

and administration high priority demonstrations. The application will be used to gather information about the characteristics of the applicant's organization, benefits, and services they propose to offer, success in operating the model, and evidence that the model is likely to be successful in the Medicare program. The standard application will be used for all waiver demonstrations and will reduce the burden on applicants, provide for consistent and timely information collections across demonstration, and provide a user-friendly format for respondents.

Frequency: On Occasion.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit and Not-for-profit institutions.

Number of Respondents: 75.

Total Annual Responses: 75.

Total Annual Hours: 1600.

5. Type of Information Collection

Request: Extension of a currently approved collection.

Title of Information Collection:

Conditions of Coverage of Suppliers of End Stage Renal Disease (ESRD).

Form No.: CMS-R-52 (OMB# 0938-0386).

Use: This package is needed to encourage proper distribution and effective utilization of ESRD treatment sources while maintaining and improving the efficient delivery of care by physicians and dialysis facilities.

Frequency: Annually.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit and Federal Government.

Number of Respondents: 4,297.

Total Annual Responses: 4,297.

Total Annual Hours: 148,785.

6. Type of Information Collection

Request: Revision of a currently approved collection.

Title of Information Collection:

Information Collection Requirements in the Hospice Conditions Coverage. The following regulations are affected: 42 CFR 418.22; 418.24; 418.28; 418.56(b), (e)(1), (e)(3); 418.58; 418.70(e); 418.83; 418.96(b); and 418.100(b).

Form No.: CMS-R-30 (OMB# 0938-0302).

Use: Establishes standards for hospices that wish to participate in the Medicare program. The regulations establish standards for eligibility, reimbursement standards and procedure, and delineate conditions that hospices must meet to be approved for participation in Medicare.

Frequency: On occasion.

Affected Public: Business or other for-profit.

Number of Respondents: 2,316.

Total Annual Responses: 2,316.

Total Annual Hours: 5,981,427.

To obtain copies of the supporting statement and any related forms for the proposed paperwork collections referenced above, access CMS Web site address at <http://cms.hhs.gov/regulations/prd/default.asp>, or e-mail your request, including your address, phone number, OMB number, and CMS document identifier, to Paperwork@hcfa.gov, or call the Reports Clearance Office on (410) 786-1326. Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collections must be mailed within 30 days of this notice directly to the OMB desk officer: OMB Human Resources and Housing Branch,

Attention: Brenda Aguilar, New Executive Office Building, Room 10235, Washington, DC 20503.

Dated: April 10, 2003.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Administration for Children and Families

Proposed Information Collection Activity; Comment Request

Proposed Projects

Title: Tribal Temporary Assistance for Needy Families Quarterly Financial Report.

OMB No.: New Request.

Description: The form provides specific data regarding expenditures and provides a mechanism for Tribes to request grant awards and certify the availability of State matching funds. Failure to collect this data would seriously compromise ACF's ability to monitor expenditures. This information is also used to estimate outlays and may be used to prepare ACF budget submissions to Congress. The following citations should be noted in regards to this collection: 45 CFR 286.255.

Respondents: Tribal TANF Agencies.

Instrument	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden hours per response	Total burden hours
ACF-196TT	20	4	2	160

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 160.

In compliance with the requirements of section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, the Administration for Children and Families is soliciting public comment on the specific aspects of the information collection described above. Copies of the proposed collection of information can be obtained and comments may be forwarded by writing to the Administration for Children and Families, Office of Information Services, 370 L'Enfant Promenade, SW.,

Washington, DC 20447, Attn: ACF Reports Clearance Officer. All requests should be identified by the title of the information collection.

The Department specifically requests comments 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) 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. Consideration will be given to comments and suggestions submitted within 60 days of this publication.

Dated: April 15, 2003.

Bob Sargis,

Reports Clearance Officer.

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