Explanation for Program Changes or Adjustments

This Revision includes proposed changes to the respondent population, the list of conditions under standardized surveillance (CSS), the list of core data elements, and the list of disease-specific data elements:

Title	Type of Change	Itemized Change	Justification	Impact to Burden
Supporting Statement A	Addition of up to 50 Tribal Nations to respondent population	None	Case surveillance previously was limited to public health departments in every U.S. state, New York City, Washington DC, 5 U.S. territories (American Samoa, the Commonwealth of Northern Mariana Islands, Guam, Puerto Rico, and the U.S. Virgin Islands), and 3 freely associated states (the Federated States of Micronesia, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, and the Republic of Palau). Expanding to include tribal nations in the respondent population allows tribal nations to directly report cases to CDC, rather than go through the state health department.	The estimated annual burden hours increased from the previous revision even though the number of new data elements (47) and conditions (2) added in this revision is comparable to the number of new data elements (61) and conditions (3) added in the previous revision. The estimated annual burden hours now include the burden for up to 50 Tribal Nations.
Att 4 – List of NNCs	No change	None	Not Applicable	None
Att 5 – List of CSS	Addition of two CSS's	Adding flea-born typhus and soil-transmitted helminth infections	Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologists (CSTE) rendered Flea-borne Typhus as a condition under standardized surveillance in 2025. This change will address its re-emergence, improve reporting consistency across jurisdictions, and enhance the ability to describe its distribution and risk	See Impact to Burden for Supporting Statement A.

			factors. CSTE rendered Soil-Transmitted Helminth Infections as a condition under standardized surveillance in 2025. This will establish a nationally standardized case definition, and help estimate incidence where the condition is reportable.	
Att 6 – Core Data	Addition of 45 core data elements	45 new core data elements are being added for all conditions.	These additions are part of the broader effort to standardize, streamline, and improve the quality of surveillance data collected for all conditions.	See Impact to Burden for Supporting Statement A.
Att 7 – Laboratory Data	No change	None	Not Applicable	None
Att 8 – Vaccine Data	No change	None	Not Applicable	None
Att 9 – VPD Data	No change	None	Not Applicable	None
Att 10 – Justification for Data Elements	Addition of disease-specific data elements	Two new disease-specific data elements are being added for leprosy (Hansen's disease).	This supports the updated surveillance needs for Leprosy, which is a Nationally Notifiable Condition (NNC).	See Impact to Burden for Supporting Statement A.
Att 11 – Disease-specific data	Addition of disease-specific data elements	Two new disease-specific data elements are being added for leprosy (Hansen's disease).	This supports the updated surveillance needs for Leprosy, which is a Nationally Notifiable Condition (NNC).	See Impact to Burden for Supporting Statement A.
Att 13a – MVPS PIA	Updated to reflect the most recent PIA	None	Not applicable	None
Att 13b – MVPS PTA	Included to reflect the most	None	Not applicable	None

	recent PTA			
Att 15 – Burden Table Calculations 2026	Updated burden table calculations.	None	Not Applicable	See Impact to Burden for Supporting Statement A.
Att 16 – PRA Burden and Privacy Act Statement Screenshot	Updated the PRA Burden Statement to include the Privacy Act Statement.	None	Not Applicable	None