

6630—Strap, Tie Down, Electrical Component
Authorized Source of Supply: North Central Sight Services, Inc., Williamsport, PA
Contracting Activity: DEPT OF DEFENSE, DLA AVIATION
Service(s)
Service Type: Laundry Services
Mandatory For: USDA, National Centers for Animal Health (NCAH), Ames, IA, 1920 Dayton Avenue, Ames, IA
Authorized Source of Supply: CW Resources, Inc., New Britain, CT
Contracting Activity: DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, USDA APHIS MRPBS
Service Type: Linen Rental Service
Mandatory For: Court Services and Offender Supervision Agency, CSOSA Reentry & Sanctions Center, Washington, DC, 633 Indiana Avenue NW, Room 892C, Washington, DC
Authorized Source of Supply: Louise W. Eggleston Center, Inc., Norfolk, VA
Contracting Activity: COURT SERVICES AND OFFENDER SUPERVISION AGENCY
Service Type: Telephone Switchboard Operations
Mandatory For: Department of Veterans Affairs, Erie VA Medical Center, Erie, PA, 135 East 38th Street, Erie, PA
Authorized Source of Supply: VIA VISUALLY IMPAIRED ADVANCEMENT, Buffalo, NY
Contracting Activity: VETERANS AFFAIRS, DEPARTMENT OF, 244—NETWORK CONTRACT OFC 4 (00244)

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Department of the Army

[Docket ID: USA–2026–HQ–0562]

Proposed Collection; Comment Request

AGENCY: Department of the Army, Department of Defense (DoD).

ACTION: 60-Day information collection notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the *Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995*, the Army Research Institute (ARI) for the Behavioral and Social Sciences 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 October 13, 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, Office of the Director of Administration and Management, Oversight and Compliance Directorate, Regulatory Division, 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 U.S. Army Research Institute for the Behavioral and Social Sciences, 6000 6th Street BLDG 1464, Ft. Belvoir, VA 22060, ATTN: Dr. Alissa Fleming, 703–545–2367.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Title; Associated Form; and OMB Number: Personality Personnel Assessment; OMB Control Number 0702–APPA.

Needs and Uses: The Army uses personality assessments alongside cognitive testing to help place personnel in the right roles. To keep these assessments accurate and effective, they must be regularly updated. However, active-duty personnel are often fully committed to missions, making it difficult to collect feedback. This proposed study focuses on testing and calibrating the questions themselves, allowing researchers to use civilian participant groups that match Army demographics. This approach preserves operational readiness while ensuring the assessments remain scientifically valid.

Affected Public: Individuals or households.

Part A Assessment

Annual Burden Hours: 4,500.
Number of Respondents: 2,250.
Responses per Respondent: 2.
Annual Responses: 4,500.
Average Burden per Response: 60 minutes.

Part B Screener

Annual Burden Hours: 133.
Number of Respondents: 4,000.
Responses per Respondent: 1.
Annual Responses: 4,000.
Average Burden per Response: 2 minutes.

Part B Assessment

Annual Burden Hours: 2,000.
Number of Respondents: 2,000.
Responses per Respondent: 1.
Annual Responses: 2,000.
Average Burden per Response: 60 minutes.

Total

Annual Burden Hours: 6,633.
Number of Respondents: 6,250 (2,250 in Part A and 4,000 in Part B).
Annual Responses: 10,500.
Frequency: On occasion.

Dated: August 11, 2026.

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DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

Office of the Secretary

Demonstration Project on Reimbursement for the Cryopreservation and Storage of Gametes of Certain Members of the Armed Forces; Department of Defense (DoD)

AGENCY: Defense Health Agency (DHA), DoD.

ACTION: Notice of demonstration project.

SUMMARY: The Assistant Secretary of War for Health Affairs issues this notice announcing implementation of a three-year demonstration project to provide reimbursement for cryopreservation of gametes for certain eligible servicemembers in accordance with Section 709 of the Servicemember Quality of Life Improvement and National Defense Authorization Act (NDAA) for Fiscal Year (FY) 2025, (Pub. L. 118–159). This demonstration project is intended to evaluate the utility, feasibility and cost of providing reimbursement for retrieval, cryopreservation, shipping and storage