

control; Preventative maintenance. Staff are responsible for notifying the ACF Incident Response Team (IRT) in the event that a suspected or known breach has occurred. The ACF IRT will follow standard operating procedures for handling a privacy incident that involves a breach of PII.

RECORD ACCESS PROCEDURES:

Participants who are authenticated users of the web-based system have the ability to access information about them in that system. Otherwise, participants seeking access to records about them in this system of records must submit a written access request to the relevant System Manager identified in the "System Manager(s)" section of this SORN. The request must contain the requester's (participant's) full name, address, telephone number and/or email address, date of birth, and signature, and should identify the state, Tribe, or territory where the requester participated in the NHTTAC T/TA offering.

So that HHS may verify the requester's identity, the requester's signature must be notarized, or the request must include the requester's written, signed certification that the requester is the individual who the requester claims to be and that the requester understands that the knowing and willful request for or acquisition of a record pertaining to an individual under false pretenses is a criminal offense subject to a fine of up to \$5,000.

CONTESTING RECORD PROCEDURES:

Participants who are authenticated users of the web-based system have the ability to amend identifying and descriptive information about them in the system, which they entered in the system. Otherwise, participants seeking to amend records about them in this system of records must submit a written amendment request to the relevant System Manager identified in the "System Manager(s)" section of this SORN, containing the same information required for an access request. The request must include verification of the requester's (participant's) identity in the same manner required for an access request; must reasonably identify the record and specify the information contested, the corrective action sought, and the reasons for requesting the correction; and should include supporting information to show how the record is inaccurate, incomplete, untimely, or irrelevant.

NHTTAC provides support for individuals who indicate concerns that information about them has been inappropriately obtained, used, or

disclosed, or is inaccurate. To support initial reporting of concerns, the web-based system includes contact information for NHTTAC support staff on the home page. Once contacted, NHTTAC will establish an issue/ticket associated with the concern, and track progress towards issue resolution within a separate internal help desk system monitored by the NHTTAC support staff. The participant will be contacted via his or her provided contact information (email or phone) upon initiation of the ticket, as progress is made, and upon resolution of the issue.

NOTIFICATION PROCEDURE:

Participants who are authenticated users of the web-based system have the ability to access the system to determine if it contains records about them. Otherwise, participants who wish to know if this system of records contains records about them should submit a written notification request to the relevant System Manager identified in the "System Manager(s)" section of this SORN. The request must contain the same information required for an access request and must include verification of the requester's (participant's) identity in the same manner required for an access request.

EXEMPTIONS PROMULGATED FOR THE SYSTEM:

None.

HISTORY:

None.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Administration for Community Living

Announcing the Intent To Award a Single-Source Supplement for the Puerto Rico Disaster Assistance Grant Program

AGENCY: Administration for Community Living, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Administration for Community Living (ACL) announces the intent to award a single-source supplement to the current cooperative agreement held by the Puerto Rico Ombudsman Office for the Elderly (PROOE) for the project Puerto Rico Disaster Assistance Grant which is through the Older Americans Act, Disaster Assistance for State Units on Aging (SUAs) and Tribal Organizations in Major Disasters Declared by the

President and the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2023.

DATES: The supplement award will be issued to extend the project period to May 1, 2023, through September 30, 2025.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The purpose of this program, as set forth in Section 310(a)(1) of the Older Americans Act (OAA) is to provide funding to the aging network for disaster-related items in areas receiving a Major Disaster Declaration by the President under the Robert T. Relief and Emergency Assistance Act, where funds may only be used in those areas designated in the Disaster Declaration. These funds are used by the aging network in recovery so that they can resume operations to support older adults and their caregivers. The overall goals of the program are as follows:

1. Provide disaster relief reimbursements to States/Territories (or to any tribal organization receiving a grant under title VI), upon application, for funds such State makes available to area agencies on aging (and/or aging network) in such State (or funds used by such tribal organization) for the delivery of supportive services (and related supplies) during any major disaster declared by the President in accordance with the Robert T. Stafford Relief and Emergency Assistance Act. In addition, provide disaster relief reimbursements for expenses related to the consequences of Hurricanes Fiona and Ian.

2. Provide funds for the aging network to deliver the following Older Americans Act (OAA) Title III types of gap-filling services following a disaster: emergency meals and medications, outreach, information and assistance, counseling, case management, advocacy on behalf of older persons unable or reluctant to speak for themselves, and transportation.

3. Assist the aging network in restoring their capacity and operations after a disaster in order that they may be able to help older adults and caregivers in their communities.

The administrative supplement for FY 2024 will be in the amount of \$7,809,231, bringing the total awards made in FY 2023 and FY 2024 to \$9,779,231. The supplement will provide sufficient resources to enable the grantee, PROOE, and their partners to continue to address the significant

needs of Hurricane Fiona older adult survivors living in Puerto Rico and expand the reach and effectiveness of this project by:

- Expanding the grantee's project to restore operations impacted by Hurricane Fiona to additional multipurpose senior centers, including installing solar panels, generators, and cisterns, as well as replenishing the supply of emergency meals for older adults;
- Advancing the capacity of the broader aging services network to deliver services to older adults and their caregivers who were impacted by Hurricane Fiona by continuing to identify and address the most critical needs; and
- Increasing outreach, evaluation, technical assistance, and sub-grantee monitoring and financial oversight activities.

The supplement will accomplish the goals of the program using the following approaches:

- *Partnerships* are essential for delivering programs and services vital to help older adults remain in their communities. PROOE's partnership with the aging network, including multipurpose senior centers, is critical to allow services and programs to be provided in communities at the local level, especially in recovery from disasters.

- *Community-based resources, such as multipurpose senior centers*, provide congregate meals, home delivered meals, evidence-based disease prevention and health promotion services, outreach, information and referral services, socialization as well as many other supports for older adults in their local communities. In Puerto Rico, these centers often provide an access point for healthcare, including offering nursing care to and housing medications that need refrigeration for community-dwelling older adults.

- *Stewardship* is key to any project. The supplement will enable PROOE to increase stewardship over the sub-grant process to manage expanded work and enhance program oversight, monitoring, evaluation, and additional activities proportional to the increased funding and expectations resulting from this supplement.

Program Name: Puerto Rico Disaster Assistance Grant.

Recipient: Puerto Rico Ombudsman Office for the Elderly (PROOE).

Period of Performance: The supplement award will be issued to extend the project period to May 1, 2023, through September 30, 2025.

Total Award Amount: \$ 9,779,231.

Award Type: Cooperative Agreement Supplement.

Basis for Award: The Puerto Rico Ombudsman Office for the Elderly (PROOE), the State Unit on Aging (SUA), is currently funded to carry out the objectives of the project entitled Puerto Rico Disaster Assistance Grant for the period of May 1, 2023, through September 30, 2024. Since project implementation began in 2023, the grantee has accomplished a great deal. This supplement will enable the grantee to carry their work even further, serving more older adult survivors of Hurricane Fiona by expanding their project to additional senior centers in local communities. The additional funding will not be used to begin new projects or activities. The PROOE is uniquely positioned to complete the work called for under this project. PROOE is the designated SUA and administers the Older American Act programs and services to support older adults living in the community as well as their caregivers. PROOE's partners include the Territory's network of senior centers and local communities, many of which are in rural areas. Establishing an entirely new grant project at this time would be potentially disruptive to the current work already well under way. More importantly, the older adults being served by this project could be negatively impacted by a disruption, thus posing the risk of re-traumatization and further negative impacts on health and wellbeing in their recovery from Hurricane Fiona. If this supplement is not provided, the project would be less able to address the significant unmet health and social support needs of additional older adult survivors and their caregivers. Similarly, the project would be unable to expand its current reach. Finally, providing this supplement to PROOE will allow for the greater realization of Congress' intent in the Older Americans Act which includes targeting older individuals with greatest economic need (including low-income minority individuals and older individuals residing in rural areas) and older individuals with greatest social need (including low-income minority individuals and older individuals residing in rural areas) to receive services under this Act, as well as targeting of services to older adult individuals at risk for institutional placement to permit such individuals to remain in home and community-based settings.

Statutory Authority: 42 U.S.C. 3030; Pub. L. 117-328, 136 Stat. 4459.

Dated: April 29, 2024.

Allison Barkoff,

Principal Deputy Administrator for the Administration for Community Living, performing the delegable duties of the Administrator and the Assistant Secretary for Aging.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. FDA-2008-D-0394]

Heritable Intentional Genomic Alterations in Animals: Risk-Based Approach; Guidance for Industry; Availability

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice of availability.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA, Agency, or we) is announcing the availability of a final guidance for industry (GFI) #187A entitled "Heritable Intentional Genomic Alterations in Animals: Risk-Based Approach." This guidance is intended to clarify FDA's requirements and recommendations with respect to heritable intentional genomic alterations (IGAs) in animals. The guidance is being issued as one of two companion documents. This guidance, entitled "Heritable Intentional Genomic Alterations in Animals: Risk-Based Approach," describes FDA's risk-based regulatory approach to the oversight of heritable IGAs in animals. This means that for people or companies developing certain types of IGAs in animals, FDA may not expect them to submit an application or get approval before marketing their product. For other types of IGAs in animals that do go through the approval process, the companion draft guidance document, GFI #187B entitled "Heritable Intentional Genomic Alterations in Animals: The Approval Process" describes how the approval process applies to heritable IGAs in animals.

DATES: The announcement of the guidance is published in the **Federal Register** on May 2, 2024.

ADDRESSES: You may submit either electronic or written comments on Agency guidances at any time as follows:

Electronic Submissions

Submit electronic comments in the following way: