

prevention measures and improve awareness of risks associated with medical tourism. State and local health departments will conduct surveys and

send them electronically to CDC. Data will be stored in an electronic database and extracted for further analysis.

CDC requests OMB approval for an estimated 438 annual burden hours. There is no cost to respondents other than their time to participate.

ESTIMATED ANNUALIZED BURDEN HOURS

Type of respondents	Form name	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden per response (in hours)
State/Local Health department staff	Form 1 Medical Tourism Case Intake Form (Part B—Medical Chart Abstraction).	50	15	5/60
Ill persons who have experienced an adverse health outcome related to medical tourism.	Form 1 Medical Tourism Case Intake Form (Part A—Interviews).	750	1	10/60
Ill persons who have experienced an adverse health outcome related to medical tourism.	Form 2 Medical Tourism Enhanced Surveillance Form.	500	1	0.5

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

[60Day-25–1381; Docket No. CDC–2025–0123]

Proposed Data Collection Submitted for Public Comment and Recommendations

AGENCY: Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), Department of Health and Human Services (HHS).

ACTION: Notice with comment period.

SUMMARY: The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), as part of its continuing effort to reduce public burden and maximize the utility of government information, invites the general public and other federal agencies the opportunity to comment on a continuing information collection, as required by the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. This notice invites comment on a proposed extension to a previously approved information collection project titled Formative Respirator and Personal Protective Clothing Laboratory Testing. NIOSH proposes using questionnaires, physiological monitoring/measurements, anthropometric measurements, respirator fit measurements, self-perception data, and biomechanical measurements to assess gaps in respirator and personal protective clothing use among the United States working population.

DATES: CDC must receive written comments on or before September 16, 2025.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by Docket No. CDC–2025–0123 by either of the following methods:

- **Federal eRulemaking Portal:** www.regulations.gov. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.
- **Mail:** Jeffrey M. Zirger, Information Collection Review Office, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1600 Clifton Road NE, MS H21–8, Atlanta, Georgia 30329.

Instructions: All submissions received must include the agency name and Docket Number. CDC will post, without change, all relevant comments to www.regulations.gov.

Please note: Submit all comments through the Federal eRulemaking portal (www.regulations.gov) or by U.S. mail to the address listed above.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request more information on the proposed project or to obtain a copy of the information collection plan and instruments, contact Jeffrey M. Zirger, Information Collection Review Office, Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, 1600 Clifton Road NE, MS H21–8, Atlanta, Georgia 30329; Telephone: 404–639–7570; Email: omb@cdc.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA) (44 U.S.C. 3501–3520), federal agencies must obtain approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for each collection of information they conduct or sponsor. In addition, the PRA also requires federal agencies to provide a 60-day notice in the **Federal Register** concerning each proposed collection of information, including each new proposed collection, each proposed extension of existing collection of information, and each reinstatement of

previously approved information collection before submitting the collection to the OMB for approval. To comply with this requirement, we are publishing this notice of a proposed data collection as described below.

The OMB is particularly interested in comments that will help:

1. Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
2. Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
3. Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected;
4. Minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, e.g., permitting electronic submissions of responses; and
5. Assess information collection costs.

Proposed Project

Formative Respirator and Protective Clothing Laboratory Testing (OMB Control No. 0920–1381, Exp. 1/31/2026)—Extension—National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

Background and Brief Description

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), National Institute for Occupational Safety and Health (NIOSH), is requesting approval of a three-year Extension to a previously approved Generic information

collection request (ICR) titled Formative Respirator and Personal Protective Clothing Laboratory Testing.

The National Personal Protective Technology Laboratory (NPPTL) is a division of NIOSH, which operates within the CDC. NIOSH is the federal institute specifically dedicated to generating new knowledge in the field of occupational safety and health and is responsible for transferring that knowledge into practice for the betterment of workers.

NPPTL was established in 2001, at the request of Congress, with the mission of preventing disease, injury, and death for the millions of working men and women relying on personal protective technology (PPT). PPT plays an important role in keeping many workers within various industries safe while performing their professional duties. To achieve their mission, NPPTL conducts scientific research, develops guidance and authoritative recommendations, disseminates information, and responds to requests for workplace health hazard evaluations. The development of NPPTL filled a need for improved PPT and focused research into PPT.

