

US Department of Health and Human Services

Privacy Impact Assessment

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OPDIV:

NIH

Name:

NIH Qlik Sense Cloud - Extramural

PIA Unique Identifier:

P-1164919-740166

The subject of this PIA is which of the following?

Minor Application (child)

Identify the Enterprise Performance Lifecycle Phase of the system.

Operations and Maintenance

Is this a FISMA-Reportable system?

No

Does the system include a Website or online application available to and for the use of the general public?

No

Identify the operator.

Agency

Is this a new or existing system?

New

Does the system have Security Authorization (SA)?

Yes

Indicate the following reason(s) for updating this PIA.**Describe the purpose of the system.**

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Describe the type of information the system will collect, maintain (store), or share.

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The type of data and information that NIH Qlik Sense Cloud - Extramural will collect, maintain, and/or share includes: Name, email, phone numbers, education records, date of birth, mailing address, financial account information, employment status, grant number, tax information, professional performance and credentialing history, Photographic and Biometric identifiers, and Medical Notes.

Users log in to this system using the NIH Identity, Credential, and Access Management (ICAM) Services which maintains its own unique privacy impact assessment (PIA) on record, including all legal authorities documented. The purpose of ICAM Services is to authenticate and authorize all users and computers in a Windows domain type network; assigning and enforcing information security policies for all computers and installing or updating software. The ICAM Services collect unique user names and passwords (user credentials) and stores them in an encrypted format. The ICAM Services are an essential service which facilitates and governs network access to various resources.

Provide an overview of the system and describe the information it will collect, maintain (store), or share, either permanently or temporarily.

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Does the system collect, maintain, use or share PII?

Yes

Indicate the type of PII that the system will collect or maintain.

Date of Birth
Name
Photographic Identifiers
Biometric Identifiers
E-Mail Address
Mailing Address
Phone Numbers
Medical Notes
Financial Accounts Info
Education Records
Employment Status
Taxpayer ID
Grant Number
Professional performance and credentialing history

Indicate the categories of individuals about whom PII is collected, maintained or shared.

Employees
Public Citizens
Business Partner/Contacts (Federal/state/local agencies)
Vendor/Suppliers/Contractors

How many individuals' PII is in the system?

10,000-49,999

For what primary purpose is the PII used?

The primary purpose that the PII will be used is to create summarized and aggregated information to populate dashboards for statistical analysis of trends and trend forecasting for NIH.

Describe the secondary uses for which the PII will be used.

NA

Identify legal authorities governing information use and disclosure specific to the system and program.

The legal authorities to operate and maintain this Privacy Act records system are:
5 U.S. Code §301- U.S. Government Organization and Employees - Departmental Regulations
42 U.S.C. §§ 217a - Public Health Service Act - Advisory councils or committees
42 U.S.C. §§ 241 - Public Health Service Act Research and Investigations
42 U.S.C. §§ 281 - Public Health Service Act , Organization of the National Institutes of Health
42 U.S.C. §§ 282 Public Health Service Act Director NIH,
42 U.S.C. §§ 284 Public Health Service Act , Directors of National Research Institutes
42 U.S.C. §§ 284a Public Health Service Act Advisory Councils, 42 U.S.C. §§ 288 Public Health Service Act Kirschstein National Research Service Awards
44 U.S.C. §§ 3101 Presidential Review of Records, Records Management by Agency Heads
35 U.S.C. § 200-212 Patent Rights in inventions made with Federal Assistance,
48 C.F.R. Subpart 15.3 Source Selection in competitive negotiated acquisitions
and 37 C.F.R. 401.1-16 Bayh-Dole Act
44 U.S.C. Sec. 2904 General Responsibilities for Records Management
44 U.S.C. Sec. 2906 Inspection of Agency Records

Are records on the system retrieved by one or more PII data elements?

Yes

Identify the number and title of the Privacy Act System of Records Notice (SORN) that is being use to cover the system or identify if a SORN is being developed.

SORN 09-25-0036 NIH Extramural Awards and Chartered Advisory Committee (IMPAC II), Contract
SORN 09-25-0225, NIH Electronic Research Administration (eRA) Records, HHS/NIH/OD/OER
SORN 09-25-0165, NIH Loan Repayment Records

Identify the sources of PII in the system.

