

offers the general public and other federal agencies the opportunity to comment on the administration of the Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems (CAHPS®) survey for the Federal Employees Health Benefits (FEHB) Program. CAHPS® surveys ask consumers and patients to report on and evaluate their experiences with health care. These surveys cover topics that are important to consumers and focus on aspects of quality that consumers are best qualified to assess, such as the communication skills of providers and ease of access to health care services.

DATES: Comments are encouraged and will be accepted until September 20, 2019.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by docket number and/or Regulatory Information Number (RIN) and title, by the following method:

- *Federal Rulemaking Portal:* <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

All submissions received must include the agency name and docket number or RIN for this document. The general policy for comments and other submissions from members of the public is to make these submissions available for public viewing at <http://www.regulations.gov> as they are received without change, including any personal identifiers or contact information.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: A copy of this ICR, with applicable supporting documentation, may be obtained by contacting the Office of Personnel Management, 1900 E. Street NW, Washington, DC 20415, Attention: Joseph Kahn, Program Manager, Performance Improvement, Federal Employee Insurance Operations, Healthcare and Insurance, fehbp@opm.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: As required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, (Pub. L. 104–13, 44 U.S.C. chapter 35) as amended by the Clinger-Cohen Act (Pub. L. 104–106), OPM is soliciting comments for this collection. The Office of Management and Budget is particularly interested in comments that:

1. Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;

2. Evaluate the accuracy of the agency’s estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

3. Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and

4. Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submissions of responses.

OPM uses the CAHPS results as part of the FEHB Plan Performance Assessment (PPA). The PPA enables a consistent, objective evaluation of carrier performance and also provides more transparency for enrollees. This assessment uses a discrete set of quantifiable measures to examine key aspects of performance in the areas of clinical quality, customer service and resource use. Eight CAHPS measures are part of this discrete set of quantifiable measures.

Taken together with more traditional assessments of contract administration, these measures help ensure that enrollees receive high quality affordable healthcare and a positive customer experience. The PPA is linked to carrier profit and adjustment factors. FEHB contracts include language to incorporate the PPA as a determinant of the Service Charge or Performance Adjustment.

Analysis

Agency: Healthcare and Insurance, Office of Personnel Management.

Authority: 5 U.S.C. 8910.

Title: CAHPS Survey.

OMB Number: 3206–NEW.

Frequency: Annually.

Affected Public: Federal Employees and Retirees.

Number of Respondents: 73,505.

Estimated Time per Respondent: 15 minutes.

Total Burden Hours: 18,376 hours.

Office of Personnel Management.

Alexys Stanley,

Regulatory Affairs Analyst.

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OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT

Excepted Service

AGENCY: Office of Personnel Management (OPM).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: This notice identifies Schedule A, B, and C appointing authorities applicable to a single agency that were established or revoked from April 1, 2019 to April 30, 2019.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Julia Alford, Senior Executive Resources Services, Senior Executive Services and Performance Management, Employee Services, 202–606–2246.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In accordance with 5 CFR 213.103, Schedule A, B, and C appointing authorities available for use by all agencies are codified in the Code of Federal Regulations (CFR). Schedule A, B, and C appointing authorities applicable to a single agency are not codified in the CFR, but the Office of Personnel Management (OPM) publishes a notice of agency-specific authorities established or revoked each month in the **Federal Register** at www.gpo.gov/fdsys/. OPM also publishes an annual notice of the consolidated listing of all Schedule A, B, and C appointing authorities, current as of June 30, in the **Federal Register**.

Schedule A

No Schedule A Authorities to report during April 2019.

Schedule B

No Schedule B Authorities to report during April 2019.

Schedule C

The following Schedule C appointing authorities were approved during April 2019.

Agency name	Organization name	Position title	Authorization No.	Effective date
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.	Office of Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service.	Senior Advisor	DA190083	04/04/2019
	Farm Service Agency	State Executive Director, Idaho	DA190086	04/09/2019
		State Executive Director—Washington.	DA190105	04/24/2019

