

25044 (May 6, 1998). Three organizations submitted comments that address concerns about the need for and the methodology of conducting the proposed survey. The Supporting Statement submitted to OMB discusses these comments in detail. The Supporting Statement and other documentation, including copies of the survey questionnaire, are available from the Bureau of Economics at the address provided below. This is another opportunity for the public to submit comments.

DATES: Comments on the proposed study must be submitted on or before September 17, 1998.

ADDRESSES: Send comments regarding the burden estimate, or any other aspect of the information collection, including suggestions for reducing the burden, to the following addresses: Edward Clarke, Senior Economist, Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, New Executive Office Building, Room 3228, Washington, DC 20503. Further information, comments, and requests for the proposed collection of information (supporting statement and questionnaire) should be directed to James M. Lacko, Deputy Assistant Director, Division of Consumer Protection, Bureau of Economics, Federal Trade Commission, 6th Street and Pennsylvania Avenue, NW., Washington, DC 20580. Telephone: (202) 326-3387. E-mail: JLacko@FTC.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The FTC proposes to survey rent-to-own customers in order to evaluate their experiences with rent-to-own transactions. The FTC will use this information to gain an understanding of the rent-to-own industry and consumer experiences with the industry, to assess potential consumer protection problems in the industry, and to inform possible future FTC policy. The FTC will collect this information on a voluntary basis and the identities of respondents will remain confidential.

The FTC proposes to contract with a survey firm to identify 300 to 500 rent-to-own consumers and to obtain briefly information about their experience with the rent-to-own industry. A screening process will identify rent-to-own survey respondents from a preexisting random digit dialing survey. Given the low (roughly 2%) incidence rate of rent-to-

own customers within the general population, the FTC estimates that approximately 20,000 people will be screened in order to obtain a sample of 300 to 500 customers.

The FTC will pretest the survey questionnaire on no more than 50 respondents to ensure that all questions are easily understood. The pretest will take approximately 10 minutes for each respondent, for a total of 8 hours. The final survey will involve 300-500 respondents, again for approximately 10 minutes each, for a total of 83 hours. Because a response from an individual will take no more than 10 minutes and will be voluntary, the cost burden per respondent will be negligible.

Pre-test questionnaire: Approximately 10 minutes \times 50 people = 8 hours.

Screening: One initial question within a random survey of 20,000 people (other topics are also submitted from third party entities). Approximately 30 seconds \times 20,000 people = 167 hours.

Questionnaire response: Approximately 300-500 consumers \times 10 minutes = 83 hours.

Total burden hours: Approximately 260.

Cost to Respondents: Negligible.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

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Proposed Data Collections Submitted for Public Comment and Recommendations

In compliance with the requirement of section 3506(c) (2) (A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 for opportunity for public comment on proposed data collection projects, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) will publish periodic summaries of proposed projects. To request more information on the proposed projects or to obtain a copy of the data collection plans and instruments, call the CDC Reports Clearance Officer at (404) 639-7090.

Comments are invited on: (a) Whether the proposed collection of information

is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; (b) the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (c) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. Send comments to Seleda Perryman, CDC Assistant Reports Clearance Officer, 1600 Clifton Road, MS-D24, Atlanta, GA 30333. Written comments should be received within 60 days of this notice. Comments regarding this information collection are best assured of having their full effect if received within 60 days of the date of this publication.

Proposed Projects

1. Evaluation of The National Center for HIV, STD, and TB Prevention, Division of HIV/AIDS Prevention, Internet site—New—The proposed research is to assure that intended audiences find the information on the Internet site developed by the National Center for HIV, STD and TB Prevention (NCHSTP), Division of HIV/AIDS Prevention (DHAP) easy to access, clear, informative and useful. Specifically, the research will examine whether the information is presented in an appropriate technological format and whether it meets the needs of "visitors" to the Internet site. Information on the site focuses on HIV prevention, care, and epidemiology. The site is designed to serve the general public, persons at risk for HIV infection, persons with HIV/AIDS, and health professionals.

