

pursuant to the Bank Holding Company Act of 1956 (12 U.S.C. 1841 *et seq.*) (BHC Act), Regulation Y (12 CFR part 225), and all other applicable statutes and regulations to become a bank holding company and/or to acquire the assets or the ownership of, control of, or the power to vote shares of a bank or bank holding company and all of the banks and nonbanking companies owned by the bank holding company, including the companies listed below.

The public portions of the applications listed below, as well as other related filings required by the Board, if any, are available for immediate inspection at the Federal Reserve Bank(s) indicated below and at the offices of the Board of Governors. This information may also be obtained on an expedited basis, upon request, by contacting the appropriate Federal Reserve Bank and from the Board's Freedom of Information Office at <https://www.federalreserve.gov/foia/request.htm>. Interested persons may express their views in writing on the standards enumerated in the BHC Act (12 U.S.C. 1842(c)).

Comments regarding each of these applications must be received at the Reserve Bank indicated or the offices of the Board of Governors, Ann E. Misback, Secretary of the Board, 20th Street and Constitution Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20551-0001, not later than July 17, 2023.

A. *Federal Reserve Bank of Richmond* (Brent B. Hassell, Assistant Vice President) P.O. Box 27622, Richmond, Virginia 23261. Comments can also be sent electronically to [Comments.applications@rich.frb.org](mailto:Comments.applications@rich.frb.org):

1. *Affinity Bancshares, Inc., Covington, Georgia*; to become a bank holding company upon the charter conversion of its subsidiary, Affinity Bank, also of Covington, Georgia, from a federal stock savings bank to a national bank.

Board of Governors of the Federal Reserve System.

**Michele Taylor Fennell,**

*Deputy Associate Secretary of the Board.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

#### Notice of Award of a Single-Source Cooperative Agreement To Fund the National Institute for Communicable Diseases, Republic of South Africa

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

**ACTION:** Notice.

**SUMMARY:** The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), located within the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS), announces the award of approximately \$2,000,000, with an expected total funding of approximately \$11,500,000 over a five-Year period, to the National Institute for Communicable Diseases, Republic of South Africa. The award will support research studies on influenza and other respiratory pathogens of public health import in South Africa.

**DATES:** The period for this award will be September 1, 2024 through August 31, 2029.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** Dr. Amy Yang, National Center for HIV, Viral Hepatitis, STD, and TB Prevention, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1600 Clifton Road NE, Mailstop US8-1, Atlanta, Georgia 30329 Telephone: 404-718-8836. Email: [AYang@cdc.gov](mailto:AYang@cdc.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The single-source award will conduct research on surveillance (including epidemiology, disease burden, transmission, and laboratory methods), preventive tools and strategies (e.g., vaccines, antivirals), and strategies for increasing coverage of morbidity and mortality mitigating interventions. Data will be used to inform prioritization of public health interventions in high-risk populations in South Africa, regionally and globally.

The National Institute for Communicable Diseases is in a unique position to conduct this work, as it is the only sufficiently advanced governmental research, public health institute, and laboratory in the sub-region that can perform sophisticated studies and laboratory analyses required to understand influenza disease burden, evaluate intervention efficacy and effectiveness, and intervention scale-up that is in the Southern Hemisphere.

### Summary of the Award

*Recipient:* National Institute for Communicable Diseases, Republic of South Africa

*Purpose of the Award:* The purpose of this award is to conduct research studies on influenza and other respiratory pathogens of public health import in South Africa, specifically, focusing on surveillance (including epidemiology, disease burden, transmission, and laboratory methods), preventive tools and strategies (e.g., vaccines, antivirals), and strategies for increasing coverage of morbidity and mortality mitigating interventions. Data will be used to inform prioritization of public health interventions in high-risk populations in South Africa, regionally and globally.

*Amount of Award:* \$2,000,000 in Federal fiscal year (FFY) 2024 funds, with a total estimated \$11,500,000 for the 5-year period of performance, subject to availability of funds.

*Authority:* This program is authorized under Public Health Service Act, section 307 [42 U.S.C. 242l], as amended.

