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@air.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@air.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 as well as their pre-registration confirmation.

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


Sherry Glied,
Assistant Secretary for Planning and Evaluation.

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.


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 WHO institutions/institutions working to strengthen their influenza vaccine production capacity; also demonstrating
their commitment to the success of this program. The WHO represents a key stakeholder in the implementation of the program; providing unique functions, technical and scientific expertise, and capabilities that no other organization in the world has.

Additional Information: The agency program contact is Dr. Michael Perdue, whom can be contacted at (202) 260–0966 or Michael.Perdue@hhs.gov.


Nicole Lurie,
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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Health Resources and Services Administration

Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

Periodically, the Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) publishes abstracts of information collection requests under review by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB), in compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). To request a copy of the clearance requests submitted to OMB for review, e-mail paperwork@hrsa.gov or call the HRSA Reports Clearance Office on (301) 443–1129.

The following request has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget for review under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995:

Proposed Project: The Stem Cell Therapeutic Outcomes Database (OMB No. 0915–0310)—Extension

The Stem Cell Therapeutic and Research Act of 2005 provides for the collection and maintenance of human cord blood stem cells for the treatment of patients and research. The Health Resources and Services Administration’s (HRSA) Healthcare Systems Bureau (HSB) has established the Stem Cell Therapeutic Outcomes Database. Operation of this database necessitates certain recordkeeping and reporting requirements in order to perform the functions related to hematopoietic stem cell transplantation under contract to the Department of Health and Human Services (HHHS). The Act requires the Secretary of HHHS to contract for the establishment and maintenance of information related to patients who have received stem cell therapeutic products and to do so using a standardized, electronic format. Data are collected from transplant centers in a manner similar to the data collection activities conducted by the Center for International Blood and Marrow Transplant Research (CIBMTR) and are used for ongoing analysis of transplant outcomes. HRSA uses the information in order to carry out its statutory responsibilities. Information is needed to monitor the clinical status of transplantation, and to provide the Secretary with an annual report of transplant center-specific survival data. The burden table for the year 2011 shows there will be approximately 12,800 annual follow-up assessments due for the Blood Stem Cell Transplantation Program’s Stem Cell Therapeutic Outcomes Database. The 2007 30-Day Federal Register notice included total burden hours of 32,040 and 225 respondents. The burden table below includes 38,700 total burden hours and 200 respondents. The increase in burden is due to an increase in the annual number of transplants. The number of respondents has decreased due to some centers no longer performing unrelated stem cell transplants and some centers are no longer in business.

The estimate of burden is as follows:

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Written comments and recommendations concerning the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of this notice to the desk officer for HRSA, either by e-mail to OIRA_submission@omb.eop.gov or by fax to 202–395–6974. Please direct all correspondence to the “attention of the desk officer for HRSA.”


Wendy Ponton,
Director, Office of Management.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. FDA–2010–N–0411]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed Collection; Comment Request; Guide to Minimize Microbial Food Safety Hazards of Fresh-Cut Fruits and Vegetables

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing an opportunity for public comment on the proposed collection of certain information by the agency. Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (the PRA), Federal agencies are required to publish notice in the Federal Register concerning each proposed collection of information, including each proposed extension of an existing collection of information, and to allow 60 days for public comment in response to the notice. This notice solicits comments on the information collection provisions in the guidance document entitled “Guidance for Industry: Guide to Minimize Microbial Food Safety Hazards of Fresh-Cut Fruits and Vegetables.”

DATES: Submit either electronic or written comments on the collection of information by October 12, 2010.