

terms. CDC reviews potential candidates for the BSC, NCIPC membership each year, and provides a slate of nominees for consideration to the Secretary of HHS for final selection. HHS notifies selected candidates of their appointment near the start of the term in August 31, 2019, or as soon as the HHS selection process is completed. Note that the need for different expertise varies from year to year and a candidate who is not selected in one year may be reconsidered in a subsequent year.

Nominees must be U.S. citizens, and cannot be full-time employees of the U.S. Government. Candidates should submit the following items:

- Current curriculum vitae, including complete contact information (telephone numbers, mailing address, email address)

- At least one letter of recommendation from person(s) not employed by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services. (Candidates may submit letter(s) from current HHS employees if they wish, but at least one letter must be submitted by a person not employed by an HHS agency (e.g., CDC, NIH, FDA, etc.).

- Nominations may be submitted by the candidate him- or herself, or by the person/organization recommending the candidate.

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 CDC and the Agency for Toxic Substances and Disease Registry.

Elaine L. Baker,

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

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

[Docket No. CDC-2015-0049]

Notice of Availability of the Final Revised Environmental Assessment and a Finding of No Significant Impact for HHS/CDC Lawrenceville Campus Proposed Improvements 2015-2025, Lawrenceville, Georgia

AGENCY: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

ACTION: Notice of Availability of the Final Revised Environmental

Assessment and a Finding of No Significant Impact.

SUMMARY: The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), within the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) announces the availability of the Final Revised Environmental Assessment (EA) and a Finding of No Significant Impact (FONSI) for the CDC Lawrenceville Campus Proposed Improvements 2015-2025.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Stephen Klim, RA, Office of Safety, Security, and Asset Management, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1600 Clifton Road NE, MS-K96, Atlanta, Georgia 30329, Telephone: (770)488-8009.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: On February 16, 2016 CDC published a Notice of Availability for the Final Environmental Assessment (2016 Final EA) and FONSI for the HHS/CDC's Lawrenceville Campus Proposed Improvements 2015-2025 (81 FR 7800). The 2016 Final EA assessed the potential impacts associated with the undertaking of proposed improvements on the HHS/CDC's Lawrenceville Campus located at 602 Webb Gin House Road in Lawrenceville, Georgia. The proposed improvements include: (1) Building demolition; (2) new building construction, including an approximately 12,000 gross square feet (gsf) Science Support Building, a new Transshipping and Receiving Area at approximately 2,500 gsf and two new small Office Support Buildings at 8,000 gsf and 6,000 gsf; (3) expansion and relocation of parking on campus; and (4) the creation of an additional point of access to the campus.

Since the completion of the 2016 Final EA and FONSI, HHS/CDC proposed changes to the Proposed Action to include the installation of a photovoltaic system. HHS/CDC revised the EA in order to evaluate the potential environmental impacts association with the new photovoltaic system. On September 22, 2017 HHS/CDC published a NOA in the **Federal Register** announcing the availability of the Revised EA and requested public comment. The comment period ended on October 23, 2017.

CDC assessed the potential impacts of the proposed improvements on the natural and human environment and determined that the proposed action would not result in significant adverse impacts. Based on the results of the Final Revised EA, CDC has issued a FONSI indicating the proposed action will not have a significant impact on the environment. The Build Alternative will

be undertaken in accordance with the best management practices (BMPs), minimization and mitigation measures as presented in the Final EA and FONSI. Copies of the FONSI and/or Final Revised EA are available by contacting Stephen Klim (please see **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT**).

Dated: March 6, 2018.

Sandra Cashman,

Executive Secretary, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

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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 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 must be received by May 11, 2018.

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’ website address at <http://www.cms.hhs.gov/PaperworkReductionActof1995>.

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 **ADDRESSES**).

CMS-10394 Application To Be Qualified Entity To Receive Medicare Data for Performance Measurement
 CMS-10544 Good Cause Processes
 CMS-10008 Eligibility of Drugs, Biologicals, and Radiopharmaceutical Agents for Transitional Pass-Through Status Under the Hospital
 CMS-855i Medicare Enrollment Application for Physician and Non-Physician Practitioners
 CMS-10545 Outcome and Assessment Information Set (OASIS) OASIS-C2/ICD-10

