

Internet. CDRH maintains an entry on the Internet for easy access to information including text, graphics, and files that may be downloaded to a personal computer with access to the Internet. Updated on a regular basis, the CDRH home page includes the guidance "Alternative to Certain Prescription Device Labeling Requirements," device safety alerts, **Federal Register** reprints, information on premarket submissions (including lists of approved applications and manufacturers' addresses), small manufacturers' assistance, information on video conferencing and electronic submissions, mammography matters, and other device-oriented information. The CDRH home page may be accessed at <http://www.fda.gov/cdrh>. The guidance "Alternative to Certain Prescription Device Labeling Requirements" will be available at <http://www.fda.gov/cdrh/oc>.

**IV. Comments**

Interested persons may at any time, submit written comments regarding this guidance document to the contact person listed above. Such comments will be considered when determining whether to amend the current guidance.

Dated: January 9, 2000.

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Indian Health Service**

**Health Professions Preparatory, Pregraduate, and Indian Health Professions Scholarship Programs**

**AGENCY:** Indian Health Service, HHS.

**ACTION:** Update of Standing Notice of Availability of Funds for Health Professions Preparatory, Pregraduate, and Indian Health Professions Scholarship Programs published in 62 FR 5443, February 5, 1997.

**SUMMARY:** The Indian Health Service (IHS) announces the availability of approximately \$3,750,000 to fund scholarships for the for the Health Professions Preparatory and Pregraduate Scholarship Programs for FY 2000 awards. These programs are authorized by section 103 of the Indian Health Care Improvement Act (IHCIA), Pub.L. 94-437, as amended by Pub.L. 100-713, Pub.L. 102-573, and Pub.L. 104-313. The Indian Health Scholarship (Professions) authorized by section 104 of the IHCIA, Pub.L. 94-437, as amended by Pub.L. 100-713, Pub.L. 102-573, and Pub.L. 104-313, has approximately \$7,895,000 available for FY 2000 awards.

Part-time and full-time scholarships will be funded for each of the three scholarships programs for the academic year 2000-2001.

The Health Professions Preparatory Scholarship Grant Program is listed as

No. 93.123 in the Office of Management and Budget.

*Catalog of Federal Domestic Assistance* (CFDA). The Health Professions Pregraduate Scholarship Grant Program is listed as No. 93.971 and the Indian Health Professions Scholarship Grant Program is listed as No. 93.972 in the CFDA.

**DATE:** The application deadline for both new and continuing applicants is April 1, 2000. If April 1 falls on the weekend, the application will be due on the following Monday. Applications will be considered as meeting the deadline if they are received by the appropriate Scholarship Coordinator on the deadline date or postmarked on or before the deadline date. (Applicants should request a legibly dated U.S. Postal Service postmark or obtain a legibly dated receipt from a commercial carrier or U.S. Postal Service. Private metered postmarks will not be acceptable as proof of timely mailing.)

*Applications:* New applicants applying for scholarships under the three programs must use the forms contained in the "Application for Participation in the IHS Scholarship Program" (OMB No. 0917-0006, 04/30/2001). Application packets may be obtained by calling or writing to the addresses listed below.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Please address application inquiries to the appropriate Indian Health Service Area Scholarship Coordinator, as listed below.

IHS area office and States/locality served	Scholarship coordinator/address
Aberdeen Area IHS: Iowa, Nebraska, North Dakota, South Dakota .....	Ms. Lila Jean Topalian, Scholarship Coordinator, Aberdeen Area IHS, Federal Building, Room 309, 115 4th Avenue, SE., Aberdeen, SD 57401, Tele: 602-226-7553.
Alaska Area IHS: Alaska .....	Acting Scholarship Coordinator, Alaska Area IHS, 4141 Ambassador Drive, Rm. 349, Anchorage, Alaska 99508, Tele: 907-729-1332.
Albuquerque Area IHS: Colorado, New Mexico .....	Ms. Alvina Waseta, Scholarship Coordinator, Albuquerque Area IHS, 5300 Homestead Road, NE, Albuquerque, NM 87110, Tele: 505-248-4513.
Bemidji Area IHS: Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Wisconsin .....	Ms. Barbara Fairbanks, Scholarship Coordinator, Bemidji Area IHS, 522 Minnesota Avenue, NW, Bemidji, MN 56601, Tele: 218-759-3350.
Billings Area IHS: Montana, Wyoming .....	Mr. Sandy MacDonald, Scholarship Coordinator, Billings Area IHS, Area Personnel Office, P.O. Box 2143, 2900 4th Avenue, North, Billings, MT 59103, Tele: 406-247-7210.
California Area IHS: California, Hawaii .....	Ms. Mona Celli, Scholarship Coordinator, California Area IHS, 1825 Bell Street, Suite 200, Sacramento, CA 95825, Tele: 916-566-7033.
Nashville Area IHS: Alabama, Arkansas, Connecticut, Delaware, Florida, Georgia, Kentucky, Louisiana, Maine, Maryland, Massachusetts, Mississippi, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Rhode Island, South Carolina, Tennessee, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia, District of Columbia.	Mr. Jesse Thomas, Scholarship Coordinator, Nashville Area IHS, 711 Stewarts Ferry Pike, Nashville, TN 37214, Tele: 615-736-2436.

