

ESTIMATED ANNUALIZED BURDEN HOURS—Continued

Type of respondents	Form name	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden per response (in hours)	Total burden (in hours)
Fire Chiefs .....	Survey .....	4,500	1	18/60	1,350
Company Officers .....	Survey .....	4,500	1	18/60	1,350
Total .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,050

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND  
 HUMAN SERVICES**

**Centers for Disease Control and  
 Prevention**

[60Day–23–22FZ; Docket No. CDC–2023–  
 0072]

**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 *mChoice: Improving PrEP Uptake  
 and Adherence among Minority MSM  
 through Tailored Provider Training and  
 Adherence Assistance in Two High  
 Priority Settings*. The collection is part  
 of a research study designed to  
 implement and evaluate the  
 effectiveness of an intervention that  
 utilizes evidence-based education and  
 support tools to improve preexposure  
 prophylaxis (PrEP) adherence among  
 young men who have sex with men  
 (YMSM).

**DATES:** CDC must receive written  
 comments on or before October 20,  
 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments,  
 identified by Docket No. CDC–2023–  
 0072 by either of the following methods:

*Federal eRulemaking Portal:*  
[www.regulations.gov](http://www.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  
[www.regulations.gov](http://www.regulations.gov).

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

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** To  
 request more information on the  
 proposed project or to obtain a copy of  
 the information collection plan and  
 instruments, contact Jeffrey M. Zirger,  
 Information Collection Review Office,  
 Centers for Disease Control and  
 Prevention, 1600 Clifton Road NE, MS  
 H21–8, Atlanta, Georgia 30329;  
 Telephone: 404–639–7118; Email: [omb@  
 cdc.gov](mailto:omb@cdc.gov).

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** Under the  
 Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA)  
 (44 U.S.C. 3501–3520), Federal agencies  
 must obtain approval from the Office of  
 Management and Budget (OMB) for each  
 collection of information they conduct  
 or sponsor. In addition, the PRA also  
 requires Federal agencies to provide a  
 60-day notice in the **Federal Register**  
 concerning each proposed collection of  
 information, including each new  
 proposed collection, each proposed  
 extension of existing collection of  
 information, and each reinstatement of  
 previously approved information  
 collection before submitting the  
 collection to the OMB for approval. To  
 comply with this requirement, we are  
 publishing this notice of a proposed  
 data collection as described below. The  
 OMB is particularly interested in  
 comments that will help:

1. 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;

2. Evaluate the accuracy of the  
 agency’s estimate of the burden of the  
 proposed collection of information,  
 including the validity of the  
 methodology and assumptions used;

3. Enhance the quality, utility, and  
 clarity of the information to be  
 collected;

4. 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 submissions  
 of responses; and

5. Assess information collection costs.

**Proposed Project**

*mChoice: Improving PrEP Uptake and  
 Adherence among Minority MSM  
 through Tailored Provider Training and  
 Adherence Assistance in Two High  
 Priority Settings—New—National  
 Center for HIV/AIDS, Viral Hepatitis,  
 STD, and TB Prevention (NCHHSTP),  
 Centers for Disease Control and  
 Prevention (CDC).*

*Background and Brief Description*

The National Center for HIV/AIDS,  
 Viral Hepatitis, STD and TB Prevention  
 is requesting approval for 36 months of  
 data collection titled, “*mChoice:  
 Improving PrEP Uptake and Adherence  
 among Minority MSM through Tailored  
 Provider Training and Adherence  
 Assistance in Two High Priority  
 Settings.*” The purpose of this study is  
 to implement and evaluate the  
 effectiveness of a clinic-based  
 intervention that utilizes evidence-  
 based education and support tools to  
 improve preexposure prophylaxis  
 (PrEP) adherence among young men  
 who have sex with men (YMSM). The  
 goals of this research study are to: (1)  
 improve the overall PrEP experience of  
 providers and YMSM patients; and (2)  
 increase our understanding of provider  
 and patient factors that influence the  
 choice of PrEP regimen by MSM in  
 clinical settings. This study will be  
 carried out in four clinics in New York,  
 NY (two clinics) and Birmingham, AL  
 (two clinics).

