

collection of oral health data from 1,000 middle- and high-school students in Colorado communities with naturally occurring fluoride in the tap water at or exceeding one part per million. CDC is funding the Colorado State Health Department to implement the collection by recruiting eligible schools and dental examiners, gaining consent, arranging logistics, and collecting de-identified examination data and photos taken by the dental examiners. CDC is funding a national expert in dental public health data collection to train the examiners. Finally, CDC is funding researchers at Purdue University to develop photo-taking protocols and deep learning algorithms to identify dental conditions. Data collected for each student will include: (1) human assessment of fluorosis severity in the six upper anterior teeth, and caries/sealant

assessment of the occlusal surfaces of the eight permanent molars; and (2) nine smartphone digital photos of the upper anterior teeth and 24 intraoral camera digital photos of the occlusal surfaces of the eight permanent molars. Digital photos of the teeth and the completed paper screening form will be uploaded to a HIPAA compliant cloud storage box that can only be accessed by examiners and designated CDC researchers with administrative rights. CDC is authorized to collect this information under the Public Health Service Act, title 42, section 247b-14, Oral health promotion and disease prevention; and the Public Health Service Act, title 42, section 301.

CDC proposes using data collected from 750 students to train the deep learning algorithms to assess caries, sealants, and fluorosis and data from

250 students to evaluate the accuracy of the algorithms in terms of agreement with standardized examiner assessment. Manuscripts on: (1) the methodologies used to ensure sufficient photo quality when taken under field conditions; and (2) the performance of the deep learning algorithms will be submitted to peer-reviewed journals. The deep learning tool, if sufficiently accurate, will be piloted in one data collection cycle of NHANES that is administered by the National Centers for Health Statistics (NCHS). Ultimately, the tool would be shared with the State and local oral health programs and other pertinent partners.

CDC requests OMB clearance for data collection for one year. The total estimated annualized burden hours are 827. There are no costs to student respondents other than their time.

ESTIMATED ANNUALIZED BURDEN HOURS

Type of respondent	Form name	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden per response (in hr)
Child .....	Screening/photo/form .....	1,000	1	16/60
Parent or caretaker .....	Consent .....	1,000	1	1/60
Screener .....	Screening/photo form includes training, travel, screening and photos, and ongoing technical assistance.	6	1	90/60

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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:** The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), within the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), announces the renewal of the charter of the Board of Scientific Counselors, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (BSC, NIOSH).

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** CDC is providing notice under 5 U.S.C. 1001-1014. This charter has been renewed for a two-year period through February 3, 2025.

The Director, Office of Strategic Business Initiatives, Office of 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.

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Food and Drug Administration**

[Docket No. FDA-2016-D-0643]

**Labeling for Biosimilar and Interchangeable Biosimilar Products; 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 entitled "Labeling for Biosimilar and Interchangeable Biosimilar Products." This draft guidance is intended to help applicants develop draft labeling for proposed

biosimilar and interchangeable biosimilar products. The recommendations for biosimilar and interchangeable biosimilar product labeling in this draft guidance pertain only to the prescribing information, except for certain recommendations pertaining to FDA-approved patient labeling (e.g., Patient Information, Medication Guide, Instructions for Use). This draft guidance provides an overview of FDA's recommendations for labeling for biosimilar and interchangeable biosimilar products. When finalized, this draft guidance will revise and replace the guidance for industry entitled "Labeling for Biosimilar Products."

**DATES:** Submit either electronic or written comments on the draft guidance by November 17, 2023 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 do not wish to be made available to the public, submit the comment as a written/paper submission and in the manner detailed (see "Written/Paper Submissions" and "Instructions").

#### *Written/Paper Submissions*

Submit written/paper submissions as follows:

- *Mail/Hand Delivery/Courier (for written/paper submissions):* Dockets Management Staff (HFA-305), Food and Drug Administration, 5630 Fishers Lane, Rm. 1061, Rockville, MD 20852.
- For written/paper comments submitted to the Dockets Management

Staff, FDA will post your comment, as well as any attachments, except for information submitted, marked and identified, as confidential, if submitted as detailed in "Instructions."

*Instructions:* All submissions received must include the Docket No. FDA-2016-D-0643 for "Labeling for Biosimilar and Interchangeable Biosimilar Products." Received comments will be placed in the docket and, except for those submitted as "Confidential Submissions," publicly viewable at <https://www.regulations.gov> or at the Dockets Management Staff between 9 a.m. and 4 p.m., Monday through Friday, 240-402-7500.