IHS area office and States/locality served	Scholarship coordinator/address
Navajo Area IHS: Arizona, New Mexico, Utah .....	Ms. Roselinda Allison, Scholarship Coordinator, Navajo Area IHS, P.O. Box 9020, Window Rock, AZ 86515, Tele: 520-871-1422.
Oklahoma City Area IHS: Kansas, Missouri, Oklahoma .....	Ms. Barbara Roy, Scholarship Coordinator, Oklahoma City Area IHS, Five Corporate Plaza, 3625 NW 56th Street, Oklahoma City, OK 73112, Tele: 405-951-3939.
Phoenix Area IHS: Arizona, Nevada, Utah .....	Ms. Lena Fast Horse, Scholarship Coordinator, Phoenix Area IHS, Two Renaissance Square, 40 North Central Avenue, Suite #600, Phoenix, AZ 85004, Tele: 602-364-5220.
Portland Area IHS: Idaho, Oregon, Washington .....	Ms. Darlene Marcellay, Scholarship Coordinator, Portland Area IHS, 1220 SW Third Avenue, Rm. 440, Portland, OR 97204-2892, Tele: 503-326-2015.
Tucson Area IHS: Arizona, Texas .....	Mr. Cecil Escalante, Scholarship Coordinator, Tucson Area IHS, 7900 South J. Stock Road, Tucson, AZ 85746, Tele: 520-295-2441.

Other programmatic inquiries may be addressed to Ms. Rose Jerue, Chief, Scholarship Branch, Indian Health Service, Twinbrook Metro Plaza, Suite 100, 12300 Twinbrook Parkway, Rockville, Maryland, 20852; Telephone 301-443-6197. (This is not a toll free number.) For grants information, contact Ms. Margaret Griffiths, Acting Grants Scholarship Coordinator, Grants Management Branch, Division of Acquisition and Grants Operations, Indian Health Services, Room 100, 12300 Twinbrook Parkway, Rockville, Maryland, 20852; Telephone 301-443-0243. (This is not a toll-free number.)

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** An addition to the list of priority health professionals for Indian Health Scholarships (Professions) that was published in 62 FR 5443, February 5, 1997, is Coding Specialist-Certificate.

Deletions from the list of priority health professions for Indian Health Scholarships (Professions) that was published in 62 FR 5443, February 5, 1997, are Accounting (B.S.), Business Administration (B.S., M.B.A.), and Computer Science (B.S.).

A deletion from the list of priority career categories for Health Professions Preparatory scholarships is Pre-Accounting.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### National Institutes of Health

#### Proposed Data Collection; Comment Request; Clinical, Laboratory, and Epidemiologic Characterization of Individuals at High Risk of Cancer

**SUMMARY:** In compliance with the requirement of Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, for opportunity for public comment on proposed extension of existing data collection projects, the National Cancer Institute (NCI), the National Institutes of Health (NIH) will publish periodic summaries of proposed projects to be submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval.

#### Proposed Collection

*Title:* Clinical, Laboratory, and Epidemiologic Characterization of Individuals at High Risk of Cancer.

*Type of Information Collection Request:* Extension of OMB No. 0925-0194 (Expiration date 06/30/00).

*Need and Use of Information Collection:* This ongoing research study will identify cancer-prone persons in order to learn about cancer risk and cancer causes in individuals and families. The primary objectives of this research study are to utilize clinical, laboratory, and epidemiologic approaches in studies of individuals and families at high risk of cancer to identify and further characterize cancer susceptibility factor. Respondents are members of families in which multiple cancers are thought to have occurred. Information about the occurrence of cancer is collected and reviewed to determine eligibility for further etiologic study. Participation is entirely voluntary. The findings will lead to a

better understanding of the causes and risk factors for selected cancers, which may reduce cancer incidence, and promote the earlier diagnosis of some cancers.

*Frequency of Response:* One time.  
*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.

*Type of Respondents:* Adults.  
The annual reporting burden is as follows:

*Estimated Number of Respondents:* 600 per year.

*Estimated Number of Responses per Respondent:* 1.

*Average Burden Hours Per Response:* 75.

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours Requested:* 450.

The annualized cost to respondents is estimated at: \$4,500. There are no Capital Costs to report. There are no Operating or Maintenance Costs to report.

#### Request for Comments

Written comments and/or suggestions from the public and affected agencies are invited on one or more of the following points: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the function of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of the agency's estimates of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology.