other than their time. Based on a maximum of 12 EIs per year and 100 participants each, the estimated annualized burden hours are 600.

ESTIMATED ANNUALIZED BURDEN HOURS

Type of respondents	Form name	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden per response (in hours)	Total burden (in hours)
Exposure Investigation Participants ..	Chemical Exposure Questions	1,200	1	30/60	600
Total	.....	.....	.....	.....	600

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Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

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Proposed Data Collection Submitted for Public Comment and Recommendations

AGENCY: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

ACTION: Notice with comment period.

SUMMARY: The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), as part of its continuing effort to reduce public burden and maximize the utility of government information, invites the general public and other Federal agencies the opportunity to comment on a continuing information collection, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. This notice invites comment on a proposed information collection project titled U.S. National Authority for Containment of Poliovirus Data Collection Tools. Data collection will capture information relating to a poliovirus containment breach or incident at a U.S. facility and will assist the U.S. National Authority for Containment of Poliovirus (U.S. NAC) in the initial stages of the investigation into the breach, and also gather information regarding personal protective equipment and practices used for work and/or storage of infectious materials or potentially infectious at laboratory facilities.

DATES: CDC must receive written comments on or before January 3, 2025.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by Docket No. CDC–2024–0087 by either of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal: www.regulations.gov.* Follow the instructions for submitting comments.
- *Mail:* Jeffrey M. Zirger, Information Collection Review Office, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1600 Clifton Road NE, MS H21–8, Atlanta, Georgia 30329.

Instructions: All submissions received must include the agency name and Docket Number. CDC will post, without change, all relevant comments to *www.regulations.gov.*

Please note: Submit all comments through the Federal eRulemaking portal (*www.regulations.gov*) or by U.S. mail to the address listed above.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request more information on the proposed project or to obtain a copy of the information collection plan and instruments, contact Jeffrey M. Zirger, Information Collection Review Office, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1600 Clifton Road NE, MS H21–8, Atlanta, Georgia 30329; Telephone: 404–639–7570; Email: *omb@cdc.gov.*

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA) (44 U.S.C. 3501–3520), Federal agencies must obtain approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for each collection of information they conduct or sponsor. In addition, the PRA also requires Federal agencies to provide a 60-day notice in the **Federal Register** concerning each proposed collection of information, including each new proposed collection, each proposed extension of existing collection of information, and each reinstatement of previously approved information collection before submitting the collection to the OMB for approval. To comply with this requirement, we are publishing this notice of a proposed data collection as described below.

The OMB is particularly interested in comments that will help:

1. Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
2. Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
3. Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected;
4. Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, *e.g.,* permitting electronic submissions of responses; and
5. Assess information collection costs.

Proposed Project

U.S. National Authority for Containment of Poliovirus Data Collection Tools (OMB Control No. 0920–1424, Exp. 12/31/2026)—Revision—Office of Readiness and Response (ORR), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention CDC)

Background and Brief Description

The role of the National Authority for Containment of Poliovirus (U.S. NAC) is to ensure that the requirements established in the World Health Organization (WHO) Global Action Plan (GAP) III/IV standard are effectively implemented and maintained in facilities working with or storing infectious poliovirus or potentially infectious materials.

Risk assessments following an incident are a critical component for adequate application of the GAP standard. To support risk assessment activities, The Facility Incident Reporting Form for Poliovirus Release and Potential Exposure and the Facility Incident Reporting Form for Poliovirus Theft or Loss was created for facilities to capture and submit incident

information to the U.S. NAC. These forms will not only address the biosafety and biosecurity containment emergency elements of the GAP standard but will also inform the U.S. NAC risk assessments and thereby, guide CDC's determination of the emergency response level and direction.

The information collected in the Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Survey for Laboratories will assist the CDC, U.S. NAC and NIOSH with developing guidance and recommendations for PPE selection and use in support of poliovirus containment as well as identify laboratory PPE commonly used to evaluate laboratory PPE performance characteristics in testing studies.

Information collected in the GAP Poliovirus Containment Poliovirus-Essential Facility Assessment Checklist will aid U.S. facilities in preparing for an audit to obtain a poliovirus certificate of containment. Data collected from the GAP Poliovirus Containment Poliovirus-Essential Facility Questionnaire will collect additional information on poliovirus materials held by a U.S. facility, their work activities, and facility features.

The Poliovirus Containment Sampling Plan and Sanitation Assessment Form for Wastewater (WW) Systems Supporting a Poliovirus-Essential Facility (PEF) in the United States will collect information to assess poliovirus essential facility's wastewater system, the primary safeguards to reduce and control the release of poliovirus from the facility. In addition, it will verify the safeguards of local wastewater utilities that receive wastewater from the PEF.

The Appeals and Complaints form is a new form that will be made available by the U.S. NAC of Poliovirus and will allow facilities or persons to appeal or forward complaints based on services provided. This form can be used to appeal or initiate complaints with regards to specific survey outreach that had been conducted or decisions rendered by the audit team after an audit.

OMB approval is sought for three years. The annualized estimated time burden for this information collection is 129 hours. There is no cost to respondents other than their time.

ESTIMATED ANNUALIZED BURDEN HOURS

Type of respondents	Form name	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden per response (in hours)	Total burden (in hours)
Facility Staff/Leadership	Facility Incident Reporting Form for Poliovirus Release or Potential Exposure.	10	1	45/60	8
Facility Staff/Leadership	Facility Incident Reporting Form for Poliovirus Theft or Loss.	10	1	45/60	8
Facility Staff/Leadership	Personal Protective Equipment Survey for Laboratories.	20	1	1.5	30
Facility Staff/Leadership	GAP Poliovirus Containment Poliovirus-Essential Facility Questionnaire.	20	1	1.5	30
Facility Staff/Leadership	GAP Facility Assessment Checklist	20	1	1	20
Facility Staff/Leadership	The Poliovirus Containment Sampling Plan and Sanitation Assessment Form for Wastewater (WW) Systems Supporting a Poliovirus-Essential Facility (PEF) in the United States.	20	1	1.5	30
Facility Staff/Leadership	U.S. National Authority of Containment of Poliovirus ''Appeals and Complaints Form''.	10	1	15/60	3
Total					129

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Agency Forms Undergoing Paperwork Reduction Act Review

In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has submitted the information collection request titled ''National Healthcare Safety Network'' to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval. CDC previously published a ''Proposed Data Collection Submitted for Public Comment and Recommendations'' notice on April 23, 2024 to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies. CDC received two comments related to the previous notice. This notice serves to allow an additional 30 days for public and affected agency comments.

CDC will accept all comments for this proposed information collection project. The Office of Management and Budget is particularly interested in comments that:

(a) Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

(b) Evaluate the accuracy of the agencies estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(c) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected;

(d) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including, through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, *e.g.,* permitting electronic submission of responses; and

(e) Assess information collection costs.

To request additional information on the proposed project or to obtain a copy of the information collection plan and instruments, call (404) 639–7570. Comments and recommendations for the