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Through: Project Clearance Branch, HHS

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Subject: Change Request for Blood Donation Rules Opinion Study (Blood DROPS)", OMB

Control Number, 0925-0669, Expiration Date: January 31, 2014.

Our OMB approved study number: 0925-0669 entitled "Blood Donation Rules Opinion Study (Blood DROPS)" is seeking approval to increase the number of Aim 3 telephone interview respondents from 20 to 40. Over the course of our enrollment period study we have discovered that several more of our Aim 2 participants have expressed their willingness to participate in the Aim 3 telephone interviews than we anticipated when we sought OMB approval. (We were intentionally conservative in our expectation of the willingness of Aim 2 participants to participate in Aim 3.) It is important to note that these 20 additional participant interviews will significantly enrich the dataset for Aim 3, which seeks to assess the actual motivations for donating in the population of self-identified MSM who have donated blood in the US after 1977 following their MSM sexual debut.

## A.12.1 - Proposed Revised Annualized Burden Hours to Respondents

Study Aims	Estimated	Estimated	Average Burden	Estimated Total
	Annual Number	Number of	Hours per	Annual Burden
	of Respondents	Responses per	Response	Hours Requested
		Respondent		
Aim 1 - Focus	64	1	90/60	96
Groups				
Aim 2.1 - Web	2,000	1	6/60	200
screener				
Aim 2.1 - Web	1,600	1	20/60	528
interview				
Aim 2.2 - Web	3,200	1	20/60	1056
interview				
Aim 3-	40*	1	60/60	40
Telephone				
Survey				
Total				1,920

<sup>\*</sup>Aim 3 respondents are a subset of the respondents included in Aim 2

A.12 - 2 PROPOSED REVISED ANNUALIZED COST TO RESPONDENTS

Type of	Number of	Frequency	Average Time	Hourly	Respondent
Respondents	Respondents	of	per	Wage	Cost - all
		Response	Respondents	Rate	respondents
Aim 1 - Focus	64	1	90/60	8.00	\$768
Groups					
Aim 2.1 -	2,000	1	6/60	8.00	\$1,600.
Web					
screener					
Aim 2.1 -	1,600	1	20/60	8.00	\$4,224
Web					
interview					
Aim 2.2 -	3,200	1	20/60	8.00	\$8,448
Web					
interview					
Aim 3 -	40*	1	60/60	8.00	\$320
Telephone					
Survey					
Total					\$15,360

<sup>\*</sup>Aim 3 respondents are a subset of the respondents included in Aim 2