Agency name	Organization name	Position title	Authorization No.	Effective date
APPALACHIAN REGIONAL COMMISSION. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ..	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Congressional Relations. Office of the Assistant to the Secretary for Rural Development. Office of the Secretary	Legislative Analyst (2)	DA190088	04/04/2019
		Confidential Assistant	DA190069	04/12/2019
		DA190114	04/24/2019	
		Senior Advisor	DA190108	04/05/2019
		State Director—Florida	DA190056	04/02/2019
		Chief of Staff	DA190124	04/23/2019
		State Director—New Jersey	DA180116	04/08/2019
		Chief of Staff	DA190116	04/12/2019
		Speechwriter	AP190001	04/04/2019
		Appalachian Regional Commission	Office of General Counsel	Special Advisor
Office of Policy and Strategic Planning.	Deputy Director, Office of Policy and Strategic Planning.	DC190073	04/11/2019	
Office of Public Affairs	Deputy Director of Public Affairs and Press Secretary.	DC190064	04/16/2019	
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Economic Development.	Special Advisor for External Affairs	DC190061	04/11/2019	
Office of the Director	Director of Strategic Initiatives	DC190067	04/25/2019	
Patent and Trademark Office	Special Assistant	DC190053	04/16/2019	
Office of Communications	Supervisory Public Affairs Specialist.	PS190003	04/03/2019	
CONSUMER PRODUCT SAFETY COMMISSION. COUNCIL ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE	Council on Environmental Quality	Associate Director for Natural Resources.	EQ190001	04/16/2019
Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Legislative Affairs). Washington Headquarters Services.	Special Assistant	DD190071	04/04/2019	
Office of the Under Secretary of Defense (Policy).	Defense Fellow	DD190074	04/04/2019	
Office of the Deputy Under Secretary for Policy.	Special Assistant	DD190078	04/23/2019	
Special Assistant	DD190130	04/23/2019		
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY	Office Assistant Secretary Army (Acquisition, Logistics and Technology).	Special Assistant (Strategy and Acquisition Reform).	DW190032	04/05/2019
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION ..	Office for Civil Rights	Attorney Advisor	DB190073	04/04/2019
Office of Communications and Outreach.	Special Assistant	DB190076	04/05/2019	
Office of Planning, Evaluation and Policy Development.	Director of Outreach	DB190077	04/08/2019	
Office of the Secretary	Special Assistant	DB190060	04/08/2019	
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Congressional and Intergovernmental Affairs.	Special Assistant (Supervisory)	DB190062	04/08/2019
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Electricity Delivery and Energy Reliability.	Special Assistant	DE190083	04/24/2019	
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Nuclear Energy.	Senior Advisor	DE190085	04/08/2019	
Office of General Counsel	Special Assistant	DE190090	04/23/2019	
Office of Management	Senior Oversight Advisor	DE190078	04/04/2019	
Office of Policy	Special Assistant	DE190082	04/24/2019	
Office of Public Affairs	Principal Deputy Director	DE190118	04/25/2019	
Office of Science	Deputy Creative Director	DE190069	04/05/2019	
Office of the Chief Financial Officer	Senior Advisor	DE190084	04/08/2019	
Office of the Secretary	Chief of Staff	DE190065	04/04/2019	
Under Secretary of Energy	White House Liaison	DE190081	04/08/2019	
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY.	Environmental Protection Agency ..	Special Assistant	DE190089	04/23/2019
Office of Mission Support	Special Assistant	EP190066	04/09/2019	
Chief Sustainability Officer	Chief Sustainability Officer	EP190058	04/04/2019	
Associate Deputy Assistant Administrator for the Office of Mission Support.	Associate Deputy Assistant Administrator for the Office of Mission Support.	EP190067	04/29/2019	
Office of Public Engagement and Environmental Education.	Special Advisor for Public Engagement.	EP190055	04/08/2019	
Office of the Administrator	Senior Advisor for Oil and Gas, Regional Management and State Affairs.	EP190057	04/23/2019	
Office of the Associate Administrator for Congressional and Intergovernmental Relations.	Advance Associate	EP190074	04/23/2019	
Special Advisor for House Relations.	Special Advisor for House Relations.	EP190050	04/04/2019	
Special Assistant (2)	Special Assistant (2)	EP190062	04/08/2019	
		EP190064	04/09/2019	

