

social, educational, and quality of life outcomes beyond infancy and early childhood. However, existing U.S. population-based data are lacking on these outcomes among those born with CHD and the changes that may occur with time and age. U.S. data is needed to provide insight into the public health questions that remain for this population and to develop services and allocate resources to improve long-term health and well-being.

For this project, we will use data from U.S. state birth defect surveillance systems, or population-based studies derived from them, to identify a population-based sample of children and adolescents 2–17 years of age born

with CHD. We will then use state databases and online search engines to find current addresses for those individuals and mail surveys to their caregivers inquiring about the child’s cardiac and other healthcare utilization, barriers to healthcare, quality of life, social and educational outcomes, and transition of care from childhood to adulthood, as well as needs and experiences of the caregivers. The information collected from this population-based survey will be used to inform current knowledge, allocate resources, develop services, and, ultimately, improve long-term health of children and adolescents born with CHD.

We estimate receiving completed surveys from 7,667 caregivers of children and adolescents with CHD in the birth defects surveillance systems. To generate sufficient sample size, accounting for non-response, from caregivers up to 17 years after the birth of their child with CHD, we intend to sample 100% of eligible CHD cases identified through select birth defect surveillance systems. The survey takes approximately 20 minutes to complete. Therefore, we estimate the total annual burden to be 2,556 hours. There are no costs to participants other than their time.

**ESTIMATED ANNUALIZED BURDEN HOURS**

Type of respondents	Form name	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden per response (in hours)	Total burden (in hours)
Caregivers of individuals aged 2–17 years with a CHD.	Survey questionnaire .....	7,667	1	20/60	2,556
Total .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,556

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**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 “Understanding Health System Approaches to Chronic Pain Management” 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 Sept. 27, 2021 to obtain comments from the public and affected agencies. CDC did not receive 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/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. 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**

Understanding Health System Approaches to Chronic Pain Management—New—National Center for Injury Prevention and Control (NCIPC), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

*Background and Brief Description*

CDC requests OMB approval for three years for this new data collection. This study is designed to evaluate the effects of evidence-based guidelines related to chronic pain management and opioid prescribing, including access to medications for opioid use disorder (MOUD), for patients and clinicians in primary care settings among a diverse sample of health systems.

Since 1999, nearly 841,000 people have died from drug overdose in the United States. Over 70% of drug overdose deaths in 2019 involved an opioid. From 1999 to 2019, nearly 247,000 people died in the United States from overdoses involving

prescription opioids, with rates of deaths involving prescription opioids more than quadrupling from 1999 to 2019. In response, a range of clinical practice guidelines, policies, and regulations have been released in recent years to address the opioid overdose epidemic, with the goals of supporting safer opioid prescribing, improving diagnosis and treatment of OUD, and reducing overdose deaths in the United States.

To design this evaluation, we previously conducted and completed a “Feasibility Assessment of Health Systems” via surveys to determine the range of policies and guidelines being implemented by health systems, followed by an “evaluability assessment” by means of interviews with leaders of nine health systems. For the purposes of this evaluation, “Chronic pain management policies/guidelines” refers to policies/guidelines that may include prescribing of opioid medications, nonpharmacologic therapies, and/or non-opioid medications for chronic pain, as well as OUD assessment and treatment.

In early 2020, CDC requested OMB approval for a Feasibility Assessment of Health Systems (“Feedback on the use

of the CDC Guideline for Prescribing Opioids for Chronic Pain”) through the “Generic Clearance for the Collection of Routine Customer Feedback” (OMB Control No. 0920–1050). This brief eligibility assessment consisting of surveys was sent to approximately 250 health systems to understand the landscape of health systems and the types of guidelines or policies implemented, and what strategies were used to do so. Of 250 health systems contacted, 46 responded and were considered for the following preliminary phase, the evaluability assessment. Among the 46 health systems who completed the feasibility assessment surveys, nine were selected for a more in-depth “evaluability assessment” based on several factors identified in the initial feasibility (survey) assessment, as well as other expert knowledge of potential systems.

The purpose of this data collection effort is to: (1) Obtain an enhanced understanding of facilitators and barriers to guideline-concordant management of chronic pain and opioid prescribing (including access to MOUD) at the health system level, in order to improve patient outcomes while

maximizing patient safety and to facilitate uptake by clinicians and health systems, (2) describe unintended benefits and consequences to guideline/policy implementation, and (3) identify racial and ethnic disparities in guideline/policy implementation.

This mixed-methods, pre-post evaluation of health systems’ implementation of chronic pain management and opioid prescribing policies/guidelines and the resultant outcomes requires both primary data collection (such as surveys, key informant interviews, focus groups, etc.) and secondary data collection (such as administrative, EHR, pharmacy dispensing, prescribing data, etc.) efforts to adequately answer the research questions. While secondary data (QI measures) from health system EHRs will provide longitudinal pre-post measures, primary data is needed to understand the characteristics and mechanisms of practice and patient change that can be attributed to the policies and guidelines.

CDC requests OMB approval for an estimated 577 annual burden hours. There are no direct costs to respondents other than their time to participate in the study.

**ESTIMATED ANNUALIZED BURDEN HOURS**

Type of respondent	Form name	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden per response (in hours)
Patient .....	Patient Survey .....	667	1	10/60
Treatment facility staff (Including primary care clinicians, health system leaders, and other system staff and representatives).	Clinician Survey .....	1,313	1	10/60
	Invitation/Follow up Email .....	1,980	2	3/60
	System Leaders Interview Guide .....	17	1	1
	Case Study .....	30	1	30/60
	Member Checking Sessions .....	17	1	1

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**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 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 Monitoring and Reporting for the Overdose Data to Action Co-Operative Agreement. Information collected will provide crucial data for program performance monitoring, budget tracking, and where applicable, program success for programs funded under Overdose Data to Action (CDC–RFA–CE19–1904).

**DATES:** CDC must receive written comments on or before April 15, 2022.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by Docket No. CDC–2022–0019 by either of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* Regulations.gov. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.
- *Mail:* Jeffrey M. Zirger, Information Collection Review Office, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1600 Clifton Road NE, MS H21–8, Atlanta, Georgia 30329.

*Instructions:* All submissions received must include the agency name and Docket Number. CDC will post, without change, all relevant comments to Regulations.gov.

*Please note: Submit all comments through the Federal eRulemaking portal (regulations.gov) or by U.S. mail to the address listed above.*