The information generated from this research will enable DHAP to provide information on this Internet site that meets the needs, wants and preferences of the target audiences identified above. Additionally, the center is committed to developing a standardized process for including such audience testing in subsequent materials development projects. The proposed process will contribute to the foundation for establishing a standardized process for such assessment. The cost of the respondent is \$3,360

Respondents	Number Of respondents	Number Of responses Per respondent	Average burden per response (in hrs)	Total burden (in hrs)
Visitors to NCHSTP/DHAP Internet site	2400	10.1	240	

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Total	240

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Charles W. Gollmar,
Acting Associate Director for Policy, Planning and Evaluation Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).
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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection and Control Advisory Committee: Meeting

In accordance with section 10(a) (2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) announces the following committee meeting.

Name: Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection and Control Advisory Committee.

Times and Dates: 9 a.m.-4:30 p.m., September 15, 1998.9 a.m.-12 noon, September 16, 1998.

Place: The Georgian Terrace Hotel, 659 Peachtree Street, Atlanta, Georgia 30308, telephone 770/394-5000.

Status: Open to the public, limited only by the space available.

Purpose: The Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection and Control Advisory Committee is charged with providing advice and guidance to the Secretary, the Assistant Secretary for Health, and the Director of CDC, regarding the early detection and control of breast and cervical cancer and to evaluate the Department's current breast and cervical cancer early detection and control activities.

Matters to be Discussed: The discussion will focus on case management issues in the National Breast and Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program.

Persons wishing to make oral presentations at the meeting should contact Ms. Rebecca Wolf, 770/488-3012, or Ms. Carlinda Nelson, 770/488-4237, by 4 p.m., September 1, 1998. Presentations will be limited to five minutes. Requests should contain the name of the presenter, and an outline of the presentation should be given to Ms. Nelson prior to the meeting.

Agenda items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

Contact Person for Additional Information: Rebecca B. Wolf, Division of Cancer Prevention and Control, National Center for Chronic Disease Prevention and Health Promotion, CDC 4770 Buford Highway, NE, M/S K-64, Atlanta, Georgia 30341-3724, telephone 770/488-3012.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

Board of Scientific Counselors, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health: Meeting

In accordance with section 10(a)(2) of the Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463), the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) announces the following committee meeting:

Name: Board of Scientific Counselors, National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (BSC, NIOSH).

Time and Date: 9 a.m.-4 p.m., September 9, 1998.

Place: The Washington Court, 525 New Jersey Avenue, NW, Washington, DC 20001-1527.

Status: Open to the public, limited only by the space available. The meeting room accommodates approximately 50 people.

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Purpose: The BSC, NIOSH is charged with providing advice to the Director, NIOSH on NIOSH research programs. Specifically, the Board shall provide guidance on the Institute's research activities related to developing and evaluating hypotheses, systematically documenting findings, and disseminating results.

Matters to be Discussed: Agenda items include a report from the Director of NIOSH; National Occupational Research Agenda (NORA) Update; NORA Injury Team Activities Report; NIOSH Mining Research; Development of NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits; Update on EIS and Other Fellowship Activities; Asphalt Initiative; and future activities of the Board.

Agenda items are subject to change as priorities dictate.

Contact Person for More Information: Dr. Bryan D. Hardin, Executive Secretary, NIOSH, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1600 Clifton Road, NE, Atlanta, GA 30333. Telephone 404/639-3773, Fax 404/639-2170, e-mail bdh1@cdc.gov.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Administration for Children and Families

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

Title: Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP) Carryover and Reallocation Report.

OMB No.: 0970-0106.

Description: The LIHEAP statute and regulations require LIHEAP grantees to report certain information to HHS concerning funds forward and funds subject to reallocation. The 1994 reauthorization of the LIHEAP statute, the Human Service Amendments of 1994 (Public Law 103-252), requires that the carryover and reallocation report for one fiscal year be submitted to HHS by the grantee before the Allotment for the next fiscal year may be awarded.

Respondents: State, Local or Tribal Governments.

Instrument	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden per response	Total burden hours
C&R Rpt	177	1	3	531