reporting requirements, records retention requirements, and submit annual surveillance plans and annually report surveillance results.

In the Permanent Certification Program final rule (76 FR 1312–14), we solicited public comment on each of the information collections associated with the requirements described in regulation at 45 CFR 170.503(b), 170.520, and 170.523(f), (g), and (i), respectively. In the ''2014 Edition'' final rule (77 FR 54275–76), we sought comment on these collection requirements again and on

the information collection requirement at § 170.523(f)(8).

We anticipate that there will continue to be three ONC–ACBs participating in the ONC HIT Certification Program as this is the current number of ONC–ACBs. Therefore, we have aligned the estimated number of respondents for the applicable regulation provisions (i.e., §§ 170.523(f), 170.523(i), and 170.540(c)) with the current number of ONC–ACBs. We have also revised the estimated number of respondents for § 170.520 (new applicants for ONC–ACB status) based on past application and

authorization processes for ONC–ACBs. Similarly, we have revised the estimated number of respondents for § 170.503(b) (applicants for ONC–AA status) based on past selection processes for the ONC–AA. We have retained the same number of responses per respondent and average burden hours per response for the regulation provisions previously included in OMB control number 0995–0013.

Likely Respondents: ONC-Approved Accreditors and ONC-Authorized Certification Bodies

TOTAL ESTIMATED ANNUALIZED BURDEN—HOURS

Type of respondent	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Burden hours per response	Total burden hours
45 CFR 170.503(b)	2	1	1	2
45 CFR 170.520	1	1	1	1
45 CFR 170.523(f)	3	52	1.33	207
45 CFR 170.523(g)	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a
45 CFR 170.523(i)	3	2	1	6
45 CFR 170.540(c)	3	1	1	3
Total burden hours for OMB control number 0955–0013	....	....	....	219

OS specifically request comments on (1) the necessity and utility of the proposed information collection for the proper performance of the agency's functions, (2) the accuracy of the estimated burden, (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected, and (4) the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology to minimize the information collection burden.

Darius Taylor,
Information Collection Clearance Officer.
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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Delegation of Authority

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response, Department of Health and Human Services.

ACTION: Notice.

Notice is hereby given that I have delegated heads of an Operating Division or Staff Division that implement programs authorized under the Public Health Service (PHS) Act, the authorities vested in the Secretary of Health and Human Services under Sections 319(e) of PHS Act, as amended.

The authorities in section 319(e) of the PHS Act may be re-delegated as needed. These authorities shall be exercised in coordination with the Assistant Secretary for Preparedness and Response. These authorities shall be exercised under the Department's policy on regulations and the existing delegation of authority to approve and issue regulations.

I hereby affirm and ratify any actions taken by heads of an Operating Division or Staff Division that implement programs authorized under the Public Health Service (PHS) Act, that involved the exercise of the authorities delegated herein prior to the effective date of this delegation.

This delegation is effective immediately.

Dated: October 24, 2014.

Sylvia M. Burwell,
Secretary, Department of Health and Human Services.
[FR Doc. 2014–26056 Filed 10–31–14; 8:45 am]
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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Health Information Technology Standards Committee Advisory Meeting: Notice of Meeting

AGENCY: Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology, HHS.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

This notice announces forthcoming meetings of a public advisory committee of the Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology (ONC). These meetings will be open to the public.

Name of Committee: Health IT Standards Committee.

General Function of the Committee: To provide recommendations to the National Coordinator on standards, implementation specifications, and certification criteria for the electronic exchange and use of health information for purposes of adoption, consistent with the implementation of the Federal Health IT Strategic Plan, and in accordance with policies developed by the Health IT Policy Committee.

2015 Meeting Dates and Times:
- January 28, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- February 25, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- March 18, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- April 22, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- May 20, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- June 24, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- July 29, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- August 26, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time

- September 22, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- October 28, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- November 24, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- December 16, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time

For meeting locations, web conference information, and the most up-to-date information, please visit the calendar on the ONC Web site, *http://www.healthit.gov/FACAS/calendar.*

Contact Person: Michelle Consolazio, Office of the National Coordinator, HHS, 355 E Street SW., Washington, DC 20024, 781–710–0786, Fax: 202–690–6079, email: *michelle.consolazio@hhs.gov.* Please email Michelle Consolazio for up-to-date information on these meetings. A notice in the **Federal Register** about last minute modifications that impact a previously announced advisory committee meeting cannot always be published quickly enough to provide timely notice.

Agenda: The committee will hear reports from its workgroups and updates from ONC and other Federal agencies. ONC intends to make background material available to the public no later than 24 hours prior to the meeting start time. If ONC is unable to post the background material on its Web site prior to the meeting, it will be made publicly available at the location of the advisory committee meeting, and the background material will be posted on ONC's Web site after the meeting, at *http://www.healthit.gov/FACAS/health-it-standards-committee*

Procedure: Interested persons may present data, information, or views, orally or in writing, on issues pending before the Committee. Written submissions may be made to the contact person prior to the meeting date. Oral comments from the public will be scheduled prior to the lunch break and at the conclusion of each meeting. Time allotted for each presentation will be limited to three minutes. If the number of speakers requesting to comment is greater than can be reasonably accommodated during the scheduled open public session, ONC will take written comments after the meeting.

Persons attending ONC's advisory committee meetings are advised that the agency is not responsible for providing wireless access or access to electrical outlets.

ONC welcomes the attendance of the public at its advisory committee meetings. Seating is limited at the location, and ONC will make every effort to accommodate persons with physical disabilities or special needs. If

special accommodations are required, please contact Michelle Consolazio at least seven (7) days in advance of the meeting.

Notice of this meeting is given under the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92–463, 5 U.S.C., App. 2).

Dated: October 22, 2014.

Michelle Consolazio,

FACA Lead, Office of Policy, Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Health Information Technology Policy Committee Advisory Meeting; Notice of Meeting

AGENCY: Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology, HHS.

ACTION: Notice of meeting.

This notice announces forthcoming meetings of a public advisory committee of the Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology (ONC). These meetings will be open to the public.

Name of Committee: Health IT Policy Committee.

General Function of the Committee: To provide recommendations to the National Coordinator on a policy framework for the development and adoption of a nationwide health information technology infrastructure that permits the electronic exchange and use of health information as is consistent with the Federal Health IT Strategic Plan and that includes recommendations on the areas in which standards, implementation specifications, and certification criteria are needed.

2015 Meeting Dates and Times:

- January 13, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- February 10, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- March 10, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- April 7, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- May 12, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- June 9, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- July 14, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- August 11, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- September 9, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time

- October 14, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- November 17, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time
- December 8, 2015, from 9:30 a.m. to 3:00 p.m./Eastern Time

For meeting locations, web conference information, and the most up-to-date information, please visit the calendar on the ONC Web site, *http://www.healthit.gov/FACAS/calendar.*

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