open to the public, limited only by room seating available. The public is also welcome to listen to the meeting by 866–836–4010, passcode: 18307719, and, and 100 teleconference lines are available.

DATES: The meeting will be held on November 8, 2017, 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., EST and November 9, 2017, 9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m., EST.

ADDRESSES: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Global Communications Center, Building 19, Auditorium B, 1600 Clifton Road NE, Atlanta, Georgia 30329.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Erin Stone, M.A., HICPAC, Division of Healthcare Quality Promotion, NCEZID, CDC, 1600 Clifton Road NE, Mailstop A–07, Atlanta, Georgia 30329. Telephone (404) 639–4045, Email: hicpac@cdc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose: The Committee is charged with providing advice and guidance to the Director, Division of Healthcare Quality Promotion (DHQP), the Director, National Center for Emerging and Zoonotic Infectious Diseases (NCEZID), the Director, CDC, the Secretary, Health and Human Services regarding (1) the practice of healthcare infection prevention and control; (2) strategies for surveillance, prevention, and control of infections, antimicrobial resistance, and related events in settings where healthcare is provided; and (3) periodic updating of CDC guidelines and other policy statements regarding prevention of healthcare-associated infections and healthcare-related conditions.

Matters to be Considered: The agenda will include updates on CDC’s activities for prevention of healthcare associated infections (HAI’s), and DHQP’s modeling efforts. It will also include updates from the following HICPAC workgroups: The Guideline for Prevention of Infection in Neonatal Intensive Care Unit (NICU) Patients; the Guideline for Prevention of Infection in Healthcare Personnel; the workgroup on updating the CDC recommendation categorization scheme; the workgroup on developing CDC recommendations for products and practices; and the National Healthcare Safety Network (NHSN) Surveillance Workgroup.

Agenda items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

Time will be available for public comment. The public is welcome to submit written comments in advance of the meeting. Comments should be submitted in writing by email to the contact person listed below. The deadline for receipt is October 25, 2017. All requests must contain the name, address, and organizational affiliation of the speaker, as well as the topic being addressed. Written comments should not exceed one single-spaced typed page in length and delivered in 3 minutes or less. Members of the public who wish to provide public comments should plan to attend the public comment session at the start time listed. Please note that the public comment period may end before the time indicated, following the last call for comments. Written comments received in advance of the meeting will be included in the official record of the meeting. Registration is required to attend in person or on the phone. Interested parties may register at www.cdc.gov/hicpac.

The Director, Management Analysis and Services Office, has been delegated the authority to sign Federal Register notices pertaining to announcements of meetings and other committee management activities, for both the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry.

Claudette Grant, Acting Director, Management Analysis and Services Office, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

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

AGENCY: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services (CMS) is announcing an opportunity for the public to comment on CMS’ intention to collect information from the public. Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), federal agencies are required to publish notice in the Federal Register concerning each proposed collection of information, including each proposed extension or reinstatement of an existing collection of information, and to allow a second opportunity for public comment on the notice. Interested persons are invited to send comments regarding the burden estimate or any other aspect of this collection of information, including the necessity and utility of the proposed information collection for the proper performance of the agency’s functions, the accuracy of the estimated burden, ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology to minimize the information collection burden.

DATES: Comments on the collection(s) of information must be received by the OMB desk officer by October 18, 2017.

ADDRESSES: When commenting on the proposed information collections, please reference the document identifier or OMB control number. To be assured consideration, comments and recommendations must be received by the OMB desk officer via one of the following transmissions: OMB, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Attention: CMS Desk Officer, Fax Number: (202) 395–5806 OR Email: OIRA_submission@omb.eop.gov.

To obtain copies of a supporting statement and any related forms for the proposed collection(s) summarized in this notice, you may make your request using one of following:


2. Email your request, including your address, phone number, OMB number, and CMS document identifier, to Paperwork@cms.hhs.gov.

