

**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Administration for Children and Families**

**Submission for Office of Management and Budget Review; Child Support Annual Data Report and Instructions (OCSS–157) (Office of Management and Budget #: 0970–0177)**

**AGENCY:** Office of Child Support Services; Administration for Children and Families; U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

**ACTION:** Request for public comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Administration for Children and Families (ACF), Office of Child Support Services (OCSS), is requesting the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) to approve the Child Support Annual Data Report and Instructions (OCSS–157), with minor revisions, for an additional three years. The current OMB approval expires on March 31, 2025.

**DATES:** *Comments due* February 20, 2025. 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 [infocollection@acf.hhs.gov](mailto:infocollection@acf.hhs.gov). Identify all emailed requests by the title of the information collection.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** *Description:* States must annually provide OCSS with their child support information pertaining to case inventory, performance status, and

accomplishments in the following areas: paternity establishment; services requested and provided; medical support; collections due and distributed; staff; program expenditures; non-cooperation and good cause; and administrative enforcement. The information collected from the OCSS–157 allows OCSS to (1) report child support activities to Congress as required by law; (2) calculate States’ incentive measures for performance and assess performance indicators used in the program; and (3) help OCSS monitor and evaluate State child support programs.

OCSS made minor revisions to the instructions and report to make them easier for the respondents to understand and complete. Additionally, OCSS updated the name of the federal child support office from the Office of Child Support Enforcement (OCSE) to the Office of Child Support Services (OCSS).

*Respondents:* State Child Support Agencies.

**ANNUAL BURDEN ESTIMATES**

Information collection instrument	Total number of annual respondents	Number of annual responses per respondent	Average annual burden hour per response	Annual burden hours
OCSS Annual Report and Instructions (OCSS–157) .....	54	1	7	378

**Authority:** 42 U.S.C. 652(a) and (g) and 669.

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Indian Health Service**

**Organization, Functions, and Delegations of Authority; Indian Health Service Headquarters, Office of Information Technology and the Office of Management Services, Part GAG, GAL**

**AGENCY:** Indian Health Service, Department of Health and Human Services.

**ACTION:** Final notice.

**SUMMARY:** This Notice advises the public that the Indian Health Service (IHS) proposes Part GAG, GAL, of the Statement of Organization, Functions, and Delegations of Authority of the Department of Health and Human

Services (HHS), 47053–67, December 11, 1987, as amended, November 9, 1995, December 19, 1996, as amended July 12, 2004, as amended, May 6, 2005, as amended October 17, 2005, as amended, August 21, 2009, and most recently December 26, 2018, is hereby amended to reflect a reorganization of the Indian Health Service (IHS). The new organizational structure was approved by the Secretary of Health and Human Services on January 2, 2025. The purpose of this reorganization proposal is to update the current approved IHS, Office of Information Technology (GAG) and the Office Management Services (GAL) in their entirety and replace them with the following:

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The IHS is an Operating Division within the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) and is under the leadership and direction of a Director who is directly responsible to the Secretary of Health and Human Services. The IHS Headquarters is reorganizing the following major component: Office of Information Technology (OIT) and the Office of Management Services (OMS).

**Authority:** 44 U.S.C. 3101.

**Office of Information Technology (OIT) (GAG)**

(1) Provides Chief Information Officer (CIO) services and advises the Director, Indian Health Service (IHS), on all aspects of information resource management, information technology (IT), and Health IT; (2) ensures Agency compliance with related Federal statutes, executive orders, regulations, and policies; (3) directs the development, implementation, and maintenance of policies, procedures, standards, and architecture for information resource management, IT, and Health IT activities and services in the IHS; (4) provides IHS Area Offices and Service Units with sufficient training and oversight to manage IT and Health IT responsibilities; (5) directs the IT enterprise architecture, governance, category management, and Artificial Intelligence (AI) programs for the Agency; (6) directs strategic planning and budgeting processes for information resources, IT, and Health IT; (7) oversees the development and implementation of information resource