- **Confidential Submissions**—To submit a comment with confidential information that you do not wish to be made publicly available, submit your comments only as a written/paper submission. You should submit two copies total. One copy will include the information you claim to be confidential with a heading or cover note that states "THIS DOCUMENT CONTAINS CONFIDENTIAL INFORMATION." The Agency will review this copy, including the claimed confidential information, in its consideration of comments. The second copy, which will have the claimed confidential information redacted/blacked out, will be available for public viewing and posted on <https://www.regulations.gov>. Submit both copies to the Dockets Management Staff. If you do not wish your name and contact information to be made publicly available, you can provide this information on the cover sheet and not in the body of your comments and you must identify this information as "confidential." Any information marked as "confidential" will not be disclosed except in accordance with 21 CFR 10.20 and other applicable disclosure law. For more information about FDA's posting of comments to public dockets, see 80 FR 56469, September 18, 2015, or access the information at: <https://www.govinfo.gov/content/pkg/FR-2015-09-18/pdf/2015-23389.pdf>.

*Docket:* For access to the docket to read background documents or the electronic and written/paper comments received, go to <https://www.regulations.gov> and insert the docket number, found in brackets in the heading of this document, into the "Search" box and follow the prompts and/or go to the Dockets Management Staff, 5630 Fishers Lane, Rm. 1061, Rockville, MD 20852, 240-402-7500.

You may submit comments on any guidance at any time (see 21 CFR 10.115(g)(5)).

Submit written requests for single copies of the draft guidance to the

Division of Drug Information, Center for Drug Evaluation and Research, Food and Drug Administration, 10001 New Hampshire Ave., Hillendale Building, 4th Floor, Silver Spring, MD 20993-0002; or the Office of Communication, Outreach and Development, Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research, Food and Drug Administration, 10903 New Hampshire Ave., Bldg. 71, Rm. 3128, Silver Spring, MD 20993-0002. Send one self-addressed adhesive label to assist that office in processing your requests. See the **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION** section for electronic access to the draft guidance document.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Sandra Benton, Center for Drug Evaluation and Research, Food and Drug Administration, 10903 New Hampshire Ave., Bldg. 22, Rm. 1132, Silver Spring, MD 20993, 301-796-1042, [Sandra.Benton@fda.hhs.gov](mailto:Sandra.Benton@fda.hhs.gov); or Anne Taylor, Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research, Food and Drug Administration, 10903 New Hampshire Ave., Bldg. 71, Rm. 7301, Silver Spring, MD 20993-0002, 240-402-7911.

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

##### **I. Background**

FDA is announcing the availability of a draft guidance for industry entitled "Labeling for Biosimilar and Interchangeable Biosimilar Products." Section 351(k) of the Public Health Service Act (PHS Act) (42 U.S.C. 262(k)) provides an abbreviated licensure pathway for biological products shown to be biosimilar to, or interchangeable with, an FDA-licensed reference product. Section 351(k) of the PHS Act sets forth the requirements for an application for a proposed biosimilar product and an application or a supplement for a proposed interchangeable biosimilar product. Under section 351(k) of the PHS Act, a proposed biological product that is demonstrated to be biosimilar to, or interchangeable with, a reference product can rely on certain existing scientific knowledge about the safety, purity, and potency of the reference product to support licensure, and this is reflected in the approach to biosimilar and interchangeable biosimilar product labeling.

In this draft guidance, FDA outlines its recommendations for biosimilar and interchangeable biosimilar product labeling. A demonstration of biosimilarity or interchangeability means, among other things, that FDA has determined that there are no clinically meaningful differences between the proposed product and the

reference product in terms of safety, purity, and potency. Accordingly, the draft guidance includes a recommendation that biosimilar and interchangeable biosimilar product applicants should incorporate relevant data and information from the reference product labeling, with appropriate modifications.

When finalized, this draft guidance will revise and replace the guidance for industry entitled “Labeling for Biosimilar Products” (available at <https://www.fda.gov/media/96894/download>) issued July 19, 2018 (83 FR 34141). Significant changes from the final to this draft include recommendations on the following topics:

- Labeling for interchangeable biosimilar products;
- Product identification when the reference product labeling describes a clinical study conducted with a non-U.S.-approved biological product;
- Pediatric use statements; and
- Incorporating relevant immunogenicity data and information from the reference product labeling in the biosimilar or interchangeable biosimilar product labeling.

This draft guidance also addresses topics previously addressed in Q.I.27 and Q.I.28 of the draft guidance “Biosimilarity and Interchangeability: Additional Draft Q&As on Biosimilar Development and the BPCI Act” issued on November 19, 2020 (Additional Draft Q&As guidance). FDA considered comments it received regarding these Q&As when preparing this draft guidance. The Additional Draft Q&As guidance has been revised to remove Q.I.27 and Q.I.28, with the remaining Q&As unchanged. The remaining Q&As can be found in the draft guidance “Biosimilarity and Interchangeability: Additional Draft Q&As on Biosimilar Development and the BPCI Act (Revision 1).”