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:* Extension of a currently approved collection; *Title of Information Collection:* Application to be Qualified Entity to Receive Medicare Data for Performance Measurement; *Use:* The Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (ACA) was enacted on March 23, 2010 (Pub. L. 111-148). ACA amends section 1874 of the Social Security Act by adding a new subsection (e) to make standardized extracts of Medicare claims data under Parts A, B, and D available to qualified entities to evaluate the performance of providers of services and suppliers. This is the application needed to determine an organization’s eligibility as a qualified entity. To implement the requirements outlined in the legislation, CMS established the Qualified Entity Certification Program (QCEP) to evaluate an organization’s eligibility across three areas: Organizational and governance capabilities, addition of claims data from other sources (as required in the statute), and data privacy and security. This collection covers the application through which organizations provide information to CMS to determine whether they will be approved as a qualified entity. *Form Number:* CMS-10394 (OMB control number: 0938-1144); *Frequency:* Reporting—Yearly; *Affected Public:* Private Sector (State, Local, or Tribal Governments, Business or other for-profits, Not-for-Profit Institutions); *Number of Respondents:* 30; *Total Annual Responses:* 10; *Total Annual Hours:* 5,000. (For policy questions regarding this collection contact Kari Gaare at 410-786-8612.)

2. *Type of Information Collection Request:* Extension of a currently approved collection; *Title of Information Collection:* Good Cause Processes; *Use:* Section 1851(g)(3)(B)(i) of the Act provides that MA organizations may terminate the enrollment of individuals who fail to pay basic and supplemental premiums after a grace period established by the plan. Section 1860D-1(b)(1)(B)(v) of the Act generally directs us to establish rules related to enrollment, dis-

enrollment, and termination for Part D plan sponsors that are similar to those established for MA organizations under section 1851 of the Act. Consistent with these sections of the Act, subpart B in each of the Parts C and D regulations sets forth requirements with respect to involuntary dis-enrollment procedures at 42 CFR 422.74 and 423.44, respectively. In addition, section 1876(c)(3)(B) establishes that individuals may be dis-enrolled from coverage as specified in regulations. Thus, current regulations at 42 CFR 417.460 specify that a cost plan, specifically a Health Maintenance Organization (HMO) or competitive medical plan (CMP), may dis-enroll a member who fails to pay premiums or other charges imposed by the plan for deductible and coinsurance amounts. Within these regulatory provisions, individuals dis-enrolled for nonpayment of premiums are afforded a grace period in which to request reinstatement. As part of the reinstatement request process, they must demonstrate good cause for failure to pay within the initial grace period that led to their involuntary dis-enrollment and pay all overdue premiums within three calendar months after the dis-enrollment date. *Form Number:* CMS-10544 (OMB control number: 0938-1271); *Frequency:* Reporting—Monthly; *Affected Public:* Private Sector (Business or other for-profit institutions); *Number of Respondents:* 10,008; *Total Annual Responses:* 10,008; *Total Annual Hours:* 6,665. (For policy questions regarding this collection contact Carla Patterson at 410-786-1000).

3. *Type of Information Collection Request:* Reinstatement with a change of a previously approved collection; *Title of Information Collection:* Eligibility of Drugs, Biologicals, and Radiopharmaceutical Agents for Transitional Pass-Through Status under the Hospital; *Use:* Section 1833(t)(6) of the Act provides for temporary additional payments or “transitional pass-through payments” for certain drugs and biological agents. As originally enacted by the Balanced Budget Refinement Act (BBRA), this provision required the Secretary to make additional payments to hospitals for current orphan drugs, as designated under section 526 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (Pub. L. 107-186); current drugs and biological agents and brachytherapy used for the treatment of cancer; and current radiopharmaceutical drugs and biological products. For those drugs and biological agents referred to as

“current,” the transitional pass-through payment began on the first date the hospital OPSS was implemented (before enactment of Benefits Improvement and Protections Act (BIPA) (Pub. L. 106–554), on December 21, 2000).

Transitional pass-through payments are also required for certain “new” drugs, devices and biological agents that were not being paid for as a hospital outpatient department (OPD) service as of December 31, 1996, and whose cost is “not insignificant” in relation to the outpatient perspective payment system (OPPS) payment for the procedures or services associated with the new drug, device, or biological. Under the statute, transitional pass-through payments can be made for at least 2 years but not more than 3 years. We have qualified thousands for transitional pass-through payments through our application process. However, to keep pace with emerging new technologies and make them accessible to Medicare beneficiaries in a timely manner as the law intended, it is necessary that we continue to collect appropriate information from interested parties such as hospitals and pharmaceutical companies that bring to our attention specific new drugs, biologicals and radiopharmaceuticals to be evaluated for transitional pass-through status. *Form Number:* CMS–10008 (OMB control number: 0938–0802); *Frequency:* Yearly; *Affected Public:* Private sector (Business or other for-profit institutions); *Number of Respondents:* 30; *Total Annual Responses:* 30; *Total Annual Hours:* 480. (For policy questions regarding this collection contact Raymond Bulls at 410–786–7267).

4. *Type of Information Collection Request:* New collection (Request for new OMB control number); *Title of Information Collection:* Medicare Enrollment Application for Physician and Non-Physician Practitioners; *Use:* The application is used by Medicare contractors to collect data to ensure that the applicant has the necessary credentials to provide the health care services for which they intend to bill Medicare, including information that allows the Medicare contractor to correctly price, process and pay the applicant’s claims. This application collects information to ensure that only legitimate physicians, non-physician practitioners, and other eligible professionals are enrolled in the Medicare program. It is meant to be the first line defense to protect our beneficiaries from illegitimate providers and to protect the Medicare Trust Fund against fraud. It also gathers information

that allows Medicare contractors to ensure that the provider/supplier is not sanctioned from the Medicare and/or Medicaid program(s), or debarred, suspended or excluded from any other Federal agency or program. *Form Number:* CMS–855I (OMB control number: 0938–NEW); *Frequency:* On Occasion; *Affected Public:* State, Local, or Tribal Governments, Private Sector (not-for-profit institutions); *Number of Respondents:* 513,872; *Total Annual Responses:* 1,370,078; *Total Annual Hours:* 1,000,167. (For policy questions regarding this collection contact Kimberly McPhillips at 410–786–5374).

5. *Type of Information Collection Request:* Revision of a currently approved collection; *Title of Information Collection:* Outcome and Assessment Information Set (OASIS) OASIS–C2/ICD–10; *Use:* This request is for OMB approval to modify the Outcome and Assessment Information Set (OASIS) that home health agencies (HHAs) are required to collect in order to participate in the Medicare program. The current version of the OASIS, OASIS–C2 (0938–1279) data item set was approved by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) on December 9, 2016 and implemented on January 1, 2017. We are seeking OMB approval for the proposed revised OASIS item set, referred to hereafter as OASIS–D, scheduled for implementation on January 1, 2019. The OASIS D is being modified to: Include changes pursuant to the Improving Medicare Post-Acute Care Transformation Act of 2014 (the IMPACT Act); accommodate data element removals to reduce burden; and improve formatting throughout the document. *Form Number:* CMS–10545 (OMB control number: 0938–1279); *Frequency:* Occasionally; *Affected Public:* Private Sector (Business or other for-profit and Not-for-profit institutions); *Number of Respondents:* 12,149; *Total Annual Responses:* 18,161,942; *Total Annual Hours:* 9,943,141. (For policy questions regarding this collection contact Joan Proctor at 410–786–0949.)

Dated: March 7, 2018.

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

Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. FDA–2018–D–0626]

Proprietary Names for New Animal Drugs; Draft Guidance for Industry; Availability

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA or Agency) is announcing the availability of a draft guidance for industry #240 entitled “Proprietary Names for New Animal Drugs.” This draft guidance provides recommendations to help new animal drug sponsors develop proprietary names for new animal drugs that do not contribute to medication errors, negatively impact safe use of the drug, or misbrand the drug. This draft guidance proposes a framework for evaluating proposed proprietary names before submitting them for review by the Center for Veterinary Medicine (CVM or we). It also explains how new animal drug sponsors can request that CVM evaluate a proposed proprietary name.

DATES: Submit either electronic or written comments on the draft guidance by May 11, 2018 to ensure that the Agency considers your comment on this draft guidance before it begins work on the final version of the guidance.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments on any guidance at any time as follows:

Electronic Submissions

Submit electronic comments in the following way:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* <https://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments. Comments submitted electronically, including attachments, to <https://www.regulations.gov> will be posted to the docket unchanged. Because your comment will be made public, you are solely responsible for ensuring that your comment does not include any confidential information that you or a third party may not wish to be posted, such as medical information, your or anyone else’s Social Security number, or confidential business information, such as a manufacturing process. Please note that if you include your name, contact information, or other information that identifies you in the body of your comments, that information will be posted on <https://www.regulations.gov>.
- If you want to submit a comment with confidential information that you