

- 1:50–2:10 p.m. Environmental Sensors for Personal Exposure Assessment RFA (U01)—David Balshaw (NIEHS).
- 2:10–2:30 p.m. Improved Measures of Diet and Physical Activity RFA (U01)—Amy Subar/Cay Loria (NCI/NHLBI).
- 2:30–2:50 p.m. Field-Deployable Tools for Quantifying Exposures to Psychosocial Stress and to Addictive Substances for Studies of Health and Disease RFA (U01)—Kay Wanke/Kevin Conway (NIDA).
- 2:50–3:10 p.m. Overview of the “U” Mechanism and the Review and Grants Management Process—Gwen Collman (NIEHS).
- 3:10–3:25 p.m. General Open Discussion and Questions—Everyone.
- 3:25–3:35 p.m. Break to One-on-One Sessions.
- 3:35–4 p.m. One-on-One Session—General Q&A.
- 4–5:30 p.m. One-on-One Session—Individual Q&A.

Attendance, Registration, and Remote Access

The meeting is being held on October 20, 2006, from 1–5:30 p.m. Individuals who plan on attending either in person or by videocast should register on the GEI-Exposure Biology Web site at <http://fmp-8.cit.nih.gov/gei/register.html>. A map of the NIEHS campus, including visitor parking, is available at <http://www.niehs.nih.gov/external/contact.htm>. Please note that a photo ID is required to access the NIEHS campus. Individuals with disabilities, who need Sign Language Interpreters and/or reasonable accommodation to participate in this event, should contact 919–541–2475 voice, 919–541–4644 TTY, through the Federal TTY Relay System at 800–877–8339, or by e-mail: niehsoeeo@niehs.nih.gov. Requests should be made at least 5 days in advance of the event.

Availability of Meeting Materials

Meeting details will be posted on the GEI-Exposure Biology Web site at <http://www.gei.nih.gov/exposurebiology/meetings/appinfo06/>. Following the meeting, a recorded videocast of the meeting will be made available on the Web site.

Background Information on the Exposure Biology Program

The Genes and Environment Initiative (GEI) is a four-year, NIH-wide program, which aims to accelerate understanding of genetic and environmental contributions to health and disease. The GEI is comprised of two components—the Genetics Program being led by

NHGRI and the Exposure Biology Program being led by NIEHS. The Exposure Biology Program will focus on the development of innovative technologies to measure environmental exposures, diet, physical activity, psychosocial stress, and addictive substances that contribute to the development of disease. The program will support: (1) Development of environmental sensors for measurement of chemicals, dietary intake, physical activity, and psychosocial stressors and addictive substances; (2) development of markers of biological response via common pathogenic mechanisms such as oxidative stress, epigenetic modifications, and DNA damage; (3) integration of biological responses with the development of biosensors; and (4) application of novel assays and biomarkers to GWA studies of gene-environment interaction. This will be accomplished through the use of five cooperative agreements (RFAs) led by three NIH Institutes (NIEHS, NIDA, and NCI/NHLBI). Further information on the GEI-Exposure Biology Program can be found on the GEI-Exposure Biology Web site at: <http://www.gei.nih.gov/exposurebiology/index.asp>.

Dated: October 4, 2006.

David A. Schwartz,

Director, National Institute of Environmental Health Sciences, National Institutes of Health.
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DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY

Preparedness Directorate; Proposed Collection; Comment Request; FY03 Domestic Preparedness Program—State and Local Survey

AGENCY: Preparedness Directorate, National Preparedness Task Force (NPTF), Department of Homeland Security (DHS).

ACTION: 60-day notice and request for comments.

SUMMARY: The Preparedness Directorate invites the general public and other Federal agencies the opportunity to comment on the reinstatement of a previously approved information collection request (ICR) OMB 1651–0101 FY03 Domestic Preparedness Program, State and Local Survey. This request for comment is being made pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, (Pub. L. 104–13, 44 U.S.C. chapter 35) as amended by the Clinger-Cohen Act (Pub. L. 104–106).

DATES: Written comments should be received on or before December 11, 2006 to be assured consideration.

