

consumers and conduct the focus groups and the survey. The results will assist the FTC in determining whether and how consumers use the rating or labeling systems of the motion picture, recording, and video, computer, and coin operated game industries.

2. Estimated Hours Burden

The FTC will contract with a survey firm to: (1) Identify and conduct focus groups on 150 children between the ages of 13 and 16; and (2) identify and survey 1,000 parents with children between the ages of 7 and 17. For the focus groups, the contractor will identify respondents either by drawing names from a pre-assembled teen list or by conducting telephone screening within the general population. If telephone screening, the contractor would contact parents and ask whether a child in the household between the ages of 13 and 16 will participate in a focus group. Staff estimates that the screener will be asked of approximately 2,500 respondents in order to obtain a large enough random sample for the focus groups.

For the parental telephone survey, the contractor will first identify respondents using a screening question in its monthly omnibus telephone survey and then ask whether respondents, with a child between the ages of 7 and 17, would participate in the survey. Allowing for non-response, the screener question will be asked of approximately 3,500 respondents, as screening that number will provide a large enough random sample for this survey.

The FTC staff estimates that the screening for the focus groups and the survey will consume no more than two minutes of each respondent's time. Thus, cumulatively, screening should require approximately 200 hours (6,000 total respondents x 2 minutes for each).

The FTC will pretest the parental survey on 24 respondents to ensure that all questions are easily understood. This pretest will take approximately 15 minutes per person. The hours burden imposed by the pretest will be approximately 6 hours (24 respondents x 15 minutes per survey). Participating in the focus groups will take approximately one hour per respondent, with a total burden of 150 hours. Answering the parental survey will impose a burden per respondent of approximately 15 minutes, totaling 250 hours for all respondents to the survey (1,000 respondents x 15 minutes per survey). Thus, total hours burden attributable to the consumer research will approximate 606 hours (200 + 6 + 150 + 250).

3. Estimated Cost Burden

The cost per respondent should be negligible. Participation is voluntary, and will not require any labor expenditures by respondents. There are no capital, start-up, operation, maintenance, or other similar costs to the respondents.

By direction of the Commission.

Donald S. Clark,

Secretary.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Administration for Children and Families

Submission for OMB Review; Comment Request

Title: Runaway and Homeless Youth Management Information System (RHYMIS).

OMB No.: 0970-0123.

Description: In the Runaway and Homeless Youth Act (42 U.S.C. 5701 et seq.) Congress mandated that the Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) report regularly on the status of HHS-funded programs serving runaway and homeless youth. Organizations funded under the Runaway and Homeless Youth program are required by statute (42 U.S.C. 5712, 42 U.S.C. 5714-2) to meet several data collection and reporting requirements, including maintaining client statistical records and submitting annual program reports regarding the profile of the youth and families served and the services provided to them. The RHYMIS data supports these organizations as they carry out a variety of integrated, ongoing responsibilities and projects, including legislative reporting requirements, planning and public policy development for runaway and homeless youth programs, accountability monitoring, program management, research, and evaluation.

Respondents: Not-for-profit institutions.

ANNUAL BURDEN ESTIMATES

Instrument	Number of respondents	Number of responses per respondent	Average burden hours per response	Total burden hours
Youth Program Status	400	185	.1	7,400
Youth Profile	400	185	.8	59,200
Agency Profile	400	1	.1	40
Program Profile	400	3	.5	600
Staff Profile	400	8	.5	1600
Coordinating Agency	400	3	.3	360
Community Education	400	5	.3	600
Promotional/Instructional Material	400	2	.2	160
Data Transfer	400	4	.5	800

Estimated Total Annual Burden Hours: 70,760.

Additional Information: Copies of the proposed collection may be obtained by writing to the Administration for Children and Families, Office of Information Services, Division of Information Resource Management Services, 370 L'Enfant Promenade, S.W.,

Washington, D.C. 20447, Attn: ACF Reports Clearance Officer.

OMB Comment: OMB is required to make a decision concerning the collection of information between 30 and 60 days after publication of this document in the **Federal Register**. Therefore, a comment is best assured of having its full effect if OMB receives it within 30 days of publication. Written

comments and recommendations for the proposed information collection should be sent directly to the following: Office of Management and Budget, Paperwork Reduction Project, 725 17th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20503, Attn: ACF Desk Officer.

Dated: August 19, 1999.

Bob Sargis,

Acting Reports Clearance Officer.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Administration for Children and Families

Grant to City of Newark, New Jersey ACF/ACYF/CB-99-08

AGENCY: Administration on Children, Youth and Families, ACF, DHHS.

