

**SUBMISSION OF INFORMATION COLLECTION UNDER THE
Request for Approval under AHRQ's Generic Clearance "Questionnaire and Data
Collection Testing, Evaluation, and Research for the AHRQ" (OMB Control Number:
0935-0124)**

DATE OF REQUEST: December 3, 2015

SUB AGENCY (I/C): HHS/AHRQ

TITLE: Environmental Scan for Guide to Improving Patient Safety in Primary Care Settings by Engaging Patients and Families

GENERIC CLEARANCE UNDER OMB#: 0935-0179 **EXP. DATE:** 07/31/2018

ABSTRACT:

Patient and family engagement (PFE) is an evolving concept in healthcare transformation and a number of frameworks have been developed that call for PFE as a means for achieving patient-centered care. The evidence base suggests significant advancement in hospital based patient and family involvement in patient safety. We are building a robust, scalable, and influential guide for patients and families. The initial step to our approach is an environmental scan. The purpose of this request is to conduct a series of voluntary key informant interviews as part of the environmental scan- for the Guide to Improving Patient Safety in Primary Care Settings by Engaging Patients and Families (Guide). The environmental scan is developmental work serving as the preliminary activity for a project that we will submit to OMB at a later date. We will conduct this environmental scan to analyze a wide range of research and non-research material to provide greater conceptual clarity about the field to develop the Guide. As part of this scan, we will conduct a series of interviews to help us with the following for the larger project to be submitted to OMB at a future date.

BURDEN THIS REQUEST: 43 hours.

FEDERAL COST: The estimated annual cost to the Federal government is \$600_____.

IS RACE AND ETHNICITY DATA COLLECTED AS REQUIRED?

____ YES ____ NO ____x_N/A

OBLIGATION TO RESPOND:

__x__ VOLUNTARY
____ REQUIRED TO OBTAIN OR RETAIN BENEFITS
____ MANDATORY

HOW WILL THIS SURVEY BE OFFERED?

__x__ WEB SITE
__x__ TELEPHONE INTERVIEW
__x__ MAIL RESPONSE [email]
__s__ IN PERSON INTERVIEW
____ OTHER: _____

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