Agency name	Organization name	Position title	Authorization No.	Effective date	
FEDERAL HOUSING FINANCE AGENCY. GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION.	Office of Director	Deputy Associate Administrator for the Office of Congressional and Intergovernmental Relations.	EP190070	04/16/2019	
		Director of External Relations	HA190001	04/23/2019	
	Office of the Administrator	Confidential Assistant	GS190019	04/04/2019	
		Office of the National Capital Region. Special Assistant	GS190027	04/17/2019	
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES.	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Financial Resources.	Special Assistant	DH190069	04/04/2019	
		Office of the Secretary	Advisor	DH190089	04/05/2019
	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Financial Resources.	Deputy Assistant Secretary, Congressional Relations.	DH190090	04/12/2019	
		Office of the Agency for Healthcare Research and Quality.	Advisor	DH190094	04/12/2019
	Office of the Administration for Children and Families.	Senior Advisor	DH190105	04/12/2019	
	DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY.	Office of the Secretary	Deputy Scheduler	DH190110	04/17/2019
Director of Scheduling			DH190113	04/30/2019	
Office of Countering Weapons of Mass Destruction.		Advisor	DM190136	04/04/2019	
		Senior Advisor	DM190135	04/05/2019	
		Briefing Book Coordinator	DM190143	04/10/2019	
DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT.	Office of Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs.	Executive Secretariat and Administrative Officer.	DM190138	04/17/2019	
		Office of Congressional and Intergovernmental Relations.	Senior Advisor	DU190053	04/04/2019
	Office of Field Policy and Management.	Advisor	DU190056	04/11/2019	
		Regional Administrator	DU190061	04/17/2019	
	Office of Public and Indian Housing.	Policy Advisor	DU190054	04/05/2019	
		Special Assistant	DU190060	04/24/2019	
	Office of the Administration	Advance Coordinator	DU190062	04/17/2019	
		Office of the Secretary	Special Assistant	DU190050	04/25/2019
	DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.	Office of the Assistant Secretary—Policy, Management and Budget.	Special Assistant	DI190041	04/04/2019
			National Park Service	Assistant Director for Congressional Relations.	DI190035
Bureau of Ocean Energy Management.		Senior Advisor-Bureau of Ocean Energy Management.	DI190038	04/17/2019	
		Office of the Assistant Secretary—Water and Science.	Senior Advisor	DI190047	04/17/2019
Office of Congressional and Legislative Affairs.		Special Assistant -Congressional and Legislative Affairs.	DI190048	04/23/2019	
		Office of the Assistant Secretary—Fish and Wildlife and Parks.	Counselor-Fish and Wildlife and Parks.	DI190052	04/24/2019
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE		Office of Civil Division	Senior Counsel	DJ190055	04/11/2019
			Chief of Staff and Counsel	DJ190041	04/11/2019
		Department of Justice	Chief of Staff and Counsel	DJ190080	04/24/2019
			Executive Office for United States Attorneys.	Secretary	DJ190082
DEPARTMENT OF LABOR	Office of Legislative Affairs	Legislative Advisor	DJ190048	04/11/2019	
		Office of the Assistant Secretary for Policy.	Policy Advisor	DL190047	04/09/2019
	Office of the Solicitor	Counsel	DL190052	04/12/2019	
Office of the Assistant Secretary for Policy.		Special Assistant	DL190058	04/24/2019	
NATIONAL AERONAUTICS AND SPACE ADMINISTRATION.	Office of the Administrator	Video Production Advisor	NN190021	04/15/2019	
OFFICE OF MANAGEMENT AND BUDGET.	Office of Health Division	Confidential Assistant	BO190014	04/25/2019	
OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT.	Office of Congressional, Legislative, and Intergovernmental Affairs.	Congressional Relations Officer	PM190011	04/04/2019	
		Legislative Analyst (2)	PM190016	04/04/2019	
	President's Commission on White House Fellowships.	Associate Director	PM190025	04/17/2019	
		PM190023	04/23/2019		
OFFICE OF THE UNITED STATES TRADE REPRESENTATIVE.	Office of Intergovernmental Affairs and Public Liaison.	Deputy Assistant for Intergovernmental Affairs and Public Engagement.	TN190003	04/05/2019	
		Writer-Editor	SE190004	04/16/2019	
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION.	Office of the Chairman				
DEPARTMENT OF STATE	Bureau of Legislative Affairs	Deputy Assistant Secretary for House Affairs.	DS190049	04/10/2019	

