

**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE****Office of the Secretary****[Docket ID DOD–2018–HA–0102]****Submission for OMB Review;  
Comment Request****AGENCY:** Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Health Affairs, DoD.**ACTION:** 30-day information collection notice.**SUMMARY:** The Department of Defense has submitted to OMB for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act.**DATES:** Consideration will be given to all comments received by April 10, 2019.**ADDRESSES:** Comments and recommendations on the proposed information collection should be emailed to Mr. Josh Brammer, DoD Desk Officer, at [aira\\_submission@omb.eop.gov](mailto:aira_submission@omb.eop.gov). Please identify the proposed information collection by DoD Desk Officer, Docket ID number, and title of the information collection.**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**Angela James, 571–372–7574, or [whs.mc-alex.esd.mbx.dd-dod-information-collections@mail.mil](mailto:whs.mc-alex.esd.mbx.dd-dod-information-collections@mail.mil).**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:***Title; Associated Form; and OMB Number:* Comparing Hospital Hand Hygiene in Liberia: Soap, Alcohol, and Hypochlorite; OMB Control Number 0720–XXXX.*Type of Request:* New collection.  
*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.*Phase 1 Interview:**Annual Burden Hours:* 84.*Number of Respondents:* 84.*Responses per Respondent:* 1.*Annual Responses:* 84.*Average Burden per Response:* 1 hour.*Frequency:* As required.*Phase 2 Interview:**Annual Burden Hours:* 90.*Number of Respondents:* 36.*Responses per Respondent:* 2.5.<sup>1</sup>*Annual Responses:* 90.*Average Burden per Response:* 1 hour.*Frequency:* As required.*Phase 3 Interview:**Annual Burden Hours:* 36.*Number of Respondents:* 36.*Responses per Respondent:* 1.*Annual Responses:* 36.*Average Burden per Response:* 1 hour.*Frequency:* As required.*Phase 4 Interview:**Annual Burden Hours:* 48.*Number of Respondents:* 48.*Responses per Respondent:* 1.*Annual Responses:* 48.*Average Burden per Response:* 1 hour.*Frequency:* As required.*Total Annual Burden Hours:* 258.<sup>2</sup>*Total Number of Respondents:* 84 total.*Total Average Burden per Response:* 1 hour.*Total Annual Responses:* 258.*Needs and Uses:* This information collection is necessary to conduct research as part of a U.S.-Liberia collaboration funded by the U.S. Department of Defense Center for Global Health Engagement. The study objectives are to determine the most appropriate cleansing material (soap, alcohol, or hypochlorite/chlorine solution) for routine hand hygiene in Liberian healthcare facilities and to determine how best to implement hand hygiene programs in these facilities. Results of this study may inform Liberian Government strategies to expand and implement best hospital hand hygiene intervention(s) across the nation, and also help shape hand hygiene program implementation in the U.S. DoD global humanitarian assistance, disaster relief, and health system strengthening.*Affected Public:* Individuals or households.*Frequency:* As required.*Respondent's Obligation:* Voluntary.*OMB Desk Officer:* Mr. Josh Brammer.

You may also submit comments and recommendations, identified by Docket ID number and title, by the following method:

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*Instructions:* All submissions received must include the agency name, Docket ID number, and title for this **Federal Register** document. The general policy for comments and other submissions from members of the public is to make these submissions available for public viewing on the internet at <http://www.regulations.gov> as they are received without change, including any personal identifiers or contact information.*DoD Clearance Officer:* Ms. Angela James.Requests for copies of the information collection proposal should be sent to Ms. James at [whs.mc-alex.esd.mbx.dd-dod-information-collections@mail.mil](mailto:whs.mc-alex.esd.mbx.dd-dod-information-collections@mail.mil).

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Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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**DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE****Department of the Navy****Certificate of Alternate Compliance for  
USS TRIPOLI (LHA 7)****AGENCY:** Department of the Navy, DoD.**ACTION:** Notice of Issuance of Certificate of Alternate Compliance.**SUMMARY:** The U.S. Navy hereby announces that a Certificate of Alternate Compliance has been issued for USS TRIPOLI (LHA 7). Due to the special construction and purpose of this vessel, the Deputy Assistant Judge Advocate General (DAJAG) (Admiralty and Maritime Law) has determined that it is a vessel of the Navy which, due to its special construction and purpose, cannot comply fully with the certain provisions of the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1972 (72 COLREGS) without interfering with its special functions as a naval ship. The intended effect of this notice is to warn mariners in waters where 72 COLREGS apply.**DATES:** This Certificate of Alternate Compliance is effective March 11, 2019 and is applicable beginning March 4, 2019.**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**Lieutenant Commander Bradley L. Davis, JAGC, U.S. Navy, Admiralty Attorney, Office of the Judge Advocate General, Admiralty and Maritime Law Division (Code 11), 1322 Patterson Ave SE, Suite 3000, Washington Navy Yard, DC 20374–5066, telephone number: 202–685–5040, or [admiralty@navy.mil](mailto:admiralty@navy.mil).**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

Background and Purpose. Executive Order 11964 of January 19, 1977 and 33 U.S.C. 1605 provide that the requirements of the 72 COLREGS, as to the number, position, range, or arc of visibility of lights or shapes, as well as to the disposition and characteristics of sound-signaling appliances, shall not apply to a vessel or class of vessels of the Navy where the Secretary of the Navy shall find and certify that, by reason of special construction or purpose, it is not possible for such vessel(s) to comply fully with the provisions without interfering with the special function of the vessel(s). Notice of issuance of a Certificate of Alternate

<sup>1</sup> Respondents may complete a follow up to their original response during Phase 2, via a focus group.<sup>2</sup> Some respondents are the same throughout the collection's phases.