ACTION: Notice of award.

SUMMARY: Notice is hereby given that ACYF will award grant funds without competition to the City of Newark, New Jersey. This grant is a sole source award which will support a pilot program entitled Newark KIDS which seeks to assist children affected by domestic violence. This award is made noncompetitively after out review of a proposal by the City for a program which presents a unique opportunity to produce meaningful and useful results in an area of significant interest to ACF.

The Newark KIDS project is expected to assist children affected by domestic violence by helping them to access appropriate resources. The project proposes to test a model of service delivery for children who would not ordinarily be removed from their homes built on intensive case management with well-integrated wrap-around community-based services. The training and treatment components of the model will be coordinated by a local university or university hospital.

The project also includes an evaluation component that will be managed by a university partner. We therefore expect the project to generate findings which will allow us to assess the benefits of the model used, and which will help us to determine whether the Newark KIDS program can serve as a model for possible replication in other locations.

The project period will be for 24 months, beginning September 30, 1999 and ending September 29, 2001. The grantee will be awarded \$200,000 for use during the first twelve months of the project period be awarded additional noncompetitive continuation funding of up to \$200,000 depending on the availability of funds, satisfactory performance by the grantee, and a determination that such continued funding would be in the best interest of the government.

Authority: This award will be made pursuant to the Child Abuse Prevention and Treatment Act, U.S.C. 5106. (CFDA 93.670)

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Sally Flanzer, Children's Bureau, Administration on Children, Youth and Families, 330 C Street, SW, Room 2429, Washington, DC 20447; Telephone: (202) 205-8914.

Dated: August 19, 1999.

Patricia Montoya,

Commissioner, Administration on Children, Youth and Families.

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DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES

Food and Drug Administration

[Docket No. 99N-2607]

Agency Information Collection Activities: Proposed Collection; Comment Request; Hearing Aid Devices: Professional and Patient Package Labeling and Conditions for Sale

AGENCY: Food and Drug Administration, HHS.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) is announcing an opportunity for public comment on the proposed collection of certain information by the agency. Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (the PRA), Federal agencies are required to publish a notice in the **Federal Register** concerning each proposed collection of information, including each proposed extension of an existing collection of information, and to allow 60 days for public comment in response to the notice. This notice solicits comments on reporting and recordkeeping requirements relating to the manufacture and distribution of hearing aid devices.

DATES: Submit written comments on the collection of information by October 25, 1999.

ADDRESSES: Submit written comments on the collection of information to the Dockets Management Branch (HFA-305), Food and Drug Administration, 5630 Fishers Lane, rm. 1061, Rockville, MD 20852. All comments should be identified with the docket number found in brackets in the heading of this document.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Peggy Schlosburg, Office of Information Resources Management (HFA-250), Food and Drug Administration, 5600

Fishers Lane, Rockville, MD 20857, 301-827-1223.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the PRA (44 U.S.C. 3501-3520), Federal agencies must obtain approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for each collection of information they conduct or sponsor. "Collection of information" is defined in 44 U.S.C. 3502(3) and 5 CFR 1320.3(c) and includes agency requests or requirements that members of the public submit reports, keep records, or provide information to a third party. Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the PRA (44 U.S.C. 3506(c)(2)(A)) requires Federal agencies to provide a 60-day notice in the **Federal Register** concerning each proposed collection of information, including each proposed extension of an existing collection of information, before submitting the collection to OMB for approval. To comply with this requirement, FDA is publishing notice of the proposed collection of information set forth below.

With respect to the following collection of information, FDA invites comments on: (1) Whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of FDA's functions, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of FDA's estimate of the burdens of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including through the use of appropriate automated collection techniques, when appropriate, and other forms of information technology.

Hearing Aid Devices: Professional and Patient Package Labeling and Conditions for Sale—21 CFR 801.420 and 801.421 (OMB Control No. 0910-0171—Extension)

Under section 520(e) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act (21 U.S.C. 360j(e)), the Secretary of the Department of Health and Human Services may, under certain conditions, require by regulation that a device be restricted to sale, distribution, or use only upon authorization of a licensed practitioner or upon other prescribed conditions. Sections 801.420 and 801.421 (21 CFR 801.420 and 801.421) implement this authority for hearing aids, which are restricted devices. The regulations require that the manufacturer or distributor provide to the user data useful in selecting, fitting, and checking the performance of a hearing aid