

**GenIC Clearance for CDC/ATSDR  
Formative Research and Tool Development**

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**Request for GenIC Approval**

**Title: Caring Adults Perceptions on Teen Mental Health**

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### **Purpose And Use of Collection**

The primary goals of this project are to:

- 1) better understand the experiences of girls and nonbinary adolescents (ages 13-17) seeking and accessing mental health care in rural America
- 2) inform opportunities for this population for public health interventions and upstream prevention at CDC

### **Description of Respondents**

The population of focus for the semi-structured interviews and focus group sessions are adults that mentor or support those adolescents with programs and services.

### **Personally Identifiable Information:**

1. Is personally identifiable information (PII) collected? ☐ Yes ☒ 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 ☐ No

### **Gifts or Payments**

Is an incentive (e.g., money or reimbursement of expenses, token of appreciation) provided to participants? ☒ Yes ☐ No -- Each participant will receive a \$50 Visa gift card per completed session.

### **Burden Hours**

<b>Category of Respondent</b>	<b>Form Name</b>	<b>No. of Respondents</b>	<b>Participation Time (Hours)</b>	<b>Burden (Hours)</b>
Adult Mentor Participants	Emails (Attachment 1)	20	15/60	5
	Screening Survey (Attachment 2)	20	10/60	3
	Adult Mentor Consent Form (Attachment 3)	10	10/60	2
	Interview Discussion Guide (Attachment 4)	10	1	10
	Focus Group Session Discussion Guide (Attachment 5)	5	1.5	8
<b>Totals</b>				<b>28</b>

**Federal Cost:** The estimated annual cost to the Federal government is **\$15,760**.

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

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

Recruitment for the interviews and focus will be conducted via convenience sampling through partnerships with local community-based organizations, local youth-serving and tribal organizations:

- YMCA of Southeastern North Carolina
- YMCA Mountain States Alliance (MT)
- Family YMCA of Los Alamos, New Mexico
- North Carolina Native American Youth Organization
- Time Out Youth

Interviews will take 60 minutes to complete while focus groups will take 90 minutes to complete. There is no cost to participants beyond the participation burden time.

#### **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 - Virtually and In-Person
2. Will interviewers or facilitators be used? ☒ Yes ☐ No