3. Call the Reports Clearance Office at (410) 786–1326.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: William Parham at (410) 786–4669.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA) (44 U.S.C. 3501–3520), federal agencies must obtain approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for each collection of information they conduct or sponsor. The term “collection of information” is defined in 44 U.S.C. 3502(3) and 5 CFR 1320.3(c) and includes agency requests or requirements that members of the public submit reports, keep records, or provide information to a third party. Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the PRA (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)) requires federal agencies to publish a 30-day notice in the Federal Register concerning each proposed collection of information, before submitting the collection to OMB for approval. To comply with this requirement, CMS is
publishing this notice that summarizes
the following proposed collection(s) of
information for public comment:
1. Type of Information Collection
Request: Extension of a currently
approved collection; Title of
Information Collection: State Medicaid
HIT Plan, Planning Advance Planning
Document, and Implementation
Advance Planning Document for
Section 4201 of the Recovery Act; Use:
To assess the appropriateness of state
requests for the administrative Federal
financial participation for expenditures
under their Medicaid Electronic Health
Record Incentive Program related to
health information exchange, our staff
will review the submitted information
and documentation to make an approval
determination of the state advance
planning document. Form Number:
CMS–10292 (OMB control number:
0938–1088); Frequency: Once and
occasionally; Affected Public: State,
Local, and Tribal Governments; Number
of Respondents: 56; Total Annual
Responses: 56; Total Annual Hours:
896. (For policy questions regarding this
collection contact Marty Rice at 410–
786–2417.)
2. Type of Information Collection
Request: Extension of a currently
approved collection; Title of
Information Collection: Limitations on
Provider Related Donations and Health
Care Related Taxes; Limitation on
Payment to Disproportionate Share
Hospitals; Medicaid and Supporting
Regulations in 42 CFR 433.68, 433.74
and 447.272; Use: States may request a
waiver of the broad based and
uniformity tax program requirements.
Each state must demonstrate that its tax
program(s) do not violate the hold
harmless provision. Additionally, state
Medicaid agencies must report
(quarterly) on health care related taxes
collected and the source of provider
related donations received by the state
or unit of local government. Each state
must maintain, in readily reviewable
form, supporting documentation that
provides a detailed description of each
donation and tax program being
reported, as well as the source and use
of all donations received and collected.
Without this information, the amount of
Federal financial participation payable
to a state cannot be determined; Form
Number: CMS–R–148 (OMB control
number: 0938–0618); Frequency:
Quarterly and occasionally; Affected
Public: State, Local, or Tribal
Governments; Number of Respondents:
50; Total Annual Responses: 40; Total
Annual Hours: 3,200. (For policy
questions regarding this collection
contact Stuart Goldstein at 410–786–
0694.)

Dated: September 13, 2017.
William N. Parham, III,
Director, Paperwork Reduction Staff, Office
of Strategic Operations and Regulatory
Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND
HUMAN SERVICES
Centers for Medicare & Medicaid
Services

[Document Identifiers: CMS–437 and CMS–
10515]

Agency Information Collection
Activities: Proposed Collection;
Comment Request

AGENCY: Centers for Medicare &
Medicaid Services, HHS.
ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Centers for Medicare &
Medicaid Services (CMS) is announcing
an opportunity for the public to
comment on CMS’ intention to collect
information from the public. 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 or reinstatement of an existing
collection of information) and to allow
60 days for public comment on the
proposed action. Interested persons are
invited to send comments regarding our
burden estimates or any other aspect of
this collection of information, including
the necessity and utility of the proposed
information collection for the proper
performance of the agency’s functions,
the accuracy of the estimated burden,
ways to enhance the quality, utility, and
certainty of the information to be
Collected, and the use of automated
collection techniques or other forms of
information technology to minimize the
information collection burden.
DATES: Comments must be received by
November 17, 2017.

ADDRESSES: When commenting, please
reference the document identifier or
OMB control number. To be assured
consideration, comments and
recommendations must be submitted in
any one of the following ways:
1. Electronically. You may send your
comments electronically to http://
www.regulations.gov. Follow the
instructions for “Comment or
Submission” or “More Search Options”
to find the information collection
document(s) that are accepting
comments.
2. By regular mail. You may mail
written comments to the following
address: CMS, Office of Strategic
Operations and Regulatory Affairs,
Division of Regulations Development,
Attention: Document Identifier/OMB
Control Number __________, Room C4–
26–05, 7500 Security Boulevard,
Baltimore, Maryland 21244–1850.
To obtain copies of a supporting
statement and any related forms for the
proposed collection(s) summarized in
this notice, you may make your request
using one of following:
1. Access CMS’ Web site address at
http://www.cms.hhs.gov/Paperwork/
ReductionActof1995.
2. Email your request, including your
address, phone number, OMB number,
and CMS document identifier, to
Paperwork@cms.hhs.gov.
3. Call the Reports Clearance Office at
(410) 786–1326.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:
William Parham at (410) 786–4669.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Contents
This notice sets out a summary of the
use and burden associated with the
following information collections. More
detailed information can be found in
each collection’s supporting statement
and associated materials (see
ADDRESS:
CMS–437 Psychiatric Unit Criteria
Work Sheet
CMS–10515 Payment Collections
Operations Contingency Plan
Under the PRA (44 U.S.C. 3501–
3520), federal agencies must obtain
approval from the Office of Management
and Budget (OMB) for each collection of
information they conduct or sponsor.
The term “collection of information” is
defined in 44 U.S.C. 3502(3) and 5 CFR
1320.3(c) and includes agency requests
or requirements that members of the
public submit reports, keep records, or
provide information to a third party.
Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the PRA
requires federal agencies to publish a
60-day notice in the Federal Register
concerning each proposed collection of
information, including each proposed
extension or reinstatement of an existing
collection of information, before
submitting the collection to OMB for
approval. To comply with this
requirement, CMS is publishing this
notice.

Information Collection
1. Type of Information Collection
Request: Reinstatement with Change of
a currently approved collection; Title of
Information Collection: Psychiatric Unit
Criteria Work Sheet; Use: Certain