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**Agency Forms Undergoing Paperwork  
Reduction Act Review**

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**Proposed Project**

National Survey of Residential Care Facilities (NSRCF) (OMB No. 0920-0780)—Revision—National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

*Background and Brief Description*

Section 306 of the Public Health Service (PHS) Act (42 U.S.C. 242k), as

amended, authorizes that the Secretary of Health and Human Services (DHHS), acting through NCHS, “shall collect statistics on health resources \* \* \* [and] utilization of health care, including extended care facilities, and other institutions.”

In 2008, NCHS sought approval for a pretest and full survey of The National Survey of Residential Care Facilities (NSRCF). OMB approved only the pretest which has been completed. NCHS now seeks approval to collect the full survey. The survey is designed to complement data collected by other Federal surveys and to fill a significant data gap about a major portion of the long-term care population. Data from NSRCF will provide information on residential care facilities that policymakers, providers, and researchers can use to address a wide array of policy and research questions. The survey will utilize a computer-assisted personal interviewing (CAPI) system to collect information about facility and resident characteristics. This computerized system speeds the flow of data; making it possible to release information on a timely basis and easier for respondents to participate in the survey. The CAPI system may also enhance data quality. Clearance for two years is being requested.

A stratified random sample of residential care facilities across four strata (small, medium, large and very large) will be selected to participate in NSRCF. To be eligible a facility must be licensed, registered, listed, certified, or otherwise regulated by the State; provide room and board with at least two meals a day; provide around-the-

clock on-site supervision; assist with activities of daily living (e.g., bathing, eating, or dressing) or medication supervision; serve a primarily adult population; and have at least four beds.

The facility questionnaire will collect data about facility characteristics (e.g., size, age, types of rooms), services offered, characteristics of the resident population, facility policies and services, charges for services, and background of the director. The resident questionnaire collects information on resident demographics, current living arrangements within the facility, involvement in activities, use of services, charges for care, health status, and cognitive and physical functioning.

For the national survey, approximately 2,250 facilities will be surveyed for an annual average of 1,125 facilities; information on an average of 4 residents will be collected from the annual average facility staff. Residents themselves will not be interviewed.

Users of NSRCF data include, but are not limited to CDC; other Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) agencies, such as the Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation and the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality; and associations, such as the American Association of Homes and Services for the Aging, National Center for Assisted Living, American Seniors Housing Association, Assisted Living Federation of America; universities; foundations; and other private sector organizations. There is no cost to respondents other than their time to participate. The total estimated annualized burden hours are 3,572.

**TABLE 1—ESTIMATED ANNUALIZED BURDEN HOURS**

| Type of respondent                      | Name of form                  | Number of respondents | Number of responses/respondent | Average burden/response (in hours) |
|---|-------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|
| Facility Director .....                 | Facility Screener .....       | 1,125                 | 1                              | 10/60                              |
| Facility Director .....                 | Resident Selection .....      | 1,125                 | 1                              | 10/60                              |
| Facility Director .....                 | Pre-Interview Worksheet ..... | 1,125                 | 1                              | 15/60                              |
| Facility Director .....                 | Facility Questionnaire .....  | 1,125                 | 1                              | 1.25                               |
| Facility Director or Staff Member ..... | Resident Questionnaire .....  | 1,125                 | 4                              | 20/60                              |
| Facility Director .....                 | Verification Form .....       | 113                   | 1                              | 5/60                               |

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**Proposed Project**

National Health Interview Survey (NHIS), (OMB No. 0920-0214 exp. 12/31/09)—Revision—National Center for Health Statistics (NCHS), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

*Background and Brief Description*

Section 306 of the Public Health Service (PHS) Act (42 U.S.C. 242k), as amended, authorizes that the Secretary of Health and Human Services (DHHS), acting through NCHS, shall collect statistics on the extent and nature of illness and disability of the population of the United States.

The annual National Health Interview Survey is a major source of general statistics on the health of the U.S. population and has been in the field continuously since 1957. Clearance is sought for three years, to collect data for 2010, 2011, and 2012. This voluntary household-based survey collects demographic and health-related information on a nationally representative sample of persons and households throughout the country. Information is collected using computer

assisted personal interviews (CAPI). A core set of data is collected each year while sponsored supplements vary from year to year. For 2010, we are revising the supplements to collect information on cancer, immunization, disability, occupational injury, epilepsy, and child mental health.

In accordance with the 1995 initiative to increase the integration of surveys within the Department of Health and Human Services, respondents to the NHIS serve as the sampling frame for the Medical Expenditure Panel Survey conducted by the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality. The NHIS has long been used by government, university, and private researchers to evaluate both general health and specific issues, such as cancer, diabetes, and access to health care. It is a leading source of data for the Congressionally-mandated "Health US" and related publications, as well as the single most important source of statistics to track progress toward the National Health Promotion and Disease Prevention Objectives, "Healthy People 2010."

There is no cost to the respondents other than their time. The total estimated annualized burden hours are 34,977.

**ANNUALIZED BURDEN TABLE**

| Questionnaire (respondent)                               | Number of respondents | Number of responses per respondent | Average burden per respondent in hours |
|--|-----------------------|------------------------------------|--|
| Screener Questionnaire .....                             | 10,000                | 1                                  | 5/60                                   |
| Family Core (adult family member) .....                  | 33,000                | 1                                  | 23/60                                  |
| Adult Core (sample adult) .....                          | 25,000                | 1                                  | 17/60                                  |
| Child Core (adult family member) .....                   | 10,000                | 1                                  | 9/60                                   |
| Child and Adult Immunization (adult family member) ..... | 9,400                 | 1                                  | 4/60                                   |
| Family Disability (adult family member) .....            | 16,500                | 1                                  | 3/60                                   |
| Adult Cancer (sample adult) .....                        | 25,000                | 1                                  | 19/60                                  |
| Child Cancer (adult family member) .....                 | 10,000                | 1                                  | 1/60                                   |
| Adult Occupational Injury (sample adult) .....           | 25,000                | 1                                  | 2/60                                   |
| Adult Epilepsy (sample adult) .....                      | 25,000                | 1                                  | 1/60                                   |
| Adult Quality of Life (sample adult) .....               | 12,500                | 1                                  | 5/60                                   |
| Child Record Check (medical provider) .....              | 1,200                 | 1                                  | 5/60                                   |
| Teen Record Check (medical provider) .....               | 4,800                 | 1                                  | 5/60                                   |
| Child Mental Health (adult family member) .....          | 10,000                | 1                                  | 2/60                                   |
| Reinterview Survey .....                                 | 3,000                 | 1                                  | 5/60                                   |

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