5. Offer alternative ways to improve the collection activity.

6. Make sure to submit your comments by the deadline identified under DATES.

7. To ensure proper receipt by GSA, be sure to identify the ICR title on the first page of your response. You may also provide the Federal Register citation.

What information collection activity or ICR does this apply to?

Title: Open Government Citizen Engagement Ratings, Rankings, and Flagging.

OMB Control Number: 3090–0288.

Abstract: This information collection request for a clearance for a replacement of the emergency ICR approved by OMB. This request is for an extension of 3 years. It is being submitted in order to fulfill the public feedback aspects of this important initiative. Visitors will be provided opportunities to provide feedback and ratings in the spirit of the President’s open government and transparency initiative. Examples of feedback mechanisms are:

(1) An “agree/disagree”, “vote up/vote down” or other rating system to give visitors information about which posts other visitors found most useful and interesting.

(2) A “Contact Us” entry page with an optional contact e-mail address for those visitors wishing to identify themselves.

Burden Statement: The annual public reporting and recordkeeping burden for this collection of information is estimated to average up to 1,666 hours per year. Burden means the total time, effort, or financial resources expended by persons to generate, maintain, retain, or disclose or provide information to or for a Federal agency. This includes the time needed to review instructions; develop, acquire, install, and utilize technology and systems for the purposes of collecting, validating, and verifying information, processing and maintaining information, and disclosing and providing information; adjust the existing ways to comply with any applicable instructions and requirements which have subsequently changed; train personnel to be able to respond to a collection of information; search data sources; complete and review the collection of information; and transmit or otherwise disclose the information.

The estimated annual burden request is summarized here:

Estimated total number of potential respondents: 12,000,000.

Estimated total number of potential responses: 1,200,000.

Frequency of response: Occasionally.

Estimated total annual burden hours: 1,666 hours.

Estimated total annual costs: No cost to the public; no additional government resources.

What is the next step in the process for this ICR?

GSA will consider the comments received and amend the ICR as appropriate. The final ICR package will then be submitted to OMB for review and approval pursuant to 5 CFR 1320.12. At that time, GSA will issue another Federal Register notice pursuant to 5 CFR 1320.5(a)(1)(iv) to announce the submission of the ICR to OMB and the opportunity to submit additional comments to OMB. If you have any questions about this ICR or the approval process, please contact the person listed under FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT.


Kurt Garbars,

Acting Chief Information Officer.

For Further Information Contact:

Visit www.FindYouthInfo.gov for information on how to register, or contact the Interagency Working Group on Youth Programs help desk, by telephone at 1–877–231–7843 [Note: this is a toll-free telephone number], or by e-mail at FindYouthInfo@air.org.

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Office of the Secretary

Notice of Interest Rate on Overdue Debts

Section 30.18 of the Department of Health and Human Services’ claims collection regulations (45 CFR Part 30) provides that the Secretary shall charge an annual rate of interest, which is determined and fixed by the Secretary of the Treasury after considering private consumer rates of interest on the date that the Department of Health and Human Services becomes entitled to recovery. The rate cannot be lower than the Department of the Treasury’s current value of funds rate or the applicable rate determined from the “Schedule of Certified Interest Rates with Range of Maturities” unless the Secretary waives interest in whole or part, or a different rate is prescribed by statute, contract, or repayment agreement. The Secretary of the Treasury may revise this rate quarterly. The Department of Health and Human Services publishes this rate in the Federal Register.

The current rate of 11%, as fixed by the Secretary of the Treasury, is certified for the quarter ended June 30, 2010. This interest rate is effective until the Secretary of the Treasury notifies the Department of Health and Human Services of any change.


Molly P. Dawson,

Director, Office of Financial Policy and Reporting.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

I. Background

On March 11, 2009, the Congress passed the Omnibus Appropriations Act, 2009 (Pub. L. 111–6). The House Appropriations Committee Print, Division F—Departments of Labor, Health and Human Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations included language directing the Interagency Working Group on Youth Programs to solicit input from young people, State children’s cabinet directors, and nonprofit organizations on youth programs and policies; develop an overarching strategic plan for Federal youth policy; and prepare recommendations to improve the coordination, effectiveness, and efficiency of programs affecting youth. A draft framework for the Strategic Plan can be found at http://www.findyouthinfo.gov/provideinput.aspx.
The Interagency Working Group on Youth Programs is comprised of staff from twelve Federal agencies that support programs and services that focus on youth: The U.S. Department of Agriculture; U.S. Department of Commerce; U.S. Department of Defense; U.S. Department of Education; U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (Chair); U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development; U.S. Department of Justice (Vice-Chair); U.S. Department of Labor; U.S. Department of the Interior; U.S. Department of Transportation; Corporation for National and Community Service; and Office of National Drug Control Policy.

