

requirements, and that procedural determinations are made before case development occurs, or a conference or hearing is scheduled. If there is a procedural defect, the defect may result in a dismissal or may require an opportunity for the appellant to resolve the defect. If an adjudication time frame applies to the case, a procedural defect may delay the start of, or extend, the adjudication time frame. When the procedural review is complete, and any identified defects have been resolved, and any applicable determinations have been made, the case moves forward in the adjudication process. Specialized procedural review is required for requests for expedited hearings in Part D appeals; however, a hearing may be scheduled before the screening is complete and any procedural defects are resolved, to facilitate meeting the expedited adjudication period.

*OCPM Chapter 6: CMS, CMS Contractor, Plan Roles—Sections 6.3.1.1, 6.3.2*

This chapter was initially released on July 27, 2018, and was included in a quarterly notice published in the November 14, 2018 **Federal Register** (83 FR 56859). Sections 6.3.1.1 and 6.3.2 of this chapter state that a Unified Program Integrity Contractor (UPIC) cannot elect party status in an appeal, and may only participate as a non-party. As initially published, these sections cited to CMS's Medicare Program Integrity Manual, internet-only manual publication 100-08, chapter 4, section 4.8.2, which previously stated that a Zone Program Integrity Contractor (ZPIC) could not elect party status in an appeal, and section 4.1, which stated that all references to ZPICs shall also apply to UPICs, unless otherwise specified in the UPIC Statement of Work (SOW). Effective October 22, 2018, CMS revised the Medicare Program Integrity Manual to directly state that a UPIC cannot invoke party status, and can only participate in OMHA proceedings as a non-party. This revision to OCPM 6.3.1.1 and 6.3.2 updates footnotes in these sections to reflect the CMS manual's revised language. This revision does not change the way that OMHA interprets or implements the underlying policy that a UPIC cannot elect party status.

Dated: July 2, 2019.

**Karen W. Ames,**

*Executive Director, Office of Medicare Hearings and Appeals.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Institutes of Health

#### Notice To Announce Request for Information on the Development of the National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research's Strategic Plan for Fiscal Years 2020–2025

**AGENCY:** National Institutes of Health, HHS.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research (NIDCR) is drafting its Strategic Plan for Fiscal Years (FY) 2020–2025 to help guide the research it supports over the next six years. NIDCR 2030 established five priority areas and accompanying goals, which we're now using to organize the 2020–2025 Strategic Plan. Through this Request for Information, NIDCR invites researchers in academia and industry, health care professionals, patient advocates and health advocacy organizations, scientific or professional organizations, Federal agencies, and other interested members of the public to provide feedback on NIDCR's next strategic plan.

**DATES:** The NIDCR's Request for Information is open for public comment for a period of 30 days. Comments must be received by August 15, 2019, to ensure consideration. After the public comment period has closed, the comments received by the NIDCR will be considered in a timely manner for the development of the FY 2020–2025 National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research's Strategic Plan.

**ADDRESSES:** Please visit our website to view the priority areas and provide your feedback electronically: <https://www.nidcr.nih.gov/about-us/strategic-plan/2020-2025-nidcr-strategic-plan>. Feedback can also be submitted via email ([NIDCRstrategicPlan@nidcr.nih.gov](mailto:NIDCRstrategicPlan@nidcr.nih.gov)).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** D. Jonathan Horsford, Ph.D. Acting Director, Office of Science Policy and Analysis, National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research, NIH, 31 Center Drive, Suite 5B55, Bethesda, MD 20892. Email: [Jonathan.Horsford@NIH.gov](mailto:Jonathan.Horsford@NIH.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research's (NIDCR) mission is to improve the health of the nation through investments in research focused on dental, oral, and craniofacial (DOC) diseases including caries, periodontal disease, cancers, orofacial pain,

craniofacial disorders, salivary gland disorders, rare diseases, and oral manifestations of systemic diseases. In 2017, NIDCR launched NIDCR 2030, a visioning initiative where we imagined a future world in which DOC health and diseases are understood in the context of the whole body and research transforms how we promote health, treat disease, and overcome health disparities. To get us there, NIDCR requests your help in developing our 2020–2025 Strategic Plan.

Dated: July 9, 2019.

**Martha J. Somerman,**

*Director, National Institute of Dental and Craniofacial Research, National Institutes of Health.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

### Coast Guard

[Docket No. USCG-2019-0258]

#### Collection of Information Under Review by Office of Management and Budget; OMB Control Number: 1625-0048

**AGENCY:** Coast Guard, DHS.

**ACTION:** Thirty-day notice requesting comments.

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 the U.S. Coast Guard is forwarding an Information Collection Request (ICR), abstracted below, to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB), Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs (OIRA), requesting approval for reinstatement, without change, of the following collection of information: 1625-0048, Vessel Reporting Requirements. Our ICR describes the information we seek to collect from the public. Review and comments by OIRA ensure we only impose paperwork burdens commensurate with our performance of duties.

**DATES:** Comments must reach the Coast Guard and OIRA on or before August 15, 2019.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments identified by Coast Guard docket number [USCG-2019-0258] to the Coast Guard using the Federal eRulemaking Portal at <https://www.regulations.gov>. Alternatively, you may submit comments to OIRA using one of the following means:

(1) Email: [OIRA-submission@omb.eop.gov](mailto:OIRA-submission@omb.eop.gov).

