

demographics, revenues and expenditures, and staffing. The dataset produced will be used to provide

national statistical estimates and will be the basis of the National Directory of

Mental Health Services. The annual burden estimate is as follows:

	Number of respondents	Annual number of responses per respondent	Average hours per response	Annual burden hours
Phase I	10,559	1	0.23	2,478
Specialty Mental Health Organizations	(3,235)	(1)	(00.20)	(647)
General Hospitals with Psychiatric Services	(1,374)	(1)	(00.25)	(343)
General Hospitals to be screened for Psychiatric Services	(4,080)	(1)	(00.25)	(1,020)
Community Residential Organizations	(1,275)	(1)	(00.25)	(319)
Managed Care Organizations	(595)	(1)	(00.25)	(149)
Phase II (Sample Survey)	3,229	1	2.0	6,939
Specialty Mental Health Organizations	(2,267)	(1)	(02.0)	(4,534)
General Hospitals with Psychiatric Services	(962)	(1)	(02.5)	(2,405)
Total	13,788	9,417

Send comments to Beatrice Rouse, SAMHSA Reports Clearance Officer, Room 16-105, Parklawn Building, 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857. Written comments should be received within 60 days of this notice.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

In compliance with Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 for opportunity for public comment on proposed data collection projects, the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services

Administration (SAMHSA) will publish periodic summaries of proposed projects. To request more information on the proposed projects or to obtain a copy of the data collection plans and instruments, call the SAMHSA Reports Clearance Officer on (301) 443-8005.

Comments are invited on: (a) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

Proposed Project

Community Mental Health Services (CMHS) Block Grant Application, FY98—Revision—The ADAMHA

Reorganization Act 42 U.S.C. 300x1-9 established the Community Mental Health Services Block Grant program which authorized block grants to States to provide community based mental health services. Under provision of the law, States may receive allotments only after an application is approved by the Secretary. Further, the Act requires States to submit to the Secretary a plan for providing comprehensive community mental health services to adults with a serious mental illness and to children with a serious emotional disturbance and an annual implementation report on the block grant fund activities for the previous year. This block grant program is administered by SAMHSA's Center for Mental Health Services (CMHS). The proposed application reflects the criteria, assurances, and requirements set forth in Pub. L. 102-321. The revision includes the consolidation of the criteria for application and reduced respondent burden.

The annual burden estimates are as follows:

	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden per response	Annual burden hours
States and Territories	59	1	210	12,390

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Agency Information Collection Activities: Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

Periodically, the Substance Abuse and Mental Health Services Administration