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Instructions


Review the following steps to complete this questionnaire:

- 1) Answer questions.** Select the appropriate answer to each question. Question specific help text may be available via the  icon. If your answer dictates an explanation, a required text box will become available for you to add further information.
- 2) Add Comments.** You may add question specific comments or attach supporting evidence for your answers by clicking on the  icon next to each question. Once you have saved the comment, the icon will change to the  icon to show that a comment has been added.
- 3) Change the Status.** You may keep the questionnaire in the "In Process" status until you are ready to submit it for review. When you have completed the assessment, change the Submission Status to "Submitted". This will route the assessment to the proper reviewer. Please note that all values list questions must be answered before submitting the questionnaire.
- 4) Save/Exit the Questionnaire.** You may use any of the four buttons at the top and bottom of the screen to save or exit the questionnaire. The button allows you to complete the questionnaire. The button allows you to save your work and close the questionnaire. The button allows you to save your work and remain in the questionnaire. The button closes the questionnaire without saving your work.

Acronyms

ATO - Authorization to Operate
CAC - Common Access Card
FISMA - Federal Information Security Management Act
ISA - Information Sharing Agreement
HHS - Department of Health and Human Services
MOU - Memorandum of Understanding
NARA - National Archives and Record Administration
OMB - Office of Management and Budget
PIA - Privacy Impact Assessment
PII - Personally Identifiable Information
POC - Point of Contact
PTA - Privacy Threshold Assessment
SORN - System of Records Notice
SSN - Social Security Number
URL - Uniform Resource Locator

General Information

PIA Name:	OS - ARPRM-Cloud - QTR4 - 2024 - OS2283377	PIA ID:	2676698
Name of Component:	OS - OS - OS - Annual Report on Possible Research Misconduct System - Cloud	Name of ATO Boundary:	Annual Report on Possible Research Misconduct System – Cloud
Overall Status:		PIA Queue:	
Submitter:		# Days Open:	66
Submission Status:	Submitted	Submit Date:	1/17/2025
Next Assessment Date:	N/A	Expiration Date:	2/20/2028
Office:		OPDIV:	OS
Security Categorization:		OpDiv PIA ID:	OS2283377
Legacy PIA ID:		Make PIA available to Public?:	No
1:	Identify the Enterprise Performance Lifecycle Phase of the system.		Operations and Maintenance
2:	Is this a FISMA-Reportable system?		Yes
3:	Does the system have or is it covered by a Security Authorization to Operate (ATO)?		Yes
4:	ATO Date or Planned ATO Date.		
5:	Is the system or electronic information collection, agency or contractor operated?		Contractor

PTA

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PTA - 2:	Indicate the following reason(s) for this PTA. Choose from the following options.	PIA Validation (PIA Refresh)
PTA - 2A:	Describe in further detail any changes to the system that have occurred since the last PIA.	No significant changes have been made to the system since the last PIA. Only software updates and patches were made.
PTA - 3:	Is the data contained in the system owned by the agency or contractor?	Agency
PTA - 4:	Please give a brief overview and purpose of the system by describing what the functions of the system are and how the system carries out those functions.	<p>The Annual Report on Possible Resource Misconduct System (ARPRM) is a mandatory report which is completed by all institutions which receive research funding from the U.S. Department of Health & Human Service (HHS).</p> <p>Each Institution that applies for research, research-training, or research related grants or cooperative agreements under the Public Health Service (PHS) Act is required to maintain compliance with the PHS Policies on Research Misconduct (42 C.F.R. 93).</p> <p>First, each institution is required to establish an administrative process for reporting and investigating instances of alleged or apparent misconduct, when such research involves PHS</p>

funding. This function is supported by ARPRM system so an institution can upload/update an electronic copy of institution policy document on research misconduct with a browser. The system accepts policy document in Word or Portable Document Format (PDF) file formats. For sample policies, see <http://ori.hhs.gov/sample-policy-procedures-responding-research-misconduct-allegations>

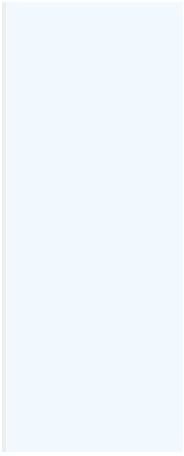
Second, an annual report of misconduct related activities to the Office of Research Integrity (ORI) must be completed by an institutional representative each year between January and April. This function is supported by the system so institution officials can submit an electronic form containing numerical data of the instances and points of contact for the certifying officials.

The system supports the function by allowing institutions officials to upload a copy of institution policy and annual report on possible misconducts. The annual report is due on April 30th. The annual reports contain the name of the institutional official responsible for filing the report; contact information for that individual; and statistical data such as numbers of allegations received broken out into one of three categories: fabrication, falsification, or plagiarism.

For institution's first use of ARPRM, an account must be created by ARPRM administrator. ARPRM administrator creates an account when an institution's grant application can be awarded by the National Institutes of Health (NIH) and notifies the institution. The institution is required to create their own password upon the first time accessing the system. The institution is required to login to the system every time to update their contact information or submit their reports.

Institution accounts are created base on the Institutional Profile File (IPF) information provided by NIH. The IPF information consist of institution name, Institution's address, institution representative officials' titles, names and their official contact information such as email addresses and phone numbers. No other Personally identifiable information (PII) is collected in the institution account information.

Another purpose of the system is to continue ORI's mission per regulation as stated in Public Health Service Policies on Research Misconduct - 42 C.F.R. Part 50, Subpart A. A subsystem, Case Tracking System (CTS), is integrated with ARPRM that provides the functionality for ORI's Division