Eight years have passed since FDA approved the first biosimilar product. In this time, FDA has approved over 40 biosimilar products, including multiple interchangeable biosimilar products, and has gained valuable experience about labeling considerations for biosimilar and interchangeable biosimilar products, including labeling statements in the Highlights of the Prescribing Information that explain biosimilarity and interchangeability. First, it has become clear that an applicant may choose to submit a single 351(k) biologics license application (BLA) seeking to license both biosimilar and interchangeable biosimilar products. Draft labeling for such applications would need to address both

biosimilar and interchangeable biosimilar products, and the status of a particular product within such a BLA can change over time, for example, as relevant exclusivities expire.

Determining how to appropriately label such products and keep labeling up to date without causing undue confusion has proven challenging. Moreover, a labeling statement noting that certain products within a 351(k) BLA have been approved as interchangeable, and explaining the interchangeability standard, is not likely to be useful to prescribers, who can prescribe both biosimilar and interchangeable biosimilar products in place of the reference product with equal confidence that they are as safe and effective as their reference products. Additionally, FDA’s Purple Book Database of Licensed Biological Products (the Purple Book) (available at <https://purplebooksearch.fda.gov>) has evolved as a resource for patients, pharmacists, physicians, and other health care providers to easily identify approved biosimilar and interchangeable biosimilar products. Because the Purple Book is available as an easy-to-use resource for pharmacists, and interchangeability, as defined in section 351(i)(3) of the PHS Act, pertains to substitution of an interchangeable biosimilar product for its reference product “without the intervention of the [prescribing] health care provider” (*i.e.*, pharmacy-level substitution), information about interchangeability is more appropriately located in the Purple Book rather than labeling. Consistent with this evolution in our thinking, the draft guidance states that both biosimilar and interchangeable biosimilar products should contain the same biosimilarity statement in the Highlights of the Prescribing Information. This statement is applicable to biosimilar and interchangeable biosimilar products. Accordingly, as described above, FDA has withdrawn the Q&As in its Additional Draft Q&As guidance regarding inclusion of an interchangeability statement in the labeling of products licensed as interchangeable.

Finally, we invite comment on biosimilarity statements, such as a statement described in section IV.C.1.b of the draft guidance, in the Highlights of the Prescribing Information. Specifically, FDA invites comment on how useful such biosimilarity statements have been for healthcare practitioners and the public, whether such statements can be improved to provide more clarity on what

biosimilarity means, and whether biosimilar and interchangeable biosimilar product labeling should include such a statement at all.

This draft guidance is being issued consistent with FDA’s good guidance practices regulation (21 CFR 10.115). The draft guidance, when finalized, will represent the current thinking of FDA on “Labeling for Biosimilar and Interchangeable Biosimilar Products.” It does not establish any rights for any person and is not binding on FDA or the public. You can use an alternative approach if it satisfies the requirements of the applicable statutes and regulations.

## II. Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995

While this guidance contains no collection of information, it does refer to previously approved FDA collections of information. Therefore, clearance by the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA) (44 U.S.C. 3501–3521) is not required for this guidance. The previously approved collections of information are subject to review by OMB under the PRA. The collections of information for the submission of a BLA under section 351(k) of the PHS Act have been approved under OMB control number 0910–0718; the collections of information in 21 CFR 201.56 and 201.57 for the submission of labeling have been approved under OMB control number 0910–0572; the collections of information in 21 CFR part 208 for Medication Guides have been approved under OMB control number 0910–0393; the collections of information in 21 CFR 312.47 for meetings with FDA have been approved under OMB control number 0910–0014; the collections of information in 21 CFR part 600 for the submission of adverse experience reporting for licensed biological products and general records have been approved under OMB control number 0910–0308; and the collections of information in 21 CFR part 601 for the submission of labeling in a BLA or supplement to a BLA have been approved under OMB control number 0910–0338.

## III. Electronic Access

Persons with access to the internet may obtain the draft guidance at <https://www.fda.gov/drugs/guidance-compliance-regulatory-information/guidances-drugs>, <https://www.fda.gov/vaccines-blood-biologics/guidance-compliance-regulatory-information-biologics/biologics-guidances>, <https://www.fda.gov/regulatory-information/search-fda-guidance-documents>, or <https://www.regulations.gov>.

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. FDA–2023–N–1029]

#### Agency Information Collection Activities; Submission for Office of Management and Budget Review; Comment Request; Cosmetic Facility Registration, Product Listing, and Labeling Requirements

**AGENCY:** Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Food and Drug Administration (FDA, Agency, or we) is announcing that a proposed collection of information has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995.

