OMB Comment: OMB is required to make a decision concerning the collection of information between 30 to 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, 725 17th Street, NW., Attn: ACF Desk Officer.

Dated: August 18, 1999.

Bob Sargis,

Acting Reports Clearance Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Administration for Children and Families

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

Title: Adoption and Foster Care Analysis and Reporting System for Title IV–B and Title IV–E.

OMB No.: 0980–0267.

Description: Section 479 of title IV–E of the Social Security Act directs States to establish and implement an adoption and foster care reporting system. The purpose of the data collected is to inform State/Federal policy decisions, program management, and to respond to Congressional and Department inquiries. Specifically, the data is used for short/long-term budget projections, trend analysis, and to target areas for improved technical assistance. The data will provide information about foster care placements, adoptive parents, length of time in care, delays in termination of parental rights and placement for adoption.

Respondents: State, Local or Tribal Govt.

Annual Burden Estimates:

Instrument	Number of respondents		Average burden hours per response	Total burden hours
Adoption and Foster Care Analysis and Reporting Systems	51	2	3,251	331,.602

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 331,602.

Additional Information: Copies of the proposed collection may be obtained by writing to The Administration for Children and Families, Office of Information Services, Division of Information Resource Management Services, 370 L'Enfant Promenade, SW; Washington, DC 20447, Attn: ACF Reports Clearance Officer.

OMB Comment: OMB is required to make a decision concerning the collection of information between 30 to 60 days after publication of this document in the **Federal Register**. Therefore, a comment is best assured of having its full effect is 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, 725 17th Street, NW., Washington, D.C. 20503, Attn: ACF Desk Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. 99N–1392]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request; State Enforcement Notification

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing that the proposed collection of information listed below has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

DATES: Submit written comments on the collection of information by September 23, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Submit written comments on the collection of information to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, OMB, New Executive Office Bldg., 725 17th St. NW., rm. 10235, Washington, DC 20503, Attn: Wendy Taylor, Desk Officer for FDA.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Peggy Schlosburg, Office of Information Resources Management (HFA–250), Food and Drug Administration, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, 301–827–1223.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In compliance with 44 U.S.C. 3507, FDA has submitted the following proposed collection of information to OMB for review and clearance.

State Enforcement Notification—21 CFR 100.2(d) (OMB Control Number 0910–0275)—Extension

Section 310(b) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (the act) (21 U.S.C. 337(b)) authorizes States to enforce certain sections of the act in their own names, but provides that States must notify FDA before doing so. Section 100.2(d) (21 CFR 100.2(d)) sets forth the information that a State must provide to FDA in a letter of notification when it intends to take enforcement action under the act against a particular food located in the State. The information required under § 100.2(d) will enable FDA to identify the food against which the State intends to take action and advise the State whether Federal action has been taken against it. With certain narrow exceptions, Federal enforcement action precludes State action under the act.

In the **Federal Register** of June 8, 1999 (64 FR 30525), the agency requested comments on the proposed collections of information. No comments were received.

FDA estimates the burden of this collection of information as follows:

TABLE 1.—ESTIMATED ANNUAL REPORTING BURDEN[1]

21 CFR Section	No. of Respondents	Annual Frequency per Response	Total Annual Responses	Hours per Response	Total Hours
100.2(d)	1	1	1	10	10

[1] There are no capital costs or operating and maintenance costs associated with this collection of information.

The reporting burden for § 100.2(d) is insignificant because enforcement notifications are seldom submitted by States requesting the agency take enforcement action under the act against a particular food. Over the last 3 years, FDA has not received any enforcement notifications. Since the enactment of section 403A(b) of the act (21 U.S.C. 343–1(b)) as part of the Nutrition Labeling and Education Act of 1990, FDA has received only a few enforcement notifications.

Although FDA believes that the burden will be insignificant, it believes these information collection provisions should be extended to provide for the potential future obligation of a State to notify FDA of an enforcement action under the provisions of section 310(b) of the act.

