

individuals (e.g., parents and physicians) and representatives of professional medical and community-based organizations. A summary of public comments and responses to comments, including changes are noted in the *Summary of Public Comments and CDC Responses to Public Comments for Information for Providers Counseling Male Patients and Parents Regarding Male Circumcision and the Prevention of HIV Infection, Sexually Transmitted Infections, and other Health Outcomes*. This document is in the docket at: [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) and at <https://www.cdc.gov/hiv/pdf/risk/MC-HISA-Public-Comments-and-Responses.pdf>.

Peer Review comments (initial comment period). Peer reviewers were asked to review the *Initial Draft Document* and its companion document, *Background, Methods, and Synthesis of Scientific Information Used to Inform the 'Recommendations for Providers Counseling Male Patients and Parents Regarding Male Circumcision and the Prevention of HIV Infection, STIs, and other Health Outcomes.'* On August 30, 2018, the title of this companion document was changed to *Background, Methods, and Synthesis of Scientific Information Used to Inform 'Information for Providers to Share with Male Patients and Parents Regarding Male Circumcision and the Prevention of HIV Infection, Sexually Transmitted Infections, and other Health Outcomes'* to better align with the content in the final document.

CDC considers these documents to be highly influential scientific assessments (HISA) as defined by the Office of Management and Budget's (OMB) directive, Final Information Quality Bulletin for Peer Review, dated December 15, 2004. HISA documents are subject to peer review.

Peer reviewers evaluated the appropriateness of the methods and of the interpretation of findings, including generalizability of the evidence to the United States. Peer review comments were received from three physician peer reviewers. A copy of peer review comments, CDC responses, and changes are noted in the documents titled: *Peer Review Comments and CDC Responses for Peer Review Comments and CDC Responses for "Information for Providers to Share with Male Patients and Parents Regarding Male Circumcision and the Prevention of HIV Infection, Sexually Transmitted Infections, and other Health Outcomes"* and *"Background, Methods, and Synthesis of Scientific Information Used to Inform 'Information for Providers to Share with Male Patients and Parents Regarding Male Circumcision and the*

*Prevention of HIV Infection, Sexually Transmitted Infections, and other Health Outcomes.'* These documents are in the public docket at [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) and at <https://www.cdc.gov/hiv/pdf/risk/MC-HISA-Round-1-Peer-Review-Comments-and-Responses.pdf>.

*Second comment period.* The second comment period was opened during September 15–30, 2016, for peer review only.

*Peer Review comments (second comment period).* Peer Reviewers reviewed and commented on a revised copy of the *Initial Draft Document*. Peer Reviewers were asked to limit their comments only to changes that were made as a result of the initial comment period.

Comments were received from two peer reviewers. A summary of peer review comments, CDC responses, and changes made are noted in the *Summary of Peer Review Comments and CDC Responses to Second Round of Peer Review Comments for Information for Providers to Share with Male Patients and Parents Regarding Male Circumcision and the Prevention of HIV Infection, Sexually Transmitted Infections, and other Health Outcomes* are in the public docket at [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) and at <https://www.cdc.gov/hiv/pdf/risk/MC-HISA-Round-2-Peer-Review-Comments-and-Responses.pdf>.

All comments were carefully reviewed and considered in the development of the final version of the document found in the public docket at [www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov) and at <https://www.cdc.gov/hiv/risk/male-circumcision.html>.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

#### Board of Scientific Counselors, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health: Notice of Charter Renewal

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

**ACTION:** Notice of charter renewal.

**SUMMARY:** This gives notice under the Federal Advisory Committee Act of October 6, 1972, that the Board of Scientific Counselors, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Department of Health and Human Services, has been renewed for a 2-year period through February 3, 2021.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

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The Chief Operating Officer, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 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.

**Sherri Berger,**

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

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#### Agency Forms Undergoing Paperwork Reduction Act Review

In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has submitted the information collection request titled "HIV prevention among Latina transgender women: Evaluation of a Locally Developed Intervention (ChiCAS)" to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval. CDC previously published a "Proposed Data Collection Submitted for Public Comment and Recommendations" notice on August 23, 2018 to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies. CDC did not receive comments related to the previous notice. This notice serves to allow an additional 30 days for public and affected agency comments.

CDC will accept all comments for this proposed information collection project. The Office of Management and Budget is particularly interested in comments that: