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Kalwant Smagh,

Director, Strategic Business Initiatives Unit, Office of the Chief Operating Officer, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Board of Scientific Counselors, Center for Preparedness and Response, (BSC, CPR); Meeting

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

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

SUMMARY: In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the CDC announces the following meeting for the Board of Scientific Counselors, Center for Preparedness and Response, (BSC, CPR). This is a virtual meeting that is open to the public, limited only by the number of internet conference accesses available, which is 500. Time will be available for public comment. Pre-registration is required by accessing the link in the addresses section.

DATES: The meeting will be held on March 24, 2022, from 1:00 p.m. to 3:00 p.m., EDT.

ADDRESSES: Zoom Virtual Meeting. If you wish to attend the virtual meeting, please pre-register by accessing the link at: https://cdc.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN_M20Tm8MUTbih-Uhvg0BcSg. Instructions to access the Zoom virtual meeting will be provided in the link following registration.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Dometa Ouisley, Office of Science and Public Health Practice, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1600 Clifton Road NE, Mailstop–H21–6, Atlanta, Georgia 30329–4027, Telephone: (404) 639–7450; Facsimile: (678) 669–1667; Email: DOuisley@cdc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose: The Board is charged with providing advice and guidance to the Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), the Assistant Secretary for Health (ASH), the Director, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), and the Director, Center for Preparedness and Response (CPR), concerning strategies and goals for the programs and research within CPR, monitoring the overall strategic direction and focus of the CPR Divisions and Offices, and administration and oversight of peer review for CPR scientific programs. For additional information about the Board, please visit: https://www.cdc.gov/cpr/bsc/ index.htm.

Matters To Be Considered: The agenda will include: (1) BSC CPR Polio Containment Workgroup (PCWG) Update; and (2) Strategic Capacity Building and Innovation Program Review Working Group Update. Agenda items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Notice of Closed Meeting

Pursuant to section 10(d) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act, as amended, notice is hereby given of the following meeting.

following meeting.

The meeting will be closed to the public in accordance with the provisions set forth in sections 552b(c)(4) and 552b(c)(6), Title 5 U.S.C., as amended, and the Determination of the Director, Strategic Business Initiatives Unit, Office of the Chief Operating Officer, CDC, pursuant to Public Law 92–463. The grant applications and the discussions could disclose confidential trade secrets or commercial property such as patentable

material, and personal information concerning individuals associated with the grant applications, the disclosure of which would constitute a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy.

Name of Committee: Disease, Disability, and Injury Prevention and Control Special Emphasis Panel; (SEP)—RFA-TS-22-001: Identify and Evaluate Potential Risk Factors for Amyotrophic Lateral Sclerosis (ALS).

Date: June 17, 2022

Time: 8:30 a.m.–5:30 p.m., EDT. *Place:* Videoconference.

Agenda: To review and evaluate grant applications.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Mikel Walters, Ph.D., Scientific Review Officer, National Center for Injury Prevention and Control, CDC, 4770 Buford Highway NE, Mailstop F–63, Atlanta, Georgia 30341, Telephone (404)639–0913, MWalters@cdc.gov.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services

[Document Identifier: CMS-10398 #57]

Medicaid and Children's Health Insurance Program (CHIP) Generic Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Centers for Medicare & Medicaid Services, Health and Human Services (HHS).

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: On May 28, 2010, the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) issued Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) guidance related to the "generic" clearance process. Generally, this is an expedited process by which agencies may obtain OMB's approval of

collection of information requests that are "usually voluntary, low-burden, and uncontroversial collections," do not raise any substantive or policy issues, and do not require policy or methodological review. The process requires the submission of an overarching plan that defines the scope of the individual collections that would fall under its umbrella. On October 23, 2011, OMB approved our initial request to use the generic clearance process under control number 0938-1148 (CMS-10398). It was last approved on April 26, 2021, via the standard PRA process which included the publication of 60- and 30-day Federal Register notices. The scope of the April 2021 umbrella accounts for Medicaid and CHIP State plan amendments, waivers, demonstrations, and reporting. This Federal Register notice seeks public comment on one or more of our collection of information requests that we believe are generic and fall within the scope of the umbrella. Interested persons are invited to submit comments regarding our burden estimates or any other aspect of this collection of information, including: the necessity and utility of the proposed information collection for the proper performance of the agency's functions, the accuracy of the estimated burden, ways to enhance the quality, utility and clarity of the information to be collected, and the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology to minimize the information collection

DATES: Comments must be received by March 10, 2022.

ADDRESSES: When commenting, please reference the applicable form number (see below) and the OMB control number (0938–1148). To be assured consideration, comments and recommendations must be submitted in any one of the following ways:

1. Electronically. You may send your comments electronically to http://www.regulations.gov. Follow the instructions for "Comment or Submission" or "More Search Options" to find the information collection document(s) that are accepting comments.

2. By regular mail. You may mail written comments to the following address: CMS, Office of Strategic Operations and Regulatory Affairs, Division of Regulations Development, Attention: CMS–10398 (#74)/OMB control number: 0938–1148, Room C4–26–05, 7500 Security Boulevard, Baltimore, Maryland 21244–1850.

To obtain copies of a supporting statement and any related forms for the

proposed collection(s) summarized in this notice, you may access CMS' website at https://www.cms.gov/ Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/ PaperworkReductionActof1995/PRA-Listing.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: William N. Parham at (410) 786–4669. SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Following is a summary of the use and burden associated with the subject information collection(s). More detailed information can be found in the collection's supporting statement and associated materials (see ADDRESSES).

Generic Information Collection

1. Title of Information Collection: Medicaid Section 1115 Substance Use Disorder (SUD) Demonstration: Monitoring Reports Documents and Templates; Type of Information Collection Request: Revision of a currently approved collection; Use: On November 1, 2017, CMS released a letter #17-003 to all state Medicaid Directors announcing new directions on how CMS would like to work with states on section 1115(a) demonstrations to improve access to and quality of treatment for Medicaid beneficiaries as part of a Department-wide effort to combat the ongoing opioid crisis. The letter also announced that CMS is now offering a more flexible, streamlined approach to accelerate states' ability to respond to the national opioid crisis while enhancing states' monitoring and reporting of the impact of any changes implemented through these demonstrations.

Medicaid Section 1115 demonstration monitoring and evaluation Special Terms and Conditions (STC), and the letter #17-003, make clear that CMS remains committed to ensuring state accountability for the health and wellbeing of Medicaid enrollees and that monitoring and evaluation are important for understanding the outcomes and impacts of approaches to Medicaid SUD demonstrations. For this purpose, CMS is undertaking efforts to help states monitor the elements of these demonstrations, while giving them the flexibility to adapt to changing conditions in their states. States with approved SUD demonstrations are required to develop implementation and monitoring plans, including monitoring metrics, a monitoring protocol, and regular monitoring reports describing their implementation progress.

In addition, the STCs for these section 1115 demonstrations address that states are required to submit in their regular monitoring reports, information on milestones and performance measures that they elected to represent key indicators of progress toward meeting the goals for the demonstrations.

Furthermore, to improve the quality and efficiency of the reporting requirements for SUD demonstrations, CMS in conjunction with state advisory groups developed a set of standardized monitoring tools for states to use for their regular reporting, including:

• The Medicaid section 1115 SUD demonstration monitoring protocol template (this is a one-time submission);

 The Medicaid section 1115 SUD demonstration monitoring protocol workbook (this is a one-time submission);

• The Medicaid section 1115 SUD demonstration monitoring report template, and;

• The Medicaid Section 1115 SUD demonstration monitoring report workbook.

As specified in official 1115 policy communications to states:

In accordance with 42 CFR 431.428 states must submit all post-approval deliverables as stipulated by CMS and within the timeframes outlined within the STCs for the specific Medicaid 1115 State Demonstration.

