GENERIC SUB-STUDY SUBMISSION – 0925-0589

DATE OF REQUEST: February 21, 2014

SUB AGENCY (I/C):   NIH/NCI/DCTD and DCCPS

TITLE OF SUB-STUDY: Requirement Gathering for a Biobank Economic Modeling Tool
(BEMT)

GENERIC CLEARANCE UNDER OMB #0925-0589   **EXP. DATE:**   4/30/2014

TOTAL BURDEN APPROVED:	6000 hours
BURDEN APPROVED TO DATE:	453 hours
BURDEN FOR THIS REQUEST:	752 hours

ABSTRACT:
This ARRA-funded formative project involves pre-testing related activities to refine the software that runs the web-based Biobank Economic Modeling Tool (BEMT). BEMT is a novel web-based tool designed to assist biobanks around the world with searchable information about infrastructure costs, funding requirements, specimen costs and price, and service costs and price. Feedback from potential users is needed to assist in refining the software, to be obtained via the proposed survey. Responses will provide data that guide the placement of questions, as well as the range of responses. Specific questions that support the interactive calculations are related to demographics, geographic location, operating model and facility/organizational footprint, and cost recovery adherence. Post survey, a debriefing will be performed with a small sampling of respondents to clarify their responses and conduct a brief cognitive interview. Specifically, this interview will allow us to obtain feedback related to the length and content of the questions and responses, to evaluate the degree of difficulty, relevance of the information asked and perceived value of the survey.

IS RACE AND ETHNICITY DATA COLLECTED? __YES ___X_NO_____N/A	**IS PERSONALLY IDENTIFIABLE INFORMATION (PII) BEING COLLECTED?** X__YES _____NO_____N/A
OBLIGATION TO RESPOND: __X____VOLUNTARY _____ REQUIRED TO OBTAIN OR RETAIN BENEFITS _____ MANDATORY	**TYPE OF COLLECTION/RESEARCH?** _____CUSTOMER SATISFACTION _____ USABILITY TESTING _____FOCUS GROUPS __X _PRETESTING
HOW WILL THIS SURVEY BE OFFERED? __X___WEB SITE _ X__ TELEPHONE INTERVIEW (limited size follow-up) _____ MAIL RESPONSE _____ IN PERSON INTERVIEW _____ OTHER: _____	__X__FORMATIVE RESEARCH _____QUESTIONNAIRE DEVELOPMENT _____APPLICATION _____PROGRAM MONITORING _____ OTHER: _____
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