*Period of Performance:* September 1, 2024 through August 31, 2029.

Dated: June 13, 2023.

**Terrance Perry,**

*Chief Grants Management Officer, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention.*

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## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

[30Day-23-1308]

#### Agency Forms Undergoing Paperwork Reduction Act Review

In accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has submitted the information collection request titled Validated Interview and Survey of Outpatient Providers on Antibiotic Stewardship Interventions to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and approval. CDC previously published a "Proposed Data Collection Submitted for Public Comment and Recommendations" notice on March 31, 2023, to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies. CDC received two comments related to the previous notice. This notice serves to allow an additional 30 days for public and affected agency comments.

CDC will accept all comments for this proposed information collection project. The Office of Management and Budget is particularly interested in comments that:

(a) 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;

(b) Evaluate the accuracy of the agencies estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;

(c) Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected;

(d) 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 submission of responses; and

(e) Assess information collection costs.

To request additional information on the proposed project or to obtain a copy of the information collection plan and instruments, call (404) 639-7570. Comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to [www.reginfo.gov/public/](http://www.reginfo.gov/public/)

*do/PRAMain*. Find this particular information collection by selecting “Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments” or by using the search function. Direct written comments and/or suggestions regarding the items contained in this notice to the Attention: CDC Desk Officer, Office of Management and Budget, 725 17th Street NW, Washington, DC 20503 or by fax to (202) 395-5806. Provide written comments within 30 days of notice publication.

### Proposed Project

Validated Interview and Survey of Outpatient Providers on Antibiotic Stewardship Interventions (OMB Control No. 0920-1308)—Reinstatement—National Center for Emerging and Zoonotic Infectious Diseases (NCEZID), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

### Background and Brief Description

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), as part of its continuing effort to reduce public burden and maximize the utility of Government information, invites the general public and other Federal agencies the opportunity to comment on a proposed and/or continuing information collection, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. This notice invites comment on a proposed information collection project titled Validated Follow-up Interview of

Clinicians on Outpatient Antibiotic Stewardship Interventions. This collection aims to perform an interview of outpatient clinicians regarding the acceptability and perceived clinician-level barriers associated with our year-long implementation of interventions designed around the Core Elements of Outpatient Antibiotic Stewardship.

Data will be collected through semi-structured, in-person interviews with a sample of 40 clinicians, including nine clinicians from our original qualitative study to determine changes in perceptions over time from this baseline. In addition, we are proposing to sample an additional 31 clinicians to ensure that we do not introduce unnecessary bias and limit generalizability of the deep contextual information that would put our results at risk with a smaller sample size. Data will also be collected through a validated survey disseminated to clinicians employed by Intermountain. CDC expects about 250 clinicians to respond to our survey. Information gained from respondents to the two methods of collection will be used to refine, enhance and improve our stewardship program while allowing us to more deeply understand the unique environment and barriers found in clinics.

CDC requests OMB approval for an estimated 123 annual burden hours. There is no cost to respondents other than their time to participate.

### ESTIMATED ANNUALIZED BURDEN HOURS

Type of respondents	Form name	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden per response (in hours)
Urgent Care Clinician .....	Interview Guide .....	40	1	1
Urgent Care Clinician .....	Survey .....	250	1	20/60

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Office of Public Health Ethics and  
Regulations, Office of Science, Centers for  
Disease Control and Prevention.

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### DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

[60Day-23-1331; Docket No. CDC-2023-0050]

### Proposed Data Collection Submitted for Public Comment and Recommendations

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

**ACTION:** Notice with comment period.

**SUMMARY:** The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), as part of its continuing effort to reduce public

burden and maximize the utility of government information, invites the general public and other federal agencies the opportunity to comment on a continuing information collection, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. This notice invites comment on a proposed information collection project titled Heat-related Changes in Cognitive Performance. This data collection is designed to evaluate and assess the cognitive impacts of heat exposure on workers.

**DATES:** CDC must receive written comments on or before August 15, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by Docket No. CDC-2023-0050 by either of the following methods: