

## DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

### Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

[Docket No. CDC-2022-0083]

### Advisory Committee to the Director, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

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

**ACTION:** Notice of meeting and request for comment.

**SUMMARY:** In accordance with the Federal Advisory Committee Act, the CDC announces the following meeting of the Advisory Committee to the Director, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (ACD, CDC). This is a hybrid meeting, accessible both in person and virtually (webcast live via the World Wide Web). It is open to the public and limited only by the space available. Time will be available for public comment.

**DATES:** The meeting will be held on August 9, 2022, from 9:00 a.m. to 2:30 p.m., EDT (times subject to change).

Written comments must be received on or before August 1, 2022.

#### ADDRESSES:

*Meeting address:* CDC Roybal Campus, Building 19, Rooms 247 and 248, 1600 Clifton Road NE, Atlanta, Georgia 30329-4027. The conference rooms combine to accommodate approximately 45 people.

Please note that the meeting location, the CDC Roybal Campus, is a federal facility and in-person access is limited to United States citizens unless prior authorizations, taking up to 30 to 60 days, have been made. Visitors must follow all directions for access to CDC facilities. Directions for visitors to CDC, including COVID-19 vaccination and testing guidelines, are available at <https://www.cdc.gov/screening/visitors.html>.

*Registration:* You must register to attend this meeting in person. If you wish to attend in person, please submit a request by email to [ACDDirector@cdc.gov](mailto:ACDDirector@cdc.gov) or by telephone at (404) 639-7000 at least 5 business days in advance of the meeting. No registration is required to view the meeting via the World Wide Web. Information for accessing the webcast will be available at <https://www.cdc.gov/about/advisory-committee-director/>.

*Written comments:* You may submit comments, identified by Docket No. CDC-2022-0083, by either of the

methods listed below. Do not submit comments for the docket by email. CDC does not accept comments for the docket by email.

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

- *Mail:* Kerry Caudwell, MPA, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1600 Clifton Road NE, Mailstop H21-10, Atlanta, Georgia 30329-4027. Attn: Docket No. CDC-2022-0083.

*Instructions:* All submissions received must include the agency name and Docket Number. All relevant comments received will be posted without change to <https://www.regulations.gov>, including any personal information provided. For access to the docket to read background documents or comments received, go to <https://www.regulations.gov>. Written comments received in advance of the meeting will be included in the official record of the meeting.

#### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Kerry Caudwell, MPA, Office of the Chief of Staff, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1600 Clifton Road NE, Mailstop H21-10, Atlanta, Georgia 30329-4027; Telephone: (404) 639-7000; Email: [ACDDirector@cdc.gov](mailto:ACDDirector@cdc.gov).

#### SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

*Purpose:* The Advisory Committee to the Director, CDC, shall advise the Secretary, HHS, and the Director, CDC, on policy and broad strategies that will enable CDC to fulfill its mission of protecting health through health promotion, prevention, and preparedness. The committee recommends ways to prioritize CDC's activities, improve results, and address health disparities. It also provides guidance to help CDC work more effectively with its various private and public sector constituents to make health protection a practical reality.

*Matters To Be Considered:* The agenda will include discussions regarding CDC's current and future work in the following topic areas: (1) data modernization; (2) laboratory quality; and (3) health equity. The ACD will hear reports from its working groups on these three topics. In addition, the ACD will hear an update on climate change and health. Agenda items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

#### Public Participation

Interested persons or organizations are invited to participate by submitting written views, recommendations, and data. Please note that comments received, including attachments and other supporting materials, are part of

the public record and are subject to public disclosure. Comments will be posted on <https://www.regulations.gov>. Therefore, do not include any information in your comment or supporting materials that you consider confidential or inappropriate for public disclosure. If you include your name, contact information, or other information that identifies you in the body of your comments, that information will be on public display. CDC will review all submissions and may choose to redact, or withhold, submissions containing private or proprietary information such as Social Security numbers, medical information, inappropriate language, or duplicate/near duplicate examples of a mass-mail campaign. CDC will carefully consider all comments submitted into the docket.

*Oral Public Comment:* This meeting will include time for members of the public to make an oral comment. Oral public comment will occur before any scheduled votes. Priority will be given to individuals who submit a request to make an oral public comment before the meeting according to the procedure below.

*Procedure for Oral Public Comment:* All persons interested in making an oral public comment at the August 9, 2022, ACD meeting must submit a request by visiting <https://www.cdc.gov/about/advisory-committee-director/> no later than 11:59 p.m., EDT, August 1, 2022, according to the instructions provided.

If the number of persons requesting to speak is greater than can be reasonably accommodated during the scheduled time, CDC will conduct a lottery to determine the speakers for the scheduled public comment session. CDC staff will notify individuals regarding their request to speak by email by August 3, 2022. To accommodate the significant interest in participation in the oral public comment session of ACD meetings, each speaker will be limited to 2 minutes, and each speaker may only speak once per meeting.

The Director, Strategic Business Initiatives Unit, 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**

**Administration for Children and Families**

[OMB #0970-0531]

**Submission for OMB Review; Formative Data Collections for ACF Program Support**

**AGENCY:** Office of Planning, Research, and Evaluation, Administration for Children and Families, HHS.

**ACTION:** Request for public comment.

**SUMMARY:** The Administration for Children and Families (ACF) plans to submit a request to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) to extend approval of the existing overarching generic clearance for Formative Data Collections for ACF Program Support (OMB #0970-0531; expiration date 7/31/2022). ACF proposes minor updates to the description of potential generic information collections under the overarching generic and to the estimated number of respondents.

**DATES:** *Comments due within 30 days of publication.* OMB must make a decision about the collection of information between 30 and 60 days after publication of this document in the **Federal Register**. Therefore, a comment is best assured of having its full effect if OMB receives it within 30 days of publication.

**ADDRESSES:** Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to [www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain](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. You can also obtain copies of the proposed collection of information by emailing [OPREinfocollection@acf.hhs.gov](mailto:OPREinfocollection@acf.hhs.gov). Identify all requests by the title of the information collection.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Description:* The goals of the generic information collections under this approval are to obtain information about program and grantee processes or needs and to inform the following types of activities, among others:

- Delivery of targeted assistance and/or workflows related to program and grantee processes. This could include the development and refinement of recordkeeping and communication systems.
- Planning for provision of programmatic or evaluation-related training or technical assistance (T/TA).
- Obtaining input on the development of program performance measures from grantees or others with experience or vested interest.
- Obtaining feedback about processes and/or practices to inform ACF program development or support, or ACF research.
- Use of rapid-cycle testing activities to strengthen programs in preparation for summative evaluations.
- Creating public resources with information about ACF-funded programs, systems, or activities.

ACF uses a variety of techniques such as semi-structured discussions, focus groups, surveys, templates, open-ended requests, and telephone or in-person interviews in order to reach these goals.

Information collected under this overarching generic is meant to inform ACF activities and may be incorporated into documents or presentations that are made public such as through conference presentations, websites, or social media. The following are some examples of ways in which we may share information resulting from these data collections: technical assistance plans, presentations, infographics, project specific reports, or other documents relevant to those involved with or interested in ACF programs such as federal leadership and staff, grantees, local implementing agencies, and/or T/TA providers.

Information may also be used to create public resources for users (clients, programs, researchers). Following standard OMB requirements, the Office of Planning, Research, and Evaluation will submit a change request for each individual data collection activity under this generic clearance. Each request will include the individual instrument(s), a justification specific to the individual information collection, and any supplementary documents. OMB should review requests within 10 days of submission.

The proposed types and the purpose of generic information collections submitted under this umbrella generic remain the same. Minor revisions are based on experiences over the past 3 years. These include:

- Updated burden estimates
- Broadened the description to make clearer the intention to broadly include respondents with knowledge, experience, or interest in ACF programs to allow ACF to learn about needs and processes related to ACF programs from those not necessarily funded by ACF
- Included specification about requesting information for efforts to consolidate publicly available information to build public resources for ACF programs, grantees, clients, or others who may use or be interested in services funded by ACF.

*Respondents:* Example respondents include current or prospective service providers, training or T/TA providers, grantees, contractors, current and potential participants in ACF programs or similar comparison groups, experts in fields pertaining to ACF programs, key groups involved in ACF projects and programs, individuals engaged in program re-design or demonstration development for evaluation, state or local government officials, or others involved in or prospectively involved in ACF programs.

**Burden Estimates**

At the time of this extension request, 30 GenICs are ongoing, with a total of 13,652 burden hours. See Attachment B for a list of all previously approved, ongoing GenICs. The following estimates are specific to new collections over the next three years.

Instrument	Number of respondents (total over request period)	Number of responses per respondent (total over request period)	Average burden per response (in hours)	Total burden (in hours)
Semi-Structured Discussions and Focus Groups .....	10,000	1	2	20,000
Interviews .....	4,500	1	1	4,500
Questionnaires/Surveys .....	8,000	1.5	.5	6,000