Government Sources
Within OpDiv
Other HHS OpDiv

Identify the OMB information collection approval number and expiration date

0925-0001 - Expiration Date: 01/31/2026
0925-0002 - Expiration Date: 01/31/2026
0925-0361 Expiration Date: 1/31/2026

Is the PII shared with other organizations?

No

Describe the process in place to notify individuals that their personal information will be collected. If no prior notice is given, explain the reason.

NIH Qlik Sense Cloud - Extramural is not a source system. PII is not collected directly from individuals. Source system operators are responsible for notifying individuals about the uses of their personal information and is covered in the respective source system PIA.

Is the submission of PII by individuals voluntary or mandatory?

Voluntary

Describe the method for individuals to opt-out of the collection or use of their PII. If there is no option to object to the information collection, provide a reason.

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Process to notify and obtain consent from individuals whose PII is in the system when major changes occur to the system.

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Describe the process in place to resolve an individual's concerns when they believe their PII has been inappropriately obtained, used, or disclosed, or that the PII is inaccurate.

NIH Qlik Sense Cloud - Extramural is not a source system. Personal information is not collected directly from individuals. Source system operators are responsible for putting a process in place to resolve an individual's concerns about the collection and use their PII. However, individuals may contact any IC Privacy office, or the NIH Senior Official for Privacy.

Describe the process in place for periodic reviews of PII contained in the system to ensure the data's integrity, availability, accuracy and relevancy.

NIH Qlik Sense Cloud - Extramural is not a source system and does not have process in place to review PII. Personal information is not collected directly from individuals. Source system operators are responsible periodically reviewing PII contained in the source systems to ensure data integrity, availability, accuracy, and relevance.

Identify who will have access to the PII in the system and the reason why they require access.

Describe the procedures in place to determine which system users (administrators, developers, contractors, etc.) may access PII.

Determinations are made based on role-based access controls and least privilege. User rights are provisioned based on controls within the system, allowing users only access to the minimum amount of PII necessary to perform their job.

Describe the methods in place to allow those with access to PII to only access the minimum amount of information necessary to perform their job.

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of PII necessary to perform their job.

Identify training and awareness provided to personnel (system owners, managers, operators, contractors and/or program managers) using the system to make them aware of their responsibilities for protecting the information being collected and maintained.

According to NIH policy, all personnel who manage or operate NIH applications must successfully complete annual security awareness training. Training is completed on the <http://irtsectraining.nih.gov> site with valid NIH credentials.

Describe training system users receive (above and beyond general security and privacy awareness training).

Additionally, the NIH Analytics Community of Practice (NACoP) provides recorded training/demonstrations to Qlik Sense Cloud users.

Do contracts include Federal Acquisition Regulation and other appropriate clauses ensuring adherence to privacy provisions and practices?

Yes

Describe the process and guidelines in place with regard to the retention and destruction of PII.

Item E-0001 (DAA-0443-2013-0004-0001)

Official case files of construction, renovation, endowment and similar grants.

Disposition: Temporary. Cut off annually following completion of final grant-related activity that represents closing of the case file (e.g., project period ended). Destroy 20 years after cut-off;

Item E-0002 (DAA-0443-2013-0004-0002)

Official case files of funded grants, unfunded grants, and award applications, appeals and litigation records.

Disposition: Temporary. Cut off annually following completion of final grant-related activity that represents closing of the case file (e.g., end of project period, completed final peer review, litigation or appeal proceeding concluded). Destroy 10 years after cut-off;

Item E-0003 (DAA-0443-2013-0004-0003)

Animal welfare assurance files.

Disposition: Temporary. Cut off annually following closing of the case file. Destroy 4 years after cut-off; and,

Item E-0004 (DAA-0443-2013-0004-0004)

Extramural program and grants management oversight records.

Disposition: Temporary. Cut off annually. Destroy 3 years after cut-off.

Describe, briefly but with specificity, how the PII will be secured in the system using administrative, technical, and physical controls.

Administrative controls - Management oversight of activities, security awareness and training for users of the system, conduct disaster recovery exercises, separation of duties for personnel administering the system, isolating development test instances of the system.

Technical controls - User authentication (login) and logical access controls (IAM, PIV card, and network access), anti-virus software, fire walls, role-based access through application. The database is behind a fire wall, with no direct access to it from outside the network. Data loss prevention software is enabled as well as multi-factor authentication.

Physical controls - Server housed in secure facility, climate control, fire alarm, fire extinguishers and Uninterrupted Power Supply (UPS) for servers.

