

February 9, 2000; 8:30 a.m.–10:30 a.m.P=’02’≤

Place: Washington Court Hotel, 525 New Jersey Avenue, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20001. Phone: (202) 628–2100.

The meeting is open to the public.

Purpose: The National Advisory Committee on Rural Health provides advice and recommendations to the Secretary with respect to the delivery, research, development, and administration of health care services in rural areas.

Agenda: Monday morning, February 7, at 8:30 a.m. the new chairperson, Senator Nancy Kassebaum Baker will open the meeting and welcome the Committee members. The first plenary session will be a presentation on the rural health issues in the Veterans Administration. At 10:00 a.m. the group will move to the National Rural Health Association’s Policy Institute Congressional Forum (also convened in the same hotel). After lunch, presentations will include the Kaiser Commission on Medicaid and the uninsured; update on public health and hospital capital, and the Indian Health Service.

Tuesday morning at 8:30 a.m., there will be an update of the Office of Rural Health Policy activities, followed by presentations on Medicare payment in rural areas, rural mental issues, and an update on research and regulatory activities.

After lunch, Committee discussion will continue on issues presented by the Indian Health Service, and Veterans Administration.

The final plenary session will be convened on Wednesday, February 9 at 8:30 a.m. During this session the Committee will discuss future activities and next meeting. The meeting will be adjourned at 10:30 a.m.

Anyone requiring information regarding the subject Committee should contact Wayne W. Myers, M.D., Executive Secretary, National Advisory Committee on Rural

Health, Health Resources and Services Administration, Room 9A–55, Parklawn Building, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, telephone (301) 443–0835, Fax (301) 443–2803.

Persons interested in attending any portion of the meeting should contact Sandi Lyles or Lilly Smetana, Office of Rural Health Policy, (301) 443–0835.

Dated: January 14, 2000.

Jane M. Harrison,

Director, Division of Policy Review and Coordination.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Indian Health Service

Request for Public Comment: 60-Day Proposed Collection: Common Reporting Requirements for Urban Indian Health Program; Republication

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SUMMARY: In compliance with Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, to provide a 60-day advance opportunity for public comment on proposed information collection projects, the Indian Health Service (IHS) is publishing for comment a summary of a proposed information

collection to be submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review.

Proposed Collection

Title: 09–17–0007, “Common Reporting Requirements for Urban Indian Health Program.” **Type of Information Collection Request:** Extension of currently approved information collection, 09–17–0007, “Common Reporting Requirements for Urban Indian Health Program,” which expires February 28, 2000. **Form Number:** Reporting formats contained in the Indian Health Service Urban Indian Health Programs Common Reporting Requirements Instruction Manual. **Need and Use of Information Collection:** American Indian/Alaska Native (AI/AN) urban health organization contracting with the IHS provide the information collected. The information is collected annual and is used to monitor contractor performance, prepare budget reports, allocate resources, and evaluate the urban health contract program.

Affected Public: Businesses or other for-profit organizations, individuals, not-for-profit institutions, and State, local, or Tribal Government. **Type of Respondents:** health care providers.

Table 1 below provides: Types of data collection instruments, Estimate number of respondents, Number of responses per respondent, Annual Number of Responses, Average burden hour per response, and total annual burden hour.

Data collection instructions	Estimated number or respondents	Responses per respondent	Annual number of responses	Average burden hr per response ¹	Total annual burden hours
Face Sheet	34	1	34	0.50 (30 mins)	17.0
Table 1	34	1	34	2.00 (120 mins)	68.0
Table 2	34	1	34	0.75 (45 mins)	26.0
Table 3	34	1	34	22.25 (135 mins) ..	77.0
Table 4	² 23	1	23	0.50 (30 mins)	12.0
Table 5	34	1	34	2.00 (120 mins)	68.0
Table 6	34	1	34	2.00 (120 mins)	68.0
Table 7	34	1	34	1.00 (60 mins)	34.0
Table 8	34	1	34	1.25 (75 mins)	43.0
Total	295		295		413.0

¹For ease of understanding, burden hours are also provided in actual minutes.

²Excludes urban Indian health projects with no medical component.

There are no Capital Costs, Operating Costs, and/or Maintenance Costs to report.

Request for Comments

Your written comments and/or suggestions are invited on one or more of the following points: (a) Whether the information collection activity is necessary to carry out an agency function; (b) whether the agency

processes the information collected in a useful and timely fashion; (c) the accuracy of public burden estimate (the estimated amount of time needed for individual respondents to provide the requested information); (d) whether the methodology and assumption used to determine the estimate are logical; (e) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information being collected; and (f) ways to minimize the

public burden through the use of automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Send Comments and Request For Further Information: Send your written comments, requests for more information of the proposed collection, or requests to obtain a copy of the data collection instrument(s) and

instructions to: Mr. Lance Hodahkwens, Sr., M.P.H. IHS Reports Clearance Officer, 12300 Twinbrook Parkway, Suite 450, Rockville, MD 20852.1601: call non-toll free (301) 443-5938, send via facsimile to (301) 443-2316, or send your E-mail requests, comments, and return address to: 1hodahkw@hqe.ihs.gov.

Comment Due Date: Your comments regarding this information collection are best assured of having their full effect if received on or before March 14, 2000.

Dated: January 7, 2000.

Michael H. Trujillo,

Assistant Surgeon General Director.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Office of Inspector General

Program Exclusions: December 1999

AGENCY: Office of Inspector General, HHS.

ACTION: Notice of program exclusions.

During the month of December 1999, the HHS Office of Inspector General imposed exclusions in the cases set forth below. When an exclusion is imposed, no program payment is made

to anyone for any items or services (other than an emergency item or service not provided in a hospital emergency room) furnished, ordered or prescribed by an excluded party under the Medicare, Medicaid, and all Federal Health Care programs. In addition, no program payment is made to any business or facility, e.g., a hospital, that submits bills for payment for items or services provided by an excluded party. Program beneficiaries remain free to decide for themselves whether they will continue to use the services of an excluded party even though no program payments will be made for items and services provided by that excluded party. The exclusions have national effect and also apply to all Executive Branch procurement and non-procurement programs and activities.

Subject city, state	Effective date
PROGRAM-RELATED CONVICTIONS:	
ARIAS, MIGUEL DEPAULA, MIAMI, FL	01/19/2000
ASENCIO, MARIO, MIAMI, FL	01/19/2000
BAKER, ROBERT L, ST ROBERTS, MO	01/19/2000
BUNNA, JASON, SOLEDAD, CA	01/19/2000
DUPUY, SIDNEY J III, BREAUX BRIDGE, LA	01/19/2000
DUZAN, ROBIN, SOUTH SHORE, KY	01/19/2000
EDMONDS, DOROTHY A, BATON ROUGE, LA	01/19/2000
FERGUSON, RUTH, WICHITA, KS	01/19/2000
FLETCHER, JOHN D JR, CHARLESTON, SC	03/08/1900
GORDON, ALICE J, MARIANNA, FL	01/19/2000
HELLYER, DANIEL, MALTA, MT	01/19/2000
HOFFMAN, JAYNE, LAWRENCEVILLE, GA	01/19/2000
HOFFMAN, MARK D, LAWRENCEVILLE, GA	01/19/2000
JOSEPH, MORGAN, MOUSIE, KY	01/19/2000
JUDGE, DANIEL BARKSDALE, RIVERSIDE, CA	01/19/2000
LOFTON, BARBARA P, VESTAVIA HILLS, AL	01/19/2000
NEAL, ROY GLENN, IRVINE, KY	01/19/2000
NEAL, BESSIE, IRVINE, KY	01/19/2000
PETERSON, CHERYL, LINCOLN, NE	01/19/2000
REGINS, KATHRYN S, BATON ROUGE, LA	01/19/2000
SHACK, CAESAR SALANTO, JACKSONVILLE, FL	01/19/2000
WIEMAN, WILLIAM, GRAHAM, WA	01/19/2000
YANG, ROBERT CHANG-CHUN JR, LAND O'LAKES, FL	01/19/2000
FELONY CONTROL SUBSTANCE CONVICTION:	
SLACK, JUDITH A., LONGMONT, CO	01/19/2000
PATIENT ABUSE/NEGLECT CONVICTIONS:	
BAKER, GARY J, ANCHORAGE, AK	01/19/2000
BORER, STEPHANIE M, BUCYRUS, OH	01/19/2000
COLELLO, NATALIE D, PROVIDENCE, RI	01/19/2000
COLEMAN, SALLIE B, SALUDA, SC	01/19/2000
ELLYSON, REBEKKA ANN, CHICO, CA	01/19/2000
JONES, CHRISTIE, BLACKVILLE, SC	01/19/2000
KHAFAGA, MERVAT, CLEVELAND, OH	01/19/2000
MERCHANT, DAVID L, WINDSOR, VT	01/19/2000
OGUNDAPO, VANESSA I, CLEVELAND, OH	01/19/2000
ROGERS, ROY, SANTA MONICA, CA	01/19/2000
WILLIAMS, JACKSON, SYRACUSE, NY	01/19/2000
WOODS, WENDY L, CLEVELAND, OH	01/19/2000
YOUNG, NORD LEVERNE, SAN FRANCISCO, CA	01/19/2000
CONVICTION FOR HEALTH CARE FRAUD:	
NEAVETH, BRANDON RAY, DENVER, CO	01/19/2000
QUINONES, CATHERINE, ALBUQUERQUE, NM	01/19/2000
LICENSE REVOCATION/SUSPENSION/SURRENDERED:	
ABNEY, LINDA A, COLUMBIA, SC	01/19/2000
ADLER, ROGER E, JAMES ISLAND, SC	01/19/2000
ALLMON-RODRIGUEZ, KAREN J, SAN BRUNO, CA	01/19/2000
ANDERSEN, SUZANNE, NOVATO, CA	01/19/2000
ANDREWS, CRYSTAL DAWN, SHERMAN, TX	01/19/2000
APADACA, RAYMOND T, VENTURA, CA	01/19/2000