Aim 1 of the study will enroll 400 YMSM (ages 18–39) who identify as male, non-binary, or genderqueer; were assigned male sex at birth; are taking or initiating PrEP; own a smartphone; understand and read English or Spanish; have a self-reported history of sex with men in the past 12-months; and live in the NYC or Birmingham, AL areas. Participants may identify as any race or ethnicity, but to ensure a diverse sample comprised mainly of racial/ethnic minority participants, the study will utilize recruitment controls to enroll at least 50% African American/Black and/or Hispanic/Latino participants. Patient participants will be recruited to the study through a combination of approaches including flyers and social media, referral, in-person outreach, and through word of mouth. Rolling enrollment will continue until enrollment targets are reached; each Aim 1 participant will be followed for 12 months. All participants will receive PrEP clinical services congruent with CDC PrEP guidelines. Participants using oral PrEP will receive CleverCap, an electronic medication monitoring device, that will track and support medication adherence. At the 3-month study visit, participants using oral PrEP will receive the mChoice mobile phone application, an evidence-based intervention that supports PrEP use through medication monitoring, study staff interaction, and other resources. Aim 1 assessments include: a baseline survey of self-reported demographic factors, sexual and drug use behaviors, and potential cofactors of sexual and drug use behavior including attitudes, beliefs, knowledge, traits, and other psychosocial factors; follow-up surveys at 3-, 6-, 9-, and 12-month study visits which will assess experiences with PrEP, PrEP adherence, and behavioral and social factors; medication adherence data from CleverCap; participant use and voluntary self-reported adherence and HIV exposure risk-related data from the mChoice app;

PrEP clinical care data from clinic electronic medical records; and urine studies assessing PrEP adherence. The information collected in Aim 1 will be used to evaluate the effectiveness of the mChoice intervention to improve PrEP adherence and persistence, and to increase understanding of PrEP experiences and factors that influence PrEP choices among MSM in clinical settings.

Aim 2 of the study will enroll 30 YMSM who participated in Aim 1; 15 from New York and 15 from Alabama. Participants will be recruited at Aim 1 study visits. Study staff will conduct in-depth interviews with Aim 2 participants exploring their experiences with PrEP, reasons for PrEP choices, and thoughts about the mChoice intervention. Data collected in Aim 2 will contribute to the evaluation of the mChoice intervention, implementation, and contribute to understanding factors that influence PrEP choices by MSM in clinical settings.

Aim 3 of the study will include 20 health care providers (10 from New York and 10 from Alabama) involved in the direct delivery of PrEP services at participating clinical sites. Providers may include nurse practitioners, physicians, PrEP coordinators/navigators, medical assistants, and other cross-trained coordinators from the participating clinics. Providers will be recruited via flyers, emails to clinic staff, and referrals. Providers will receive education and training designed to improve knowledge of PrEP options and clinical recommendations and enhance provider communications with patients. Aim 3 includes practice facilitation, an intervention that includes identification of a clinic champion who will engage other providers in embracing PrEP recommendations, as well as ongoing support from a practice coach who will offer tools, resources, hands-on guidance, and content expertise to assist the clinic team in developing strategies to improve clinical PrEP services. Aim

3 assessments include notes from practice facilitation coaching sessions; in-depth interviews of participating providers exploring their experiences with the intervention and thoughts about providing PrEP clinical services; and a clinic assessment completed by clinic staff every six months to describe the current implementation of PrEP services at their clinical site. These data will inform ongoing practice improvement in PrEP clinical services and increase understanding of provider experiences with providing PrEP clinical services.