Agency name	Organization name	Position title	Authorization No.	Effective date
TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT AGENCY. DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION. DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY.	Bureau of Overseas Buildings Operations.	Senior Advisor	DS190071	04/11/2019
	Bureau of Public Affairs	Senior Advisor	DS190026	04/30/2019
	Office of Policy Planning	Special Assistant (3)	DS190045	04/09/2019
			DS190048	04/12/2019
			DS190056	04/17/2019
			DS190047	04/29/2019
	Office of the Chief of Protocol	Protocol Officer	DS190062	04/12/2019
	Office of the Under Secretary for Management.	Deputy White House Liaison	DS190089	04/25/2019
	Office of the Director	Senior Advisor for Communications.	TD190002	04/12/2019
	Office of the Administrator	Director of Communications	DT190057	04/12/2019
	Office of the Secretary	Special Assistant for Scheduling ...	DT190067	04/12/2019
	Office of Public Affairs	Media Affairs Coordinator	DT190081	04/25/2019
	Secretary of the Treasury	Deputy Chief of Staff (2)	DY190047	04/08/2019
			DY190048	04/08/2019
			DY190050	04/11/2019
	Office of the Assistant Secretary for Terrorist Financing.	Senior Counselor		
	Office of the Assistant Secretary (Public Affairs).	Special Assistant for Public Affairs	DY190045	04/05/2019
	Assistant Secretary (Legislative Affairs).	Special Assistant for Public Affairs	DY190053	04/23/2019
		Senior Advisor	DY190056	04/24/2019

The following Schedule C appointing authorities were revoked during April 2019.

Agency name	Organization name	Position title	Request No.	Date vacated
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.	Farm Service Agency	State Executive Director—California.	DA180062	04/06/2019
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE ..	Office of Executive Secretariat	Confidential Assistant	DC180136	04/13/2019
	Office of Public Affairs	Deputy Director of Public Affairs and Press Secretary.	DC170066	04/13/2019
	Office of Advance, Scheduling and Protocol.	Deputy Director of Protocol	DC170167	04/27/2019
OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF DEFENSE.	Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense (Legislative Affairs).	Director of Strategic Communications for Legislative Affairs.	DD180067	04/13/2019
	Office of the Chief Management Officer.	Special Assistant to the Chief Management Officer.	DD180078	04/13/2019
	Washington Headquarters Services.	Defense Fellow	DD190017	04/13/2019
DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY	Office Assistant Secretary Army (Civil Works).	Special Assistant to the Deputy Assistant Secretary of the Army (Strategy and Acquisition Reform).	DW180031	04/27/2019
DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY	Office of the Assistant Secretary of Navy (Energy, Installations, and Environment).	Special Assistant to the Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Energy, Installations and Environment).	DN170025	04/13/2019
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION ..	Office of Communications and Outreach.	Special Assistant (2)	DB170099	04/13/2019
	Office of the Deputy Secretary	Special Assistant	DB190004	04/13/2019
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES.	Office of Food and Drug Administration.	Director of Communication	DB190012	04/13/2019
	Office of the Secretary	Director of Scheduling	DH190063	04/22/2019
DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY.	Office of the Chief of Staff	Director of Scheduling and Advance and Chief of Protocol.	DH180100	04/27/2019
DEPARTMENT OF HOUSING AND URBAN DEVELOPMENT.	Office of Field Policy Management	Regional Administrator	DM170170	04/13/2019
DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE	Office of Legal Policy	Counsel	DU170177	04/12/2019
	Department of Justice	Chief of Staff and Counsel	DJ170179	04/27/2019
DEPARTMENT OF THE TREASURY.	Office of the Under Secretary for International Affairs.	Special Assistant to the United States for International Affairs.	DJ180037	04/30/2019
	Office of Public Affairs	Press Secretary	DY180107	04/06/2019
	Office of the Secretary	Senior Advisor	DT180057	04/13/2019
ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY.	Region VIII—Denver, Colorado	Attorney-Advisor (General)	DT190007	04/28/2019
EXPORT-IMPORT BANK	Office of Congressional and Intergovernmental Affairs.	Senior Vice President for Congressional and Intergovernmental Affairs.	EP180070	04/27/2019
			EB170020	04/13/2019

Agency name	Organization name	Position title	Request No.	Date vacated
GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION.	Office of the Administrator	Confidential Assistant	GS180023	04/27/2019
OCCUPATIONAL SAFETY AND HEALTH REVIEW COMMISSION.	Office of Commissioners	Counsel	SH170001	04/27/2019
		Confidential Assistant	SH170003	04/27/2019
OFFICE OF PERSONNEL MANAGEMENT.	President's Commission on White House Fellowships.	Assistant Director for Operations and Recruitment.	PM190018	04/27/2019
OFFICE OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY POLICY.	Office of Science and Technology Policy.	Assistant Director for Legislative Affairs.	TS170006	04/13/2019
SMALL BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION.	Office of Administration	Management Support Specialist	SB180006	04/13/2019
		Assistant to the Chief of Staff	SB190001	04/27/2019

Authority: 5 U.S.C. 3301 and 3302; E.O. 10577, 3 CFR, 1954–1958 Comp., p. 218.

