

regarding its compilers or libraries for the costs associated with recompiling their software using non-Intel compiler or library products. A customer seeking to use the Intel Compiler

Reimbursement program must describe an Intel statement on which it relied to ensure that the program is used by customers who were misled by Intel's disclosures.

Section VII.E of the Proposed Consent Order prevents Intel from making claims about the performance of its compiler unless Intel has substantiated that those claims are true and accurate using accepted analytical methods. This prohibition seeks to prevent Intel from claiming, without substantiation, that its compiler and libraries are superior to other available compilers and libraries. Intel may not claim to have superior compilers and libraries for AMD CPUs, when other products, such as the GNU C Compiler (GCC) or AMD's Core Math Library (ACML) have better performance in some circumstances. This prohibition is particularly important regarding Intel's representations about performance of its compilers on non-Intel CPUs. This section ensures that Intel will provide the appropriate disclosures when it makes performance claims about its compilers and libraries.

#### *I. Benchmark Disclosures*

Section VIII would require Intel to make disclosures concerning the reliability and relevance of performance claims based on benchmarks. The provision requires Intel to notify any customers, whether hardware manufacturers or end consumers, that the performance tests may have been optimized only for Intel CPUs. Intel must make disclosures whenever it makes performance claims comparing its CPUs to competitors' processors and whenever it relies on a benchmark. The provision requires disclosures in all advertising or marketing materials that include performance claims, including presentations, audio-visual advertisements, and in prominent locations regarding performance on Intel's web site. The required disclosure will inform consumers and OEMs that certain benchmarks may not provide accurate performance comparisons with non-Intel CPUs. The provision will encourage consumers and OEMs to use benchmark results carefully and rely on multiple benchmarks in order to get accurate performance information about CPUs. The provision will thus help provide for more informed purchasing decisions.

#### *J. Compliance Terms*

Sections IX through XIII of the Proposed Consent Order contain reporting, access, and notification provisions that are common in the Commission's orders, and are designed to allow the Commission to monitor compliance with the Proposed Consent Order. Section IX permits the Commission to appoint Technical Consultants to assist in assessing Intel's compliance with several provisions of the Proposed Consent. Such consultants are warranted in light of the technical nature of the products at issue and the potential complexity of some compliance issues, including cost accounting, microprocessor design, and software design. Intel would be required to pay for the Technical Consultants, up to a total of \$2 million during the ten-year period of the Proposed Consent Order.

Section X would require Intel to submit to the Commission a written plan explaining what Intel has done and will do to ensure compliance with the Proposed Consent Order. Intel would also be required to submit annual reports for six years explaining how it has complied with the Proposed Consent Order. Intel would be required, in these reports, to submit to the Commission any communications Intel receives from its customers regarding compliance with the Proposed Consent Order, including complaints that it is violating the Proposed Consent Order.

Sections XI and XII would require Intel, for the next five years, to retain its written sales contracts and to allow the Commission access to Intel's records and employees. Section XIII would require Intel to notify the Commission at least thirty days prior to changes in corporate structure that would impact Intel's compliance provisions, such as Intel being purchased by another company or Intel creating or purchasing corporate subsidiaries.

Paragraph XIV provides that the Proposed Consent Order shall terminate ten (10) years after the date it becomes final.

By direction of the Commission, Commissioner Kovacic recused.

**Donald S. Clark**

*Secretary.*

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## **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

### **Centers for Disease Control and Prevention**

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#### **Proposed Data Collections Submitted for Public Comment and Recommendations**

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 data collection projects, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) will publish periodic summaries of proposed projects. Alternatively, to obtain a copy of the data collection plans and instrument, call 404-639-5960 and send comments to Maryam I. Daneshvar, CDC Reports Clearance Officer, 1600 Clifton Road, NE., MS-D74, Atlanta, Georgia 30333; comments may also be sent by e-mail to [omb@cdc.gov](mailto:omb@cdc.gov).

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 a 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 information technology. Written comments should be received within 60 days of this notice.