ADDRESSES: Direct all written comments to the Preparedness Directorate, NPTF, Attn. Sharon Kushnir, 3801 Nebraska Avenue Complex, Building 3, Washington, DC 20528.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Requests for additional information should be directed to the Preparedness Directorate, NPTF, Attn.: Sharon Kushnir, 3801 Nebraska Avenue Complex, Building 3, Washington, DC 20528, Tel. (202) 282–9680 or by electronic mail (e-mail) to: Sharon.kushnir@dhs.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The Preparedness Directorate invites the general public and other Federal Agencies to comment on proposed and/or continuing information collections pursuant to the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, (Pub. L. 104–13, 44 U.S.C. chapter 35) as amended by the Clinger-Cohen Act (Pub. L. 104–106). Written comments and suggestions from the public and affected agencies concerning the proposed collection of information should address one or more of the following four points:

(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; and

(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.

The comments that are submitted will be summarized and included in the request for Office of Management and Budget (OMB) approval. All comments will become a matter of public record. In this document the Preparedness Directorate is soliciting comments concerning the following information collection:

Analysis

Agency: Preparedness Directorate, National Preparedness Task Force

(NPTF), Department of Homeland Security (DHS).

Title: FY03 Domestic Preparedness Program, State and Local Survey.

Type of Collection: Reinstatement with change of a previously approved collection.

OMB Number: 1651-0101.

Frequency: On occasion.

Affected Public: Primary: State, Local and Tribal government; Estimated Number of Respondents: 2,059.

Estimated Time Per Respondent: .33 hours.

Total Burden Hours: 12,242.

Total Burden Cost: (capital/startup): \$0.

Total Burden Cost: (operating/maintaining): \$0.

Description: This data collection will allow states to: (1) Report current jurisdictional needs for equipment, training, exercises and technical assistance; (2) forecast projected needs for this support and (3) identify the gaps that exist at the jurisdictional level in equipment, training and technical assistance that NPTF and other Federal agencies in the formulation of domestic preparedness policies and with the development of programs to enhance State and local first responder capabilities.

Charlie Church,

Chief Information Officer, Preparedness Directorate, Department of Homeland Security.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

[Docket No. FR-5037-N-70]

Notice of Submission of Proposed Information Collection to OMB; Multifamily Contractor's Mortgagor's Cost Breakdowns and Certifications

AGENCY: Office of the Chief Information Officer, HUD.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The proposed information collection requirement described below has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act. The Department is soliciting public comments on the subject proposal.

This information is collected from mortgagors and contractors to manage and monitor the process of advancing mortgage proceeds for multifamily mortgages on new or rehabilitated housing.

DATES: *Comments Due Date:* November 13, 2006.

ADDRESSES: Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding this proposal. Comments should refer to the proposal by name and/or OMB approval Number (2502-0044) and should be sent to: HUD Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Washington, DC 20503; fax: 202-395-6974.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Lillian Deitzer, Departmental Reports Management Officer, QDAM, Department of Housing and Urban Development, 451 Seventh Street, SW., Washington, DC 20410; e-mail Lillian_L_Deitzer@HUD.gov or telephone (202) 708-2374. This is not a toll-free number. Copies of available documents submitted to OMB may be obtained from Ms. Deitzer or from HUD's Web site at <http://>

hlannwp031.hud.gov/po/i/icbts/collectionsearch.cfm.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This notice informs the public that the Department of Housing and Urban Development has submitted to OMB a request for approval of the information collection described below. This notice is soliciting comments from members of the public and affecting agencies concerning the proposed collection of information to: (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; (3) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond; including through the use of appropriate automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submission of responses.

This notice also lists the following information:

Title of Proposal: Multifamily Contractor's/Mortgagor's Cost Breakdowns and Certifications.

OMB Approval Number: 2502-0044.

Form Numbers: HUD-2328, HUD-92330-A, and HUD-2205-A.

Description of the Need for the Information and Its Proposed Use: This information is collected from mortgagors and contractors to manage and monitor the process of advancing mortgage proceeds for multifamily mortgages on new or rehabilitated housing.

Frequency of Submission: On occasion, Occurs once during the construction stage of a multifamily project.

	Number of respondents	Annual responses	×	Hours per response	=	Burden hours
Reporting Burden:	350	1.92		5.45		3,680

Total Estimated Burden Hours: 3,680.

Status: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Authority: Section 3507 of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, 44 U.S.C. 35, as amended.

Dated: October 5, 2006.

Lillian L. Deitzer,

Departmental Paperwork Reduction Act Officer, Office of the Chief Information Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT

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Notice of Proposed Information Collection: Comment Request; HUD Initiative for the Removal of Regulatory Barriers

AGENCY: Office of Administration, HUD.