

**Date: October 31, 2023**

**To: Gila R. Shusterman, Ph.D.**

**From: Jennifer Pooler, MPP**  
**Vice Chair of the WRMA Institutional Review Board (IRB00006774)**

**RE: OPA Adolescent Health Performance Measures**

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Dear Dr. Shusterman:

The WRMA Institutional Review Board (IRB00006774) has received and reviewed your project description for the Office of Population Affairs (OPA) Adolescent Health Performance Measures project. The project will collect aggregated data from OPA's Teen Pregnancy Prevention (TPP) grantees on a variety of measures including program reach, quality, sustainability, training, and dissemination. The project will not collect data about individuals (e.g., TPP program participants) or any personally identifiable information.

Based on my review, I have found that the collection of Adolescent Health Performance Measures for OPA does not constitute human subjects research as defined at 45 CFR 46.102(e) and therefore requires no action or review by WRMA's IRB.

Please feel free to contact me with any questions. Thank you for using the WRMA IRB and for your commitment to protecting human participants in research.

Sincerely,



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