Office of Personnel Management.

Alexys Stanley,

Regulatory Affairs Analyst.

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POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket Nos. MC2019–165 and CP2019–185; MC2019–166 and CP2019–186]

New Postal Products

AGENCY: Postal Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Commission is noticing a recent Postal Service filing for the Commission’s consideration concerning negotiated service agreements. This notice informs the public of the filing, invites public comment, and takes other administrative steps.

DATES: *Comments are due:* July 23, 2019.

ADDRESSES: Submit comments electronically via the Commission’s Filing Online system at <http://www.prc.gov>. Those who cannot submit comments electronically should contact the person identified in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section by telephone for advice on filing alternatives.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: David A. Trissell, General Counsel, at 202–789–6820.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

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I. Introduction

The Commission gives notice that the Postal Service filed request(s) for the Commission to consider matters related to negotiated service agreement(s). The request(s) may propose the addition or removal of a negotiated service agreement from the market dominant or

the competitive product list, or the modification of an existing product currently appearing on the market dominant or the competitive product list.

Section II identifies the docket number(s) associated with each Postal Service request, the title of each Postal Service request, the request’s acceptance date, and the authority cited by the Postal Service for each request. For each request, the Commission appoints an officer of the Commission to represent the interests of the general public in the proceeding, pursuant to 39 U.S.C. 505 (Public Representative). Section II also establishes comment deadline(s) pertaining to each request.

The public portions of the Postal Service’s request(s) can be accessed via the Commission’s website (<http://www.prc.gov>). Non-public portions of the Postal Service’s request(s), if any, can be accessed through compliance with the requirements of 39 CFR 3007.301.¹

The Commission invites comments on whether the Postal Service’s request(s) in the captioned docket(s) are consistent with the policies of title 39. For request(s) that the Postal Service states concern market dominant product(s), applicable statutory and regulatory requirements include 39 U.S.C. 3622, 39 U.S.C. 3642, 39 CFR part 3010, and 39 CFR part 3020, subpart B. For request(s) that the Postal Service states concern competitive product(s), applicable statutory and regulatory requirements include 39 U.S.C. 3632, 39 U.S.C. 3633, 39 U.S.C. 3642, 39 CFR part 3015, and 39 CFR part 3020, subpart B. Comment deadline(s) for each request appear in section II.

II. Docketed Proceeding(s)

1. *Docket No(s).*: MC2019–165 and CP2019–185; *Filing Title:* USPS Request to Add Priority Mail & First-Class Package Service Contract 108 to

¹ See Docket No. RM2018–3, Order Adopting Final Rules Relating to Non-Public Information, June 27, 2018, Attachment A at 19–22 (Order No. 4679).

Competitive Product List and Notice of Filing Materials Under Seal; *Filing Acceptance Date:* July 15, 2019; *Filing Authority:* 39 U.S.C. 3642, 39 CFR 3020.30 *et seq.*, and 39 CFR 3015.5; *Public Representative:* Kenneth R. Moeller; *Comments Due:* July 23, 2019.

2. *Docket No(s).*: MC2019–166 and CP2019–186; *Filing Title:* USPS Request to Add Priority Mail & First-Class Package Service Contract 109 to Competitive Product List and Notice of Filing Materials Under Seal; *Filing Acceptance Date:* July 15, 2019; *Filing Authority:* 39 U.S.C. 3642, 39 CFR 3020.30 *et seq.*, and 39 CFR 3015.5; *Public Representative:* Kenneth R. Moeller; *Comments Due:* July 23, 2019.

This Notice will be published in the **Federal Register**.

Ruth Ann Abrams,

Acting Secretary.

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POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION

[Docket No. CP2017–251]

New Postal Products

AGENCY: Postal Regulatory Commission.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Commission is noticing a recent Postal Service filing for the Commission’s consideration concerning negotiated service agreements. This notice informs the public of the filing, invites public comment, and takes other administrative steps.

DATES: *Comments are due:* July 24, 2019.

ADDRESSES: Submit comments electronically via the Commission’s Filing Online system at <http://www.prc.gov>. Those who cannot submit comments electronically should contact the person identified in the **FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT** section by telephone for advice on filing alternatives.