#### **Proposed Project**

National Disease Surveillance Program II. Disease Summaries (0920-0004 Exp. 6/30/2013)—Revision—National Center for Emerging and Zoonotic Infectious Diseases (NCEZID) (proposed), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

#### *Background and Brief Description*

Surveillance of the incidence and distribution of disease has been an important function of the U.S. Public Health Service (PHS) since 1878. Through the years, PHS/CDC has formulated practical methods of disease control through field investigations. The CDC National Disease Surveillance Program is based on the premise that diseases cannot be diagnosed, prevented, or controlled until existing knowledge is expanded and new ideas developed and implemented. Over the years, the mandate of CDC has broadened to include preventive health

activities and the surveillance systems maintained have expanded.

CDC and the Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologists (CSTE) collect data on disease and preventable conditions in accordance with jointly approved plans. Changes in the surveillance program and in reporting methods are effected in the same manner. At the onset of this surveillance program in 1968, the CSTE and CDC decided on which diseases warranted surveillance. These diseases are reviewed and revised based on variations in the public's health. Surveillance forms are distributed to the State and local health departments who voluntarily submit these reports to CDC at variable frequencies, either weekly or monthly. CDC then calculates and publishes weekly statistics via the Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report

(MMWR), providing the states with timely aggregates of their submissions.

The following diseases/conditions are included in this program: Diarrheal disease surveillance (includes campylobacter, salmonella, and shigella), foodborne outbreaks, arboviral surveillance (ArboNet), Influenza virus, including the annual survey and influenza-like illness, Respiratory and Enterovirus surveillance, rabies, waterborne diseases, cholera and other vibrio illnesses, Listeria, babesiosis, brucellosis, Harmful Algal Bloom-related Infectious Surveillance System (HABISS) data entry form, and the HABISS monthly reporting form. These data are essential on the local, state, and Federal levels for measuring trends in diseases, evaluating the effectiveness of current prevention strategies, and determining the need for modifying current prevention measures.

This request is for revision of the currently approved data collection for three years. The revisions include minor changes to reporting forms already approved under this OMB Control Number. In addition, new influenza forms and one new rabies form have been added. A new parasitic disease is being included, babesiosis, to help track the increasing cases from transfusions. Furthermore, a brucellosis case report form that has been revised and updated from the 1980 form has been added to this OMB Control number to enhance surveillance and assist with understanding the changing epidemiology of brucellosis in the United States. Because of the distinct nature of each of the diseases, the number of cases reported annually is different for each. There is no cost to respondents other than their time.

ESTIMATED ANNUALIZED BURDEN HOURS

Respondents: state epidemiologists/ form	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden per response (in hours)	Total burden (in hours)
Diarrheal Disease Surveillance: <i>Campylobacter</i> (electronic) .....	53	52	3/60	138
Diarrheal Disease Surveillance: <i>Salmonella</i> (electronic) .....	53	52	3/60	138
Diarrheal Disease Surveillance: <i>Shigella</i> (electronic) .....	53	52	3/60	138
Foodborne Outbreak Form .....	54	31.5	20/60	567
Arboviral Surveillance (ArboNet) .....	57	1,421	5/60	6,750
Influenza virus (fax, Oct–May) .....	5	33	10/60	28
Influenza virus (fax, year round) .....	21	52	10/60	182
Influenza virus (Internet; Oct–May) .....	3	33	10/60	17
Influenza virus (Internet; year round) .....	35	52	10/60	303
Influenza virus (electronic, year round PHLIP) .....	5	52	5/60	22
Influenza virus (electronic, year round PHIN–MS) .....	17	52	5/60	74
Influenza Annual Survey .....	86	1	15/60	22
Weekly Influenza-like Illness (Oct–May) .....	540	33	15/60	4,455
Weekly Influenza-like Illness (year round) .....	1,260	52	15/60	16,380
Daily Influenza-like Illness (Oct–May) .....	200	33	15/60	1,650
Daily Influenza-like Illness (Year Round) .....	75	52	15/60	975
Influenza-Associated Pediatric Death Case Report Form .....	57	1	30/60	29
Novel and Pandemic Influenza A Virus Infection Case Investigation Form ...	57	1	30/60	29
Novel and Pandemic Influenza A Virus Infection Contact Trace Back Form	57	1	30/60	29
Novel and Pandemic Influenza A Virus Infection Contact Trace Forward Form .....	57	1	30/60	29
Novel Human Influenza A Virus Infection Case Report Form .....	57	1	30/60	29
Daily Novel and Pandemic Influenza A Virus State Case Status Summary Update .....	57	1	15/60	14
City health officers or vital statistics registrars .....	122	52	12/60	1,269
Monthly Respiratory & Enterovirus Surveillance Report: Excel format (elec- tronic) .....	25	12	15/60	75
National Respiratory & Enteric Virus Surveillance System (NREVSS) .....	90	52	10/60	780
Enhanced Animal Rabies Surveillance (electronic) .....	52	52	3/60	135
Rabies (paper) .....	3	12	15/60	9
Possible Human Rabies Patient Info .....	50	1	15/60	13
Waterborne Diseases Outbreak Form .....	57	1	20/60	19
Cholera and other Vibrio illnesses .....	450	1	20/60	150
Listeria .....	53	1	30/60	27
HABISS data entry form .....	10	12	8	960
HABISS monthly reporting form .....	10	12	30/60	60
Babesiosis Case Report Form .....	54	12	10/60	108
Brucellosis .....	56	2	20/60	37
<b>Total</b> .....				<b>35,640</b>