The Working Group seeks to promote achievement of positive results for at-risk youth through the following activities:

- Promoting enhanced collaboration at the Federal, state, and local levels, including with faith-based and other community organizations, as well as among families, schools and communities, in order to leverage existing resources and improve outcomes;
- Disseminating information about critical resources, including evidence-based programs, to assist interested citizens and decision-makers, particularly at the community level, to plan, implement, and participate in effective strategies for at-risk youth;
- Developing an overarching strategic plan for federal youth policy, as well as recommendations for improving the coordination, effectiveness and efficiency of youth programs, using input from community stakeholders, including youth; and
- Producing a Federal Web site, FindYouthInfo.gov, to promote effective community-based efforts to reduce the factors that put youth at risk and to provide high-quality services to at-risk youth.

II. Registration, Security, Building, and Parking Guidelines

For security purposes, members of the public who wish to attend the meeting must pre-register on-line at http://www.findyouthinfo.gov no later than (seven days before the meeting). Should problems arise with Web registration, call the help desk at 1–877–231–7843 or send a request to register for the meeting to FindYouthInfo@aair.org. To register, complete the online registration form, which will ask for your name, title, organization or other affiliation, full address and phone, fax, and e-mail information or e-mail this information to FindYouthInfo@aair.org. Additional identification documents may be required.

The meetings are held in a Federal government building; therefore, Federal security measures are applicable. In planning your arrival time, we recommend allowing additional time to clear security. Space is limited. In order to gain access to the building and grounds, participants must bring government-issued photo identification documents or e-mail this information or e-mail to confirmation.

Authority: Division F, Pub. L. 111–8; E.O. 13459, 73 FR 8003, February 12, 2008


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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Single Source Cooperative Agreement Award for the World Health Organization (WHO) To Continue Development of Sustainable Influenza Vaccine Production

AGENCY: Department of Health and Human Services, Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response, Biomedical Advanced Research Development Authority

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: Notification of Single Source Cooperative Agreement Award for the World Health Organization (WHO) To Continue Development of Sustainable Influenza Vaccine Production Capacity in Under-Resourced Nations CFDA#: 93.360.0


Amount of Single Source Award: $6,400,000.


In FY 2010, BARDA plans to provide a Single Source Continuation Award to the World Health Organization to support the International Vaccine Production Capacity-Building Program. BARDA currently funds the development of vaccine manufacturing capacity in ten developing and emerging-economy countries worldwide via a cooperative agreement with the World Health Organization (WHO). The WHO has proven to be a key partner and integral to the success of the program, which has been in existence since 2006.

Continuing the partnership with the WHO will prove critical to the long-term viability of this program while bolstering the influenza vaccine manufacturing capabilities of resource poor nations and global pandemic preparedness overall.

Single Source Justification: The International Vaccine Capacity Building Program, supported by the Department of Health and Human Services, Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response, Biomedical Advanced Research and Development Authority was developed and has been operational since 2006. In light of the threat of an influenza pandemic it was originally designed with the goals of bolstering both international and domestic pandemic preparedness and response. The fundamental approach in achieving these goals has been through the development of the influenza vaccine production capabilities of under resourced nations in the hopes that they will ultimately be able to produce vaccines to protect the local, regional, and international public health. The program is supported by a collaborative of U.S. Government agencies, international organizations, foreign ministries and/or other foreign institutions dedicated to achieving these goals.

The WHO is the only global organization with the experience and scientific standing to accomplish the program goals. It is the recognized world health authority within the United Nations system. Similarly, the liaison and support functions that the WHO plays within the international vaccine production capacity building program cannot be duplicated or replicated. Through standing consultation and dialog with its members states on all aspects of public health, WHO is the only partner able to ensure synchronization of building of production capacity in developing countries for influenza vaccine with other pandemic preparedness activities and with increase of demand for seasonal influenza immunization.

The WHO’s strong collaborative relationships with foreign governments, programmatic support, and familiarity with international vaccine production institutions have been and will be critical to the future viability of this program. Over the history of the International Vaccine Production Capacity Building program, the WHO has provided unique and invaluable support to the project. Similarly, the WHO has also independently funded initiatives/institutions working to strengthen their influenza vaccine production capacity; also demonstrating