It is expected that half of screened persons will meet study eligibility. For all aims we anticipate that screening and completion of the locator form will each take five minutes. Study staff will assist Aim 1 participants with onboarding the CleverCap device and mChoice app, a process that will take 20 minutes. Aim 1 participants will complete the baseline survey once (anticipated 30 minutes completion time) and the follow-up survey four times (anticipated completion time 30 minutes each) over their 12-month participation period. Total study enrollment for Aim 1 is 400, over the 3-year data collection period the estimated annual enrollment is 134. Aims 2 and 3 interviews will take 60 minutes to complete. For Aim 2, total study enrollment is 30, over the 3-year data collection period the estimated annual enrollment is 10. For Aim 3, total study enrollment is 20, over the 3-year data collection period the estimated annual enrollment is seven. Additionally, a single Aim 3 participant at each of the four participating clinic sites will complete a clinic assessment form every six months throughout the study period.

There are no costs to the participants other than their time. The total number of burden hours is 1,323 across 36 months of data collection. The total estimated annualized burden hours are 441.

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Aim 1 participants—YMSM; General public, adults.	Aim 1 Participant Eligibility Screener	268	1	5/60	22
Aim 1 participants—YMSM; General public, adults.	Aim 1 Participant Locator Form .....	134	1	5/60	12
Aim 1 participants—YMSM; General public, adults.	Aim 1 mChoice Onboarding Guide ..	134	1	20/60	45
Aim 1 participants—YMSM; General public, adults.	Aim 1 Participant Baseline Survey ..	134	1	30/60	67

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Aim 1 participants—YMSM; General public, adults.	Aim 1 Participant Follow-up Survey	134	4	30/60	268
Aim 2 participants—YMSM; General public, adults.	Aim 2 Participant Eligibility Screener	20	1	5/60	2
Aim 2 participants—YMSM; General public, adults.	Aim 2 Participant Locator Form .....	10	1	5/60	1
Aim 2 participants—YMSM; General public, adults.	Aim 2 Participant Interview Guide ...	10	1	1.0	10
Aim 3 participants—providers; General public, adults.	Aim 3 Participant Eligibility Screener	14	1	5/60	2
Aim 3 participants—providers; General public, adults.	Aim 3 Participant Locator Form .....	7	1	5/60	1
Aim 3 participants—providers; General public, adults.	Aim 3 Participant Interview Guide ...	7	1	1.0	7
Aim 3 participant—clinic staff respondent, 1 per clinic site; General public, adults.	Aim 3 Clinic Assessment .....	4	2	30/60	4
Total .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	441

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Centers for Disease Control and Prevention**

[60Day-23-1319; Docket No. CDC-2023-0073]

**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 National Surveillance of Community Water Systems and Corresponding Populations with the Recommended Fluoridation Level. This surveillance collects the fluoridation status of, and population served by the nation’s 52,000

community water systems (CWS) which serve the 50 States and the District of Columbia.

**DATES:** CDC must receive written comments on or before October 20, 2023.

**ADDRESSES:** You may submit comments, identified by Docket No. CDC-2023-0073 by either of the following methods:

- *Federal eRulemaking Portal:* [www.regulations.gov](http://www.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.

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**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:** To request more information on the proposed project or to obtain a copy of the information collection plan and instruments, contact Jeffrey M. Zirger, Information Collection Review Office, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1600 Clifton Road NE, MS H21-8, Atlanta, Georgia 30329; Telephone: 404-639-7570; Email: [omb@cdc.gov](mailto:omb@cdc.gov).

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collection of information they conduct or sponsor. In addition, the PRA also requires Federal agencies to provide a 60-day notice in the **Federal Register** concerning each proposed collection of information, including each new proposed collection, each proposed extension of existing collection of information, and each reinstatement of previously approved information collection before submitting the collection to the OMB for approval. To comply with this requirement, we are publishing this notice of a proposed data collection as described below.

The OMB is particularly interested in comments that will help:

1. 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;
2. Evaluate the accuracy of the agency’s estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
3. Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected;
4. 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 submissions of responses; and
5. Assess information collection costs.