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Centers for Disease Control and Prevention**

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**Proposed Data Collections Submitted for Public Comment and Recommendations**

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*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. Written comments should be received within 60 days of this notice.

**Proposed Project**

Revision of the National Hospital Discharge Survey (NHDS) (OMB No.

0920-0212 exp. 10/31/2011)—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. This three-year clearance request includes hospital recruitment and data collection for 2011, 2012, and 2013 of the redesigned National Hospital Discharge Survey, as well as a pretest of data collection on acute coronary syndrome for a supplement to the NHDS which will be sponsored by the National Heart, Lung and Blood Institute.

The National Hospital Discharge Survey (NHDS) has been conducted continuously by the National Center for Health Statistics, CDC, since 1965. It is the principal source of data on inpatient utilization of short-stay, non-Federal hospitals and is the principal annual source of nationally representative estimates on the characteristics of discharges, lengths of stay, diagnoses, surgical and non-surgical procedures, and patterns of use of care in hospitals in various regions of the country. It is the benchmark against which special programmatic data sources are measured.

Although the current NHDS is still fulfilling its intended functions, it is based on concepts from the health care delivery system, as well as the hospital and patient universes, of previous decades. It has become clear that a redesign of the NHDS that provides greater depth of information is necessary. Consequently, 2010 will serve as the last year in which the current NHDS will be fielded. Meanwhile, the redesigned National Hospital Discharge Survey (NHDS) is scheduled to begin in 2011.

A new sample of 500 hospitals drawn for the NHDS will be recruited beginning in June 2011 and continuing through September 2012. In 2011, data

collection will begin by collecting the electronic Uniform Bills (UB-04s) from recruited hospitals for the year 2011 followed by data for 2012 and 2013. A pretest of a survey supplement on acute coronary syndrome sponsored by the National Heart Lung and Blood will also be fielded in 2011.

The data items to be collected from the UB-04 in the NHDS will include patient level data items including basic demographic information, personal identifiers, name, address and medical record number (if available on the UB-04), and characteristics of the discharges including admission and discharge dates, diagnoses, and surgical and non-surgical procedures. Facility level data items include demographic information, clinical capabilities, and financial information.

The pretest of the supplement on acute coronary syndrome will be conducted in a convenience sample of 32 hospitals and discharges will be identified from the UB-04 codes for a diagnosis of acute myocardial infarction.

Users of NHDS data include, but are not limited to CDC, Congressional Research Office, Office of the Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation (ASPE), American Health Care Association, Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS), and Bureau of the Census. Data collected through NHDS are essential for evaluating health status of the population, for the planning of programs and policy to elevate the health status of the Nation, for studying morbidity trends, and for research activities in the health field. NHDS data have been used extensively in the development and monitoring of goals for the Year 2000 and 2010 Healthy People Objectives. In addition, NHDS data provide annual updates for numerous tables in the Congressionally-mandated NCHS report, *Health, United States*. Other users of these data include universities, contract research organizations, many in the private sector, foundations, and a variety of users in the print media. There is no cost to respondents other than their time to participate.

**ESTIMATED ANNUALIZED BURDEN TABLE**

Respondents	Form	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden per response (in hours)	Total burden hours
Redesigned NHDS: Hospital CEO/CFO .....	Survey presentation to hospital .....	167	1	1	167