

**Request for Approval under the “Generic Clearance for the Collection of Routine Customer Feedback” (OMB#: 0925-0648 Exp., date: 06/30/2024)**

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**TITLE OF INFORMATION COLLECTION:**

NIH Sexual & Gender Minority (SGM) Health Summer Intensive Series- Customer Feedback Pre-Knowledge

**PURPOSE:**

The Sexual & Gender Minority Research Office (SGMRO) wishes to collect feedback from participants of the NIH Sexual & Gender Minority Health Summer Intensive Series (SGM SIS). The goal of the SGM SIS is to enhance the learning of trainees about SGM health research and its intersection with science, policy, communication, and community engagement. Before the first session of the SGM SIS, SGMRO seeks feedback on the knowledge base regarding SGM health research. The SGM SIS participants will include summer interns, postbacs, predocs, postdocs, and NIH staff, who are interested in SGM health. The responses will be used to improve and expand the program for future participants.

**DESCRIPTION OF RESPONDENTS:**

Respondents are participants of the SGM SIS, which includes summer interns, postbacs, predocs, postdocs – who are trainees at the NIH Intramural Research Program and extramural academic institutions, as well as NIH staff.

**TYPE OF COLLECTION:** (Check one)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Customer Comment Card/Complaint Form          | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Customer Satisfaction Survey |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Usability Testing (e.g., Website or Software) | <input type="checkbox"/> Small Discussion Group                  |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Focus Group                                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____                            |

**FREQUENCY OF REPORTING:** (Check one)

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Once | <input type="checkbox"/> Quarterly   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Monthly         | <input type="checkbox"/> On Occasion |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Annually        | <input type="checkbox"/> Other       |

**CERTIFICATION:**

I certify the following to be true:

1. The collection is voluntary.
2. The collection is low-burden for respondents and low-cost for the Federal Government.
3. The collection is non-controversial and does not raise issues of concern to other federal agencies.
4. The results are not intended to be disseminated to the public.
5. Information gathered will not be used for the purpose of substantially informing influential policy decisions.
6. The collection is targeted to the solicitation of opinions from respondents who have experience with the program or may have experience with the program in the future.

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To assist review, please provide answers to the following question:

**Personally Identifiable Information:**

1. Is personally identifiable information (PII) collected? [ ] Yes [X] No
2. If Yes, is the information that will be collected included in records that are subject to the Privacy Act of 1974? [ ] Yes [ ] No
3. If Applicable, has a System or Records Notice been published? [ ] Yes [X] No

**Gifts or Payments:**

Is an incentive (e.g., money or reimbursement of expenses, token of appreciation) provided to participants? [ ] Yes [X] No

**ESTIMATED BURDEN HOURS and COSTS**

Category of Respondent	No. of Respondents	No. of Responses per Respondent	Time per Response (in hours)	Total Burden Hours
Individuals	50	1	5/60	4
<b>Totals</b>		50		4

**COST TO RESPONDENT**

Category of Respondent	Total Burden Hours	Hourly Wage Rate*	Total Burden Cost
Individuals	4	\$51	\$204
<b>Totals</b>			<b>\$204</b>

\* [https://www.bls.gov/oes/current/oes\\_47900.htm#19-0000](https://www.bls.gov/oes/current/oes_47900.htm#19-0000)

**FEDERAL COST:** The estimated annual cost to the Federal government is     \$488

Staff	Grade/Step	Salary*	% of Effort	Fringe (if applicable)	Total Cost to Gov't
<b>Federal Oversight</b>					
Assistant Director	GS-15-2	\$155,886	0.15%		\$234
Program Officer	GS-13-5	\$126,949	0.2%		\$254
<b>Contractor Cost</b>					
Travel					
Other Cost					
<b>Total</b>					<b>\$488</b>

\*the Salary in table above is cited from <https://www.opm.gov/policy-data-oversight/pay-leave/salaries-wages/2023/general-schedule>

**If you are conducting a focus group, survey, or plan to employ statistical methods, please provide answers to the following questions:**

**The selection of your targeted respondents**

1. Do you have a customer list or something similar that defines the universe of potential respondents and do you have a sampling plan for selecting from this universe?  
 Yes       No

If the answer is yes, please provide a description of both below (or attach the sampling plan)? If the answer is no, please provide a description of how you plan to identify your potential group of respondents and how you will select them?

The SGMRO will send an email to session participants who registered to complete the electronic feedback form at the end of each session. We expect approximately 50 trainees to register for the SGM SIS. Thus, we expect approximately 50 respondents.

**Administration of the Instrument**

1. How will you collect the information? (Check all that apply)  
 Web-based or other forms of Social Media  
 Telephone  
 In-person  
 Mail  
 Other, Explain
2. Will interviewers or facilitators be used?  Yes  No

**Please make sure that all instruments, instructions, and scripts are submitted with the request.**