

process that yields reliable and higher-quality information actionable to both Tribal TANF programs, to inform program operations, and ACF in monitoring program compliance and performance. Additionally, the information will be used to inform future OPRE-sponsored research

activities so that they yield information that enables Tribal TANF programs to engage in evidence-informed decision-making around program implementation to ultimately serve their communities better and improve participant outcomes.

*Respondents:* Tribal leaders, Tribal TANF program leaders, Tribal TANF

staff, past and current Tribal TANF participants.

*Annual Burden Estimates:* Data collection efforts are expected to take place over about 2.5 years. Annual burden estimates have been calculated for a 3-year request to account for potential delays.

Instrument	Number of respondents (total over request period)	Number of responses per respondent (total over request period)	Avg. burden per response (in hours)	Total burden (in hours)	Annual burden (in hours)
Instrument 1: Talking Circle Facilitator's Guide—Knowledge Development .....	32	1	2	64	21
Instrument 2: Talking Circle Facilitator's Guide—Data Needs Assessment .....	48	1	2	96	32
Instrument 3: Tribal TANF Data Needs Assessment Survey .....	76	1	0.5	38	13
Instrument 4: Knowledge Sharing Visit Interview Protocol—Tribal TANF Program Leaders .....	10	1	1.5	15	5
Instrument 5: Knowledge Sharing Visit Interview Protocol—Data Staff .....	10	1	1.5	15	5
Instrument 6: Knowledge Sharing Visit Data Observation (Learning Exchange) Worksheet .....	10	1	1.5	15	5
Instrument 7: Knowledge Sharing Visit Talking Circle Facilitator's Guide—Staff .....	40	1	2	80	27
Instrument 8: Knowledge Sharing Visit Talking Circle Facilitator's Guide—Participants .....	40	1	2	80	27

*Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours:* 135.

**Authority:** Sec. 412 of the Social Security Act [42 U.S.C. 1310], as amended by P.L. 104–193.

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Administration for Children and Families**

[Office of Management and Budget #: 0970–0421]

**Proposed Information Collection Activity; Federal Case Registry**

**AGENCY:** Office Child Support Enforcement, Administration for Children and Families, Department of Health and Human Services.

**ACTION:** Request for public comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Office of Child Support Enforcement, Administration for Children and Families (ACF), is

requesting a 3-year extension of the Federal Case Registry (FCR)(Office of Management and Budget (OMB)# 0970–0421, expiration November 30, 2026). There are no changes requested to the FCR.

**DATES:** *Comments due* July 6, 2026.

**ADDRESSES:** In compliance with the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, ACF is soliciting public comment on the specific aspects of the information collection described above. You can obtain copies of the proposed collection of information and submit comments by emailing [infocollection@acf.hhs.gov](mailto:infocollection@acf.hhs.gov). Identify all requests by the title of the information collection.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Description:* The FCR is a national database of information pertaining to child support cases processed by state child support agencies, referred to as IV–D cases, and non-IV–D support orders privately established or modified by courts or tribunals on or after October 1, 1998. FCR information is comprised of child support orders and case information from each State Case Registry (SCR). The FCR automatically compares new SCR submissions to

existing FCR information and to wage and employment information in the National Directory of New Hires. The Federal Parent Locator Service notifies state agencies if a IV–D case participant in the state matches a participant in a IV–D or non-IV–D case in another state and supplies any matched wage and employment information. Matches enable state agencies to locate parties that live in different states; establish, modify, or enforce child support obligations; establish paternity; enforce state law regarding parental kidnapping; and establish or enforce child custody or visitation determinations. There are no proposed changes to the FCR instrument, Appendix G: Input *Transactions Layout*.

*Respondents:* State and territory child support enforcement agencies.

**Annual Burden Estimates**

Burden estimates have been adjusted to reflect the average number of FCR batches submitted by each state in the most recent calendar year (2025). The total number of annual batch submissions from states has declined since the FCR was last reviewed and approved by OMB.

Instrument	Total number of respondents	Annual number of responses per respondent	Average burden hours per response	Annual burden hours
Appendix G: Input Transactions Layout .....	54	390	0.0333	701

*Comments:* The Department specifically requests comments on (a) 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; (b) the accuracy of the agency’s estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (c) the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (d) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through automated collection techniques or other forms of information technology. Consideration will be given to comments and suggestions submitted within 60 days of this publication.

*Authority:* 42 U.S.C. 653(h); 42 U.S.C. 654a(e); 42 U.S.C. 654a(f)(1).

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**DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Administration for Children and Families**

[Office of Management and Budget: 0970–0558]

**Proposed Information Collection Activity; Generic for Administration for Children and Families Program Monitoring Activities**

**AGENCY:** Administration for Children and Families, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services.

**ACTION:** Request for public comments.

**SUMMARY:** The Administration for Children and Families (ACF) intend to request from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) an extension of approval for an umbrella generic clearance for information collections related to ACF program office monitoring activities. ACF programs promote the economic and social well-being of families, children, individuals, and communities. The Generic for ACF Program Monitoring Activities allows ACF program offices to collect standardized information from recipients that receive federal funds to ensure oversight, evaluation, support purposes, and stewardship of federal funds. There are no changes proposed to the terms of the generic. Burden estimates have been updated.

**DATES:** *Comments due* July 6, 2026.

**ADDRESSES:** In compliance with the requirements of the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, ACF is soliciting public comment on the specific aspects of the information collection described above. You can obtain copies of the proposed collection of information and submit comments by emailing [infocollection@acf.hhs.gov](mailto:infocollection@acf.hhs.gov). Identify all requests by the title of the information collection.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:**

*Description:* Program monitoring is a post-award process through which ACF assesses a recipient’s programmatic performance and business management performance. Monitoring activities are necessary to ensure timely action by ACF to support grantees and protect federal interests.

Program offices use information collected under this generic clearance to monitor funding recipient activities and to provide support or take appropriate action, as needed. The information gathered is or will be used primarily for internal purposes, but aggregate data may be included in public materials such as reports to Congress or program office documents. Following standard OMB requirements, ACF will submit a request for each individual data collection activity under this generic clearance. Each request will include the individual form(s) or instrument(s), a justification specific to the individual information collection, and any supplementary documents.

*Respondents:* ACF funding recipients.

**Annual Burden Estimates**

The following burden estimates include burden associated with currently approved individual requests that ACF intends to include with this extension request and an estimate of burden for potential new requests under this generic. Note that new individual requests may be approved between this publication and submission of the full extension request.

All currently approved individual requests are available here: [https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAICList?ref\\_nbr=202604-0970-004](https://www.reginfo.gov/public/do/PRAICList?ref_nbr=202604-0970-004)

**ESTIMATED BURDEN—ONGOING REQUESTS**

Instrument	Number of respondents	Annual number of responses per respondent	Average burden per response (in hours)	Annual burden (in hours)
Annual Data Collection on Sexual Abuse and Sexual Harassment Involving Unaccompanied Children .....	200	1	1.5	300
Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) Training and Technical Assistance Tracking Form .....	20	4	0.75	60
Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) Work Plan Template .....	20	1	3.25	65
Office of Head Start Child Incident Reporting .....	1,000	4.8	0.167	800
Office of Head Start Improper Payment Reviews .....	300	2	3	1,800
Office of Refugee Resettlement (ORR) Care Provider Healthcare Delivery Report (HDR) .....	225	1	1.50	338
Office of Refugee Resettlement Emergency Operations Plan Survey .....	300	0.33	0.74	74
Office of Refugee Resettlement Refugee Microenterprise Development (MED) Program Case File Requirements .....	30	1	20	600