The State Medicaid Director Letter, #17-003, entitled, Strategies Addressing the Opioid Epidemic, provides a framework for SUD demonstrations under Medicaid Section 1115 Authority. This letter indicates that a state's application should confirm its commitment to assuring the necessary resources to support robust monitoring protocol and evaluation, and that the state will provide an implementation plan subject to CMS approval. The letter further states that information about the specific measures and reporting will be detailed in a monitoring protocol agreed upon by CMS and the state after approval of the demonstration which will demonstrate progress toward meeting the goals for this demonstration initiative.

In addition, the STCs for the Medicaid section 1115 SUD demonstrations require that approved states submit an SUD implementation plan subject to CMS approval, and an SUD monitoring protocol to be developed in cooperation with CMS and which is subject to CMS approval. The SUD monitoring protocol, reporting templates, and associated monitoring metrics flow down from the OMB-approved SUD implementation plan, which aligns with the goals and objectives of the demonstration as expressed in SMDL #17–003.

The STCs also require approved states to submit three quarterly and one annual monitoring reports consistent with the elements provided in 42 CFR 431.428 and in accordance with a framework to be provided by CMS. The STCs also provide that the monitoring framework be subject to change as monitoring systems are developed and evolve, and that states are required to report in a structured manner that supports federal tracking and analysis.

In this 2022 information collection request, we have revised the following

monitoring tools:

• Monitoring protocol tools:

 Monitoring protocol workbook (updated to Version 6.0)

- Monitoring protocol template (updated to Version 4.0)
 - Monitoring report tools:Monitoring report template

 Monitoring report template (updated to Version 4.0)

 Monitoring report workbook (updated to Version 6.0)

This 2022 release incorporates updated guidance on reporting metrics, narrative information, and other clarifications. This release also reflects modifications to align with the Medicaid Section 1115 Substance Use Disorder Demonstrations: Technical Specifications for Monitoring Metrics Manual Version 4.0 (released September 2021).

In addition, this release incorporates updated functionality in the Performance Metrics Database & Analytics (PMDA) system aimed to automate aspects of reporting and customize tools to ease state burden. Updated functionality includes:

• Auto-population of certain fields within the monitoring report tools in alignment with the state's CMS-approved monitoring protocol.

• Reporting flagged items early in the process to reduce resubmission and allow CMS to engage with the state faster and on a more detailed level.

• Ensuring the latest version of the monitoring tools are utilized by sending an email notification to all designated demonstration contacts when customized monitoring report tools are available.

Form Number: CMS-10398 (#57) (OMB control number: 0938-1148); Frequency: Once, yearly, and quarterly; Affected Public: State, Local, or Tribal Governments; Number of Respondents: 35; Total Annual Responses: 596; Total Annual Hours: 6,394. For policy questions regarding this collection contact: Danielle Daly at 410-786-0897.

Dated: February 18, 2022.

William N. Parham, III,

Director, Paperwork Reduction Staff, Office of Strategic Operations and Regulatory Affairs.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. FDA-2013-N-0013]

Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed Collection; Comment Request; Sanitary Transportation of Human and Animal Food

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA, Agency, or we) is announcing an opportunity for public comment on the proposed collection of certain information by the Agency. Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA), Federal Agencies are required to publish notice in the Federal Register concerning each proposed collection of information and to allow 60 days for public comment in response to the notice. This notice solicits comments on the information collection requirements associated with the sanitary transportation of human and animal food.

DATES: Submit either electronic or written comments on the collection of information by April 25, 2022.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments as follows. Please note that late, untimely filed comments will not be considered. Electronic comments must be submitted on or before April 25, 2022. The https://www.regulations.gov electronic filing system will accept comments until 11:59 p.m. Eastern Time at the end of April 25, 2022. Comments received by mail/hand delivery/courier (for written/paper submissions) will be considered timely if they are postmarked or the delivery service acceptance receipt is on or before that date

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—2013–N—0013 for "Agency Information Collection Activities; Proposed Collection; Comment Request; Sanitary Transportation of Human and Animal Food." Received comments, those filed in a timely manner (see ADDRESSES), 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