

US Department of Health and Human Services

Third Party Websites and Applications Privacy Impact Assessment

Date Signed:

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OPDIV:

IHS

Name:

Infection Control Assessment Surveys

TPWA Unique Identifier:

T-9539693-121831

Is this a new TPWA?

Yes

Will the use of a third-party Website or application create a new or modify an existing HHS/OPDIV System of Records Notice (SORN) under the Privacy Act?

No

If SORN is not yet published, identify plans to put one in place.

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Will the use of a third-party Website or application create an information collection subject to OMB clearance under the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA)?

No

Indicate the OMB approval number expiration date (or describe the plans to obtain OMB clearance).

Expiration Date: 1/1/01 12:00 AM

Describe the plans to obtain OMB clearance.

Explanation: The surveys are not public, and for federal staff only.

Does the third-party Website or application contain Federal Records?

Yes

Describe the specific purpose for the OPDIV use of the third-party Website or application:

Survey Monkey is the most efficient and effective tool to receive feedback from the IHS facilities surveyed as they are all located at different locations across the country and have schedules that allow for minimal administrative time to answer surveys in other formats. In addition, due to the Corona Virus pandemic, staff time and availability is further limited and feedback to the assessment is critical to ongoing support.

Have the third-party privacy policies been reviewed to evaluate any risks and to determine whether the Website or application is appropriate for OPDIV use?

Yes

Describe alternative means by which the public can obtain comparable information or services if they choose not to use the third-party Website or application:

This is not a public survey. It will only be viewed and answered by tele-ICAR participants and IHS Office of Quality staff.

Does the third-party Website or application have appropriate branding to distinguish the OPDIV activities from those of nongovernmental actors?

Yes

How does the public navigate to the third-party Website or application from the OPIDIV?

This is not a public survey.

Please describe how the public navigate to the third-party website or application:

This is not a public survey.

If the public navigate to the third-party website or application via an external hyperlink, is there an alert to notify the public that they are being directed to a nongovernmental Website?

No

Has the OPDIV Privacy Policy been updated to describe the use of a third-party Website or application?

Yes

Provide a hyperlink to the OPDIV Privacy Policy:

www.ihs.gov/privacypolicy

Is an OPDIV Privacy Notice posted on the third-party website or application?

Yes

Is PII collected by the OPDIV from the third-party Website or application?

No

Will the third-party Website or application make PII available to the OPDIV?

No

Describe the PII that will be collected by the OPDIV from the third-party Website or application and/or the PII which the public could make available to the OPDIV through the use of the third-party Website or application and the intended or expected use of the PII:

No PII will be collected.

Describe the type of PII from the third-party Website or application that will be shared, with whom the PII will be shared, and the purpose of the information sharing:

No PII will be collected.

If PII is shared, how are the risks of sharing PII mitigated?

No PII will be collected.

Will the PII from the third-party website or application be maintained by the OPDIV?

No

Describe how PII that is used or maintained will be secured:

No PII will be collected.

What other privacy risks exist and how will they be mitigated?

There are no privacy risks identified. Surveys do not ask for identifiable patient information. To gather pertinent data from the tele-Infection Control and Response (ICAR) preparedness assessments conducted at Indian Health Service (IHS) facilities. These assessments increase prevention capability during the Corona Virus response.