(2) *Mail*: OIRA, 725 17th Street NW, Washington, DC 20503, attention Desk Officer for the Coast Guard.

(3) *Fax*: 202-395-6566. To ensure your comments are received in a timely manner, mark the fax, attention Desk Officer for the Coast Guard.

A copy of the ICR is available through the docket on the internet at <https://www.regulations.gov>. Additionally, copies are available from: Commandant (CG-612), Attn: Paperwork Reduction Act Manager, U.S. Coast Guard, 2703 Martin Luther King Jr. Ave. SE, STOP 7710, Washington, DC 20593-7710.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Mr. Anthony Smith, Office of Information Management, telephone 202-475-3532, or fax 202-372-8405, for questions on these documents.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

**Public Participation and Request for Comments**

This notice relies on the authority of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995; 44 U.S.C. chapter 35, as amended. An ICR is an application to OIRA seeking the approval, extension, or renewal of a Coast Guard collection of information (Collection). The ICR contains information describing the Collection's purpose, the Collection's likely burden on the affected public, an explanation of the necessity of the Collection, and other important information describing the Collection. There is one ICR for each Collection.

The Coast Guard invites comments on whether this ICR should be granted based on the Collection being necessary for the proper performance of Departmental functions. In particular, the Coast Guard would appreciate comments addressing: (1) The practical utility of the Collection; (2) the accuracy of the estimated burden of the Collection; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of information subject to the Collection; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the Collection on respondents, including the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. Consistent with the requirements of Executive Order 13771, Reducing Regulation and Controlling Regulatory Costs, and Executive Order 13777, Enforcing the Regulatory Reform Agenda, the Coast Guard is also requesting comments on the extent to which this request for information could be modified to reduce the burden on respondents. These comments will help OIRA determine whether to approve the ICR referred to in this notice.

We encourage you to respond to this request by submitting comments and

related materials. Comments to Coast Guard or OIRA must contain the OMB Control Number of the ICR. They must also contain the docket number of this request, [USCG-2019-0258], and must be received by August 15, 2019.

**Submitting Comments**

We encourage you to submit comments through the Federal eRulemaking Portal at <https://www.regulations.gov>. If your material cannot be submitted using <https://www.regulations.gov>, contact the person in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section of this document for alternate instructions. Documents mentioned in this notice, and all public comments, are in our online docket at <https://www.regulations.gov> and can be viewed by following that website's instructions. Additionally, if you go to the online docket and sign up for email alerts, you will be notified when comments are posted.

We accept anonymous comments. All comments received will be posted without change to <https://www.regulations.gov> and will include any personal information you have provided. For more about privacy and the docket, you may review a Privacy Act notice regarding the Federal Docket Management System in the March 24, 2005, issue of the **Federal Register** (70 FR 15086).

OIRA posts its decisions on ICRs online at <http://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain> after the comment period for each ICR. An OMB notice of Action on each ICR will become available via a hyperlink in the OMB Control Number: 1625-0048.

**Previous Request for Comments**

This request provides a 30-day comment period required by OIRA. The Coast Guard has published the 60-day notice (84 FR 19096, May 3, 2019) required by 44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2). That notice elicited no comments. Accordingly, no changes have been made to the Collections.

**Information Collection Request**

*Title*: Vessel Reporting Requirements.  
*OMB Control Number*: 1625-0048.

*Summary*: Owners, Charterers, Managing Operators, or Agents of U.S. vessels must immediately notify the Coast Guard if they believe the vessel may be lost or in danger. The Coast Guard uses this information to investigate the situation and, when necessary, plan appropriate search and rescue operations.

*Need*: Section 2306(a) of 46 U.S.C. requires the owner, charterer, managing operator, or an agent of vessel of the

United States to immediately notify the Coast Guard if: (1) There is reason to believe that the vessel may have been lost or imperiled, or (2) more than 48 hours have passed since last receiving communication from the vessel. These reports must be followed by written confirmation submitted to the Coast Guard within 24 hours. The implementing regulations are contained in 46 CFR part 4.

*Forms*: None.

*Respondents*: Businesses or other for profit organizations.

*Frequency*: On occasion.

*Hour Burden Estimate*: The estimated burden has increased from 137 hours to 138 hours a year, due to an adjustment in the agencies estimate. The change in annual burden is an ADJUSTMENT (*i.e.*, increase) due to a mathematical error in the agencies estimate in the previous submission. There is no proposed change to the reporting requirements of this collection. The reporting requirements and methodology for calculating burden, remains unchanged.

*Authority*: The Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995; 44 U.S.C. chapter 35, as amended.

Dated: July 11, 2019.

**James D. Roppel,**

*Chief, Office of Information Management,  
U.S. Coast Guard.*

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**DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY**

**Office of the Secretary**

[Docket No. DHS-2019-0035]

**DHS Data Privacy and Integrity Advisory Committee**

**AGENCY**: Department of Homeland Security Privacy Office.

**ACTION**: Committee management; request for applicants for appointment to the DHS Data Privacy and Integrity Advisory Committee.

**SUMMARY**: The Department of Homeland Security Privacy Office seeks applicants for appointment to the DHS Data Privacy and Integrity Advisory Committee.

**DATES**: Applications for membership must reach the Department of Homeland Security Privacy Office at the address below on or before August 15, 2019.

**ADDRESSES**: If you wish to apply for membership, please submit the documents described below to Sandra Taylor, Designated Federal Officer, DHS Data Privacy and Integrity Advisory