearnet@nih.gov*.

Any interested person may file written comments with the committee by forwarding the statement to the Contact Person listed on this notice. The statement should include the name, address, telephone number and when applicable, the business or professional affiliation of the interested person.

In the interest of security, NIH has instituted stringent procedures for entrance onto the NIH campus. All visitor vehicles, including taxicabs, hotel, and airport shuttles will be inspected before being allowed on campus. Visitors will be asked to show one form of identification (for example, a government-issued photo ID, driver's license, or passport) and to state the purpose of their visit.

Information is also available on the Institute's/Center's home page: <https://www.ninr.nih.gov/aboutninr/nacnr>, where an agenda and any additional information for the meeting will be posted when available. (Catalogue of Federal Domestic Assistance Program Nos. 93.361, Nursing Research, National Institutes of Health, HHS)

Dated: November 27, 2018.

Sylvia L. Neal,

Program Analyst, Office of Federal Advisory Committee Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

National Institutes of Health

Evaluating the Therapeutic Potential of Cannabinoids: How To Conduct Research Within the Current Regulatory Framework

AGENCY: National Institutes of Health, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This workshop on December 8, 2018, sponsored by the National Center for Complementary and Integrative Health (NCCIH), a component of the National Institutes of Health (NIH), will bring together researchers, governmental officials, and industry representatives to discuss the processes and issues related to conducting cannabinoid research.