

The completed forms are necessary to obtain this authorization and to provide the employee and their dependents with assistance to obtain visas, passports, security clearance, and other travel documents as required.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Annual Burden Hours: 125.

Number of Respondents: 250.

Responses per Respondent: 1.

Annual Responses: 250.

Average Burden per Response: 30 minutes.

Frequency: On occasion.

Dated: December 5, 2025.

Stephanie J. Bost,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

[Docket ID: DoD–2025–HA–0210]

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

AGENCY: Office of the Assistant Secretary of Defense for Health Affairs (OASD(HA)), Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: 30-Day information collection notice.

SUMMARY: The DoD has submitted to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for clearance the following proposal for collection of information under the provisions of the Paperwork Reduction Act.

DATES: Consideration will be given to all comments received by January 8, 2026.

ADDRESSES: Written comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent within 30 days of publication of this notice to www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAMain. Find this particular information collection by selecting “Currently under 30-day Review—Open for Public Comments” or by using the search function.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Reginald Lucas, (571) 372–7574, whs.mc-alex.esd.mbx.dd-dod-information-collections@mail.mil.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title; Associated Form; and OMB Number: Provider Beliefs Regarding the Deadlift and their Effect on Patient Management; OMB Control Number 0720–PBRD.

Type of Request: New.

Number of Respondents: 875.

Responses per Respondent: 1.

Annual Responses: 875.

Average Burden per Response: 10 minutes.

Annual Burden Hours: 146.

Needs and Uses: The United States Army implemented the Army Combat Fitness Test (ACFT) as the fitness test of record in October 2020. The ACFT contains six events, including the maximum deadlift (MDL), which is a three-repetition maximum lift using a hex (or trap) style bar. Currently, there is a paucity of literature regarding healthcare provider beliefs and the deadlift exercise. Despite limited evidence of positive association for lumbopelvic injuries and deadlift, there are concerns about the deadlift being a part of the ACFT. Given the mandatory nature of the MDL as part of the Army’s annual fitness requirement, it is imperative to understand the beliefs providers possess as patients are likely to seek them out following an episode of low back pain. Their beliefs may significantly influence treatment behaviors which could positively or negatively affect patient outcomes which may affect days on limited duty, deploy ability statistics, and/or return to duty rates, all of which directly influence military readiness. The primary aim of the survey is to assess if provider beliefs regarding the deadlift exercise differ among various healthcare provider disciplines within the military healthcare system and assess if these differences are consistent with validated treatment orientations for lower back pain, and if differences in beliefs influence treatment behaviors for a patient presenting with a deadlift injury.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Frequency: As required.

Respondent’s Obligation: Voluntary.

DOD Clearance Officer: Mr. Reginald Lucas.

Dated: December 5, 2025.

Stephanie J. Bost,

Alternate OSD Federal Register Liaison Officer, Department of Defense.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

[Docket ID: DOD–2025–OS–0772]

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Office of the Under Secretary of Defense for Personnel and Readiness, (OUSD(P&R)), Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: 60-Day information collection notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the *Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995*, the OUSD(P&R), announces a proposed public information collection and seeks public comment on the provisions thereof. Comments are invited on: whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information shall have practical utility; the accuracy of the agency’s estimate of the burden of the proposed information collection; ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and ways to minimize the burden of the information collection on respondents, including through the use of automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology.

DATES: Consideration will be given to all comments received by February 9, 2026.

ADDRESSES: You may submit comments, identified by docket number and title, by any of the following methods:

Federal eRulemaking Portal: <http://www.regulations.gov>. Follow the instructions for submitting comments.

Mail: Department of Defense, Privacy, Civil Liberties, and Transparency Directorate, Office of the Director of, Administration & Management, 4800 Mark Center Drive, Mailbox #24, Suite 05F16, Alexandria, VA 22350–1700.

Instructions: All submissions received must include the agency name, docket number and title for this **Federal Register** document. The general policy for comments and other submissions from members of the public is to make these submissions available for public viewing on the internet at <http://www.regulations.gov> as they are received without change, including any personal identifiers or contact information.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: To request more information on this proposed information collection or to obtain a copy of the proposal and associated collection instruments, please write to Lisa Davis, Deputy Director Health and Resilience, 4800 Mark Center Drive, Suite 06E22, Alexandria VA 22350–4000, elizabeth.h.davis18.civ@mail.mil, 703–338–8926.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In March 2019, Acting Secretary of Defense Patrick Shanahan requested the DoD to form a team of experts to “take a fresh look” at issues involving the sexual assault investigative and accountability process. The DoD established the Sexual Assault Accountability and