Dated: August 18, 1999.

William K. Hubbard,

Senior Associate Commissioner for Policy, Planning and Legislation.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

Microbiological Safety of Drug Residues in Food; Public Workshop

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice of workshop.

The Food and Drug Administration (FDA), Center for Veterinary Medicine (CVM) will sponsor a workshop entitled ''Microbiological Safety of Drug Residues in Food.'' The workshop will discuss the use of model systems to establish acceptable daily intakes (ADI's) for antimicrobial drug residues in food. The workshop will focus on human consumption of new animal drug residues in food and their direct effects on human intestinal microflora.

The document entitled ''A Proposed Framework for Evaluating and Assuring the Human Safety of the Microbial Effects of Antimicrobial New Animal Drugs Intended for Use in Food–Producing Animals'' (the ''framework'' document) will not be discussed at this workshop. Information about workshops on the framework document will be announced in a future **Federal Register** notice, CVM update(s), and on CVM's Internet home page, at ''http://www.fda.gov/cvm/fda/mappgs/antitoc.html''.

Date and Time: The workshop will be held on Monday and Tuesday, September 20 to 21, 1999, from 8 a.m to 6 p.m. on Monday and from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Tuesday.

Location: The workshop will be held at The DoubleTree Hotel, 1750 Rockville Pike, Rockville, MD, 20852, 301–468–1100.

Contact: Lynda W. Cowatch, Center for Veterinary Medicine (HFV–150), Food and Drug Administration, 7500 Standish Pl., Rockville, MD 20855, 301–827–5281.

Registration: The registration for the workshop is free. However, registration is required. For additional information and a registration form, please contact Lynda W. Cowatch at the above address. A registration form is also available on the CVM home page at ''http://www.fda.gov/cvm/fda/mappqs/registration.html''.

If you need special accommodations for a disability, please contact the DoubleTree Hotel at least 7 days in advance.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In the **Federal Register** of January 30, 1996 (61 FR 3043), CVM published a notice of availability of a guidance document entitled ''Microbiological Testing of Antimicrobial Drug Residues in Food.'' This guidance document defines when antimicrobial drugs would be exempt from additional microbiological testing and when additional testing may be necessary to establish the safety of antimicrobial drug residues in food. The document also establishes 1.5 milligrams/person/day as the ADI of microbiologically active residues that would be allowed in food without additional microbiological testing. CVM also expressed the intention of validating model systems that could be used to evaluate the effect of low levels of antimicrobial drugs on the human intestinal microflora.

In 1995 and 1996, CVM initiated research to validate an in vitro and an in vivo model system that could be used to set ADI's for antimicrobial drug residues in food based on perturbations of the human intestinal microflora. The results of this research will be presented at the September workshop. In addition, other methods for determining ADI's for antimicrobial residues used internationally and in Europe will be presented and discussed.

Based on the information presented and discussed at the workshop, CVM intends to reevaluate its guidance document for testing microbiological effects of antimicrobial residues on the human intestinal microflora.

Dated: August 17, 1999.

Margaret M. Dotzel,

Acting Associate Commissioner for Policy.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Health Care Financing Administration

[HCFA–1076–N]

Medicare Program; September 16, 1999, Meeting of the Competitive Pricing Advisory Committee

AGENCY: Health Care Financing Administration (HCFA), HHS.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with section 10(a) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, this notice announces a meeting of the Competitive Pricing Advisory Committee (the CPAC) on September 16, 1999. The Balanced Budget Act of 1997 (BBA) requires the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services (the Secretary) to establish a demonstration project under which payments to Medicare+Choice organizations in designated areas are determined in accordance with a competitive pricing methodology. The BBA requires the Secretary to create the CPAC to make recommendations on demonstration area designation and appropriate research designs for the project. The CPAC meetings are open to the public.

DATES: The CPAC is scheduled to meet on September 16, 1999, from 9 a.m. until 4 p.m., e.d.s.t.