

Attachment E
Human Subjects Determination

Date: May 17, 2023

New Protocol #2023-02 DHCS Direct Care Worker Pilot Study

The NCHS Human Subjects Contact determined that the New Protocol #2023-02 DHCS Direct Care Worker Pilot Study is a public health surveillance activity under the 2018 requirements of the Common Rule (45 CFR 46.102(I)(2)). The NCHS Ethics Review Board (ERB) reviewed the request for approval of New Protocol #2023-02 DHCS Direct Care Worker Pilot Study (OCD2023224.01), at the May 17th, 2023 convened ERB meeting.

Protocol #2023-02 is approved for a maximum of 4 years.

ERB approval of protocol #2023-01 will expire **05/17/2027**.

Any problems of a serious nature should be brought to the attention of the ERB, and any additional proposed changes affecting the consent process should be submitted for IRB approval before they are implemented.

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