**DATES:** Submit written comments (including recommendations) on the collection of information by October 18, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** To ensure that comments on the information collection are received, OMB recommends that written comments be submitted to <https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain>. Find this particular information collection by selecting “Currently under Review—Open for Public Comments” or by using the search function. The OMB control number for this information collection is 0910–0599. Also include the FDA docket number found in brackets in the heading of this document.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Domini Bean, Office of Operations, Food and Drug Administration, Three White Flint North, 10A–12M, 11601 Landsdown St., North Bethesda, MD 20852, 301–796–5733, [PRASStaff@fda.hhs.gov](mailto:PRASStaff@fda.hhs.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** In compliance with 44 U.S.C. 3507, FDA has submitted the following proposed collection of information to OMB for review and clearance.

#### Cosmetic Facility Registration, Product Listing, and Labeling Requirements

OMB Control Number 0910–0599—  
Revision

This information collection supports implementation of statutory and

regulatory provisions that govern cosmetics. On December 29, 2022, the President signed into law the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2023 (Pub. L. 117–328), which included the Modernization of Cosmetics Registration Act of 2022 (MoCRA). MoCRA amended the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (FD&C Act) by requiring, among other requirements, manufacturers of cosmetic products to label products intended for use only by licensed professionals to bear a label that the product must be administered or used only by licensed professionals, in addition to providing the same information on the label that is required of cosmetic products intended for consumers. MoCRA also added the requirement for cosmetic product labels to include contact information through which the responsible person can receive adverse event reports. Other requirements introduced by MoCRA include facility registration, cosmetic product listing, and associated recordkeeping.

#### Cosmetic Labeling Requirements

The FD&C Act and the Fair Packaging and Labeling Act (the FPLA) require that cosmetic manufacturers, packers, and distributors disclose information about themselves or their products on the labels or labeling of their products. Sections 201, 301, 502, 601, 602, 603, 701, and 704 of the FD&C Act (21 U.S.C. 321, 331, 352, 361, 362, 363, 371, and 374) and sections 4 and 5 of the FPLA (15 U.S.C. 1453 and 1454) provide authority to FDA to regulate the labeling of cosmetic products. Failure to comply with the requirements for cosmetic labeling may render a cosmetic adulterated under section 601 of the FD&C Act or misbranded under section 602 of the FD&C Act.

FDA’s cosmetic labeling regulations are codified in part 701 (21 CFR part 701). Section 701.3 (21 CFR 701.3) requires the label of a cosmetic product to bear a declaration of the ingredients in descending order of predominance. Section 701.11 (21 CFR 701.11) requires the principal display panel of a cosmetic product to bear a statement of the identity of the product. Section 701.12 (21 CFR 701.12) requires the label of a cosmetic product to specify the name and place of business of the manufacturer, packer, or distributor. Section 701.13 (21 CFR 701.13) requires the label of a cosmetic product to declare the net quantity of contents of the product.

MoCRA amended the FD&C Act by requiring, among other requirements, manufacturers of cosmetic products to label products intended for use only by

licensed professionals to bear a label that the product must be administered or used only by licensed professionals, in addition to providing the same information on the label that is required of cosmetic products intended for consumers. MoCRA also added the requirement for cosmetic product labels to include contact information (domestic address, phone number, or electronic contact information that may include a website) through which the responsible person can receive adverse event reports.

#### Facility Registration and Cosmetic Product Listing Program

MoCRA amended the FD&C Act by requiring, among other requirements, operators and owners of facilities manufacturing or processing cosmetic products to register with FDA and renew such registrations biennially. Facilities will also need to notify FDA of any changes to information that was required as part of registration. FDA may suspend registration if we determine that a cosmetic product manufactured or processed by a registered facility has a reasonable probability of causing serious adverse health consequences or death. Upon notice that FDA intends to suspend registration, the responsible person for the facility may submit a corrective action plan for addressing the reasons for possible suspension of the facility registration. MoCRA also added the requirement for responsible persons to submit a product listing for each of their cosmetic products to FDA.

As we update our infrastructure to include a mechanism to accept submissions for registrations and product listings consistent with the provisions in MoCRA, we have discontinued use of Forms FDA 2511, 2512, and 2512a, previously used for voluntary registration activities and have stopped accepting new submissions to the Voluntary Cosmetic Registration Program (VCRP).

#### Description of Respondents:

Respondents to this collection of information include cosmetic manufacturers and processors. Respondents are from the private sector (for-profit businesses).

In the **Federal Register** of May 1, 2023 (88 FR 26564), we published a 60-day notice requesting public comment on the proposed collection of information. Several comments were received, however those not pertaining to the PRA topics solicited in the notice are not addressed. Comments pertaining to the necessity and practical utility of the information being collected included concerns with protecting privacy and