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Authority: 40 C.F.R. Part 745, and 15 U.S.C. §§ 2682 and 2684.

Purpose: Information collected in this system is used to establish an applicant's eligibility for 1) certification to conduct lead-based paint and renovation, repair and painting (RRP) activities in target housing and child-occupied facilities; and 2) accreditation to teach lead-based paint and RRP activities training courses. In addition, certification and accreditation information, as well as information collected from required notifications are used for compliance monitoring, enforcement purposes, and related research.

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