Respiratory protection is the cornerstone of NPPTL's efforts. One of the primary responsibilities of NPPTL is to test and approve respirators used in

U.S. occupational settings. This function ensures a standard level of quality and filtration efficiency for all respirators used within a U.S. workplace setting. The NPPTL Respirator Approval Program exists to increase the level of worker protection from airborne particulates, chemicals, and vapors.

In addition to respirators, NPPTL conducts research on other types of PPT, including chemical-resistant clothing, hearing protection, gloves, eye and face protective devices, hard hats, sensors to detect hazardous substances, and communication devices used for safe deployment of emergency workers. The NPPTL's PPT research examines exposure to inhalation hazards, dermal hazards, and any other hazardous environmental threats within an occupational setting.

PPT performance requirements and test methods are specified within: (1) federal regulations by NIOSH, the Food and Drug Administration (FDA), and the Mine Safety and Health Administration (MSHA); and (2) voluntary consensus standards published by organizations such as the American National Standards Institute (ANSI), American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM) International, and International

Organization for Standardization (ISO). Thus, the information collected from human subjects in a laboratory setting is generally consistent across NPPTL studies with only the boundary conditions changing (e.g., environmental conditions such as heat or humidity, human subject activity such as simulated surgery or climbing a ladder, and distance between two subjects communicating by spoken word). Additionally, novel PPT designs may be examined or compared to commercially available products under similar boundary conditions to examine adherence to regulations and/or standards. NPPTL requests an Extension of the Generic ICR package for laboratory-collected information for testing respirators and personal protective clothing.

NIOSH estimates that up to 1,500 individuals could be burdened per year. Recruitment for all laboratory studies includes individuals from the general population rather than specific industries or working status. These individuals are all adults between the ages of 18 and 65 years. CDC requests OMB approval for an estimated 11,903 annual burden hours. There is no cost to respondents other than their time to participate.

ESTIMATED ANNUALIZED BURDEN HOURS

Type of respondents	Form name	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden per response (in hours)	Total burden (in hours)
Members of the general public.	Informed Consent	470	1	30/60	235
	Health Screening Questionnaire	470	6	1	2820
	Demographics Questionnaire	470	1	30/60	235
	<i>Job-related Data:</i> occupational Tasks, postures used, duration of exposure.	470	1	15/60	118
	<i>Physiological Measurements:</i> chest-worn heart rate monitor strap, COSMED Kb5, SQ2020-1F8 temperature logger, TOSCA 500 pulse oximeter, koken breathing waveform recording mask.	200	6	1.5	1800
	<i>Biological Measurements:</i> cortisol (stress) levels, pregnancy tests, hydration status, lipids, inflammatory markers, heat shock proteins.	100	6	15/60	150
	<i>Anthropometric Measurements:</i> calipers/digital measuring of facial and body dimensions.	500	1	15/60	125
	<i>Respirator Fit Measurements:</i> filter cassettes with air pumps, fit-testing equipment, QLFT/sodium saccharin solution.	225	100	15/60	5,625
	<i>Self-Perception Data:</i> level of exertion, perceived comfort level, heat sensation, fatigue.	500	6	15/60	750
	<i>Biomechanics Measurements:</i> force plate, stopwatch, accelerometers.	30	3	30/60	45
Total					11,903

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

[60Day–25–1391; Docket No. CDC–2025–
0156]

Proposed Data Collection Submitted for Public Comment and Recommendations

AGENCY: Centers for Disease Control and
Prevention (CDC), Department of Health
and Human Services (HHS).

ACTION: Notice with comment period.

SUMMARY: The Centers for Disease
Control and Prevention (CDC), as part of
its continuing effort to reduce public
burden and maximize the utility of
government information, invites the
general public and other federal
agencies the opportunity to comment on
a continuing information collection, as
required by the Paperwork Reduction
Act of 1995. This notice invites
comment on a proposed information
collection project titled Enhancing Data-
driven Disease Detection in Newborns
(ED3N). This national newborn
screening (NBS) data platform serves as
a secure, central, and national data
sharing resource for the U.S. state and
territorial NBS community.

