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**Title:** Million Hearts Hospitals & Health Systems Recognition Program

**Project Id:** 0900f3eb81ec140a

**Accession #:** NCCDPHP-MHT-3/18/22-c140a

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**Organization:** NCCDPHP/DHDSP/OD/MHT

**Status:** **Project In Progress**

**Intended Use:** **Project Determination**

**Estimated Start Date:** 12/01/2022

**Estimated Completion Date:** 11/30/2025

**CDC/ATSDR HRPO/IRB Protocol #:**

**OMB Control #:** 0920-1274

## Determinations

Determination	Justification	Completed	Entered By & Role
HSC: Does NOT Require HRPO Review	Not Research / Other <i>45 CFR 46.102(l)</i> Program Evaluation Quality Assurance / Improvement	3/28/22	Redmond Leonard_Joan (jrl3) CIO HSC

PRA: PRA Applies		3/29/22	Still-LeMelle_Terri (cse6) OMB / PRA
ICRO: PRA Applies	OMB Approval date: 11/25/19 OMB Expiration date: 11/30/22	3/30/22	Zirger_Jeffrey (wtj5) ICRO Reviewer

## Description & Funding

### Description

**Priority:** Standard

**Date Needed:** 03/30/2022

**Determination Start Date:** 03/18/22

**Description:**

Million Hearts# is a national initiative to prevent 1 million heart attacks and strokes by 2027. The purpose of the Million Hearts# Hospital & Health Systems Recognition program is to recognize institutions working to systematically improve the cardiovascular health of the population and communities they serve through a focus on Building Healthy Communities, Optimizing Care, Focusing on Health Equity, and Supplemental Programs and Innovations. Hospitals and health systems will self-nominate through an online portal confirming that they are: a.)Committed to implement strategies that promote cardiovascular health b.)Provide documentation of current strategies that they are implementing in order to promote cardiovascular health c.) Provide documentation of current strategies that they are implementing in order to promote cardiovascular health and provide data that shows positive health outcomes as a result of those strategies being implemented. Nominations will be reviewed using predetermined criteria to ascertain that they meet the eligibility criteria. The determinations by the review group will be reviewed by an expert panel of judges. Recognized designees will participate in the development of a success story product to be shared broadly with the public health and clinical audiences. CDC staff members have developed the application criteria, data collection instruments, and selection criteria. Data will be stored by CDC on a secure CDC file system. This data will be stored on a secure server that will be password protected. CDC's Million Hearts# team and its funded partner (The National Association for Chronic Disease Directors) will have access to this data. Data will not be shared with any other entities, and will be stored for 3 years. The objective of this program is to identify and recognize hospitals and health systems that work to improve cardiovascular health in a narrative or documentary format. No individual patient level data will be collected, only practice level summary data. No generalizable knowledge will emerge from this project. A manuscript is not planned at this time. Selected hospitals and health systems will be recognized through web-based platforms.

**IMS/CIO/Epi-Aid/Lab-Aid/Chemical Exposure Submission:** No

**IMS Activation Name:** Not selected

**Primary Priority of the Project:** Not selected

**Secondary Priority(s) of the Project:** Not selected

**Task Force Associated with the Response:** Not selected

**CIO Emergency Response Name:** Not selected

<b>Epi-Aid Name:</b>	Not selected
<b>Lab-Aid Name:</b>	Not selected
<b>Assessment of Chemical Exposure Name:</b>	Not selected
<b>Goals/Purpose</b>	The purpose of the Million Hearts# Hospital & Health Systems Recognition program is to recognize institutions working to systematically improve the cardiovascular health of the population and communities they serve through a focus on Building Healthy Communities, Optimizing Care, Focusing on Health Equity, and Supplemental Programs and Innovations.
<b>Objective:</b>	The objective of this program is to identify and recognize hospitals and health systems that work to improve cardiovascular health in a narrative or documentary format.
<b>Does this project include interventions, services, or policy change work aimed at improving the health of groups who have been excluded or marginalized and /or decreasing disparities?:</b>	No
<b>Project does not incorporate elements of health equity science:</b>	Not Selected
<b>Measuring Disparities:</b>	Not Selected
<b>Studying Social Determinants of Health (SDOH):</b>	Not Selected
<b>Assessing Impact:</b>	Not Selected
<b>Methods to Improve Health Equity Research and Practice:</b>	Not Selected
<b>Other:</b>	Million Hearts will recognize hospitals and health systems that are using strategies to focus on priority populations such as pregnant and postpartum women, people from racial/ethnic minority groups, people with lower incomes and people who live in access deserts.
<b>Activities or Tasks:</b>	Programmatic Work
<b>Target Populations to be Included/Represented:</b>	Businesses ; Healthcare Provider
<b>Tags/Keywords:</b>	Awards and Prizes
<b>CDC's Role:</b>	Activity originated and designed by CDC staff, or conducted at the specific request of CDC, or CDC staff will approve study design and data collection as a condition of any funding provided
<b>Method Categories:</b>	Individual Interviews (Qualitative)
<b>Methods:</b>	Applicants to the Million Hearts Hospitals & Health Systems Recognition program will voluntarily submit an application attesting to the Million Hearts strategies that they commit to implement, are currently implementing or have been implementing and achieved results. CDC and it's funded partner (National Association of Chronic Disease Directors) will review the application data and conduct a qualitative interview with the highest-achieving applicants.
<b>Collection of Info, Data or Biospecimen:</b>	Applicants will submit an application through a web-based portal. Qualitative interviews with the highest-achieving applicants will be held by phone.  Million Hearts will recognize the work and strategies used by select hospitals and health systems and promote their work through

**Expected Use of Findings/Results and their impact:** web-based platforms in narrative or documentary format.

**Could Individuals potentially be identified based on Information Collected?** No

## Funding

Funding Type	Funding Title	Funding #	Original Budget Yr	# Years Award	Budget Amount
CDC Cooperative Agreement	CSTLTS- MH-NACDD MH Recognition Program				

## HSC Review

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### HSC Attributes

Program Evaluation Yes

Quality Assurance / Improvement Yes

## Regulation and Policy

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Do you anticipate this project will be submitted to the IRB office No

Estimated number of study participants

Population - Children

Protocol Page #:

Population - Minors

Protocol Page #:

Population - Prisoners

Protocol Page #:

**Population - Pregnant Women**

Protocol Page #:

**Population - Emancipated Minors**

Protocol Page #:

**Suggested level of risk to subjects**

**Do you anticipate this project will be exempt research or non-exempt research**

### **Requested consent process wavers**

**Informed consent for adults** No Selection

**Children capable of providing assent** No Selection

**Parental permission** No Selection

**Alteration of authorization under HIPPA Privacy Rule** No Selection

### **Requested Waivers of Documentation of Informed Consent**

**Informed consent for adults** No Selection

**Children capable of providing assent** No Selection

**Parental permission** No Selection

### **Consent process shown in an understandable language**

**Reading level has been estimated** No Selection

**Comprehension tool is provided** No Selection

**Short form is provided** No Selection

**Translation planned or performed** No Selection

**Certified translation / translator** No Selection

**Translation and back-translation to/from target language(s)** No Selection

**Other method** No Selection

### **Clinical Trial**

**Involves human participants** No Selection

**Assigned to an intervention** No Selection

Evaluate the effect of the intervention No Selection

Evaluation of a health related biomedical or behavioral outcome No Selection

Registerable clinical trial No Selection

### Other Considerations

Exception is requested to PHS informing those bested about HIV serostatus No Selection

Human genetic testing is planned now or in the future No Selection

Involves long-term storage of identifiable biological specimens No Selection

Involves a drug, biologic, or device No Selection

Conducted under an Investigational New Drug exemption or Investigational Device Exemption No Selection

## Institutions & Staff

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### Institutions

Institutions yet to be added .....

### Staff

Staff Member	SIQT Exp. Date	CITI Biomedical Exp. Date	CITI Social & Behavioral Exp. Date	CITI Good Clinical Practice Exp. Date	Staff Role	Email	Phone	Organization
Judith Hannan	08/25/2023				Program Official		770-488-4572	DIVISION OF HEART DISEASE AND STROKE PREVENTION

## Data

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## DMP

**Proposed Data Collection Start Date:** 12/1/22

**Proposed Data Collection End Date:** 11/30/25

**Proposed Public Access Level:** Public

**Public Access Justification:**

Million Hearts will release promotional narratives to highlight strategies that applicants attest they are using to address heart disease and stroke. This recognition program aims to recognize and disseminate strategies that institutions are using to successfully address heart disease and stroke prevention.

**How Access Will Be Provided for Data:**

Data will be stored by CDC on a secure CDC file system. This data will be stored on a secure server that will be password protected. CDC's Million Hearts# team and its funded partner (The National Association for Chronic Disease Directors) will have access to this data. Data such as the applicant's contact information will not be shared with any other entities, and will be stored for 3 years.

**Plans for Archival and Long Term Preservation:**

Data will be stored for 3 years and then archived.

## Spatiality

Spatiality (Geographic Locations) yet to be added .....

## Dataset

Dataset Title	Dataset Description	Data Publisher /Owner	Public Access Level	Public Access Justification	External Access URL	Download URL	Type of Data Released	Collection Start Date	Collection End Date
Dataset yet to be added...									



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