DATES: CDC must receive written
comments on or before September 16,
2025.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments,
identified by Docket No. CDC–2025–
0156 by either of the following methods:

- **Federal eRulemaking Portal:**
www.regulations.gov. Follow the
instructions for submitting comments.
- **Mail:** Jeffrey M. Zirger, Information
Collection Review Office, Centers for
Disease Control and Prevention, 1600
Clifton Road NE, MS H21–8, Atlanta,
Georgia 30329.

Instructions: All submissions received
must include the agency name and
Docket Number. CDC will post, without
change, all relevant comments to
www.regulations.gov.

Please note: Submit all comments
through the Federal eRulemaking portal
(www.regulations.gov) or by U.S. mail to
the address listed above.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To
request more information on the

proposed project or to obtain a copy of
the information collection plan and
instruments, contact Jeffrey M. Zirger,
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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the
Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA)
(44 U.S.C. 3501–3520), federal agencies
must obtain approval from the Office of
Management and Budget (OMB) for each
collection of information they conduct
or sponsor. In addition, the PRA also
requires federal agencies to provide a
60-day notice in the **Federal Register**
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extension of existing collection of
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collection to the OMB for approval. To
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data collection as described below.

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comments that will help:

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collection of information is necessary
for the proper performance of the
functions of the agency, including
whether the information will have
practical utility;
2. Evaluate the accuracy of the
agency's estimate of the burden of the
proposed collection of information,
including the validity of the
methodology and assumptions used;
3. Enhance the quality, utility, and
clarity of the information to be
collected;
4. Minimize the burden of the
collection of information on those who
are to respond, including through the
use of appropriate automated,
electronic, mechanical, or other
technological collection techniques or
other forms of information technology,
e.g., permitting electronic submissions
of responses; and
5. Assess information collection costs.

Proposed Project

Enhancing Data-Driven Disease
Detection in Newborns (ED3N) (OMB
Control No. 0920–1391, Exp. 4/30/
2026)—Revision—National Center for
Environmental Health (NCEH), Centers
for Disease Control and Prevention
(CDC).

Background and Brief Description

The Newborn Screening and
Molecular Biology Branch (NSMBB), in
the National Center for Environmental

Health (NCEH) Division of Laboratory
Science (DLS), has the only laboratory
in the world devoted to ensuring the
accuracy of newborn screening (NBS)
tests in every state and more than 78
countries. NSMBB supports NBS
programs by conducting research,
developing methods, and performing
analyses by using complex, state-of-the-
art molecular and biochemical
techniques for identifying risk factors
for diseases of public health importance.

Both NSMBB and state NBS programs
are experiencing increased data analytic
challenges associated with continued
expansion of the number of newborn
screening diseases, increased
complexity of disease detection, and
difficulties in correlating disease
markers with disease risk. Further, the
addition of late-onset diseases to NBS
panels necessitates a better way to
routinely capture clinical information
and outcomes so that NBS programs can
fully appreciate the spectrum of disease
they are detecting.

The NSMBB is requesting a three-year
Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA)
Extension for Enhancing Data-driven
Disease Detection in Newborns (ED3N),
the NBS data platform, that will address
these analytic and post-analytic
challenges and promote sharing of
molecular, biochemical, and clinical
information amongst NBS partners. The
information shared will help NSMBB
and newborn screening partners be
better equipped to assess disease risk
and will help harmonize approaches for
disease detection in newborns. Given
the rarity of newborn screening
diseases, it is imperative that data be
collected and analyzed at a national
level in order to glean useful insights
and to analyze trends. The NSMBB is
best suited to oversee this work given its
role in providing technical assistance to
NBS programs nationally.

Numerous studies along with
presentations by NBS programs suggest
that gaps in programmatic resources and
expertise are hampering the ability to
perform more complex data analytics
resulting in low positive predictive
values for a number of conditions
(which subsequently results in higher
false positive and negative rates and
downstream burden to families and the
medical system). Smaller-scale work on
the use of post-analytical tools such as
machine learning algorithms have
shown that incorporation of these
elements into newborn screening can
improve detection rates, while reducing
false positives. These studies, however,
have been limited to single sites and
have not been integrated into the daily
workflow of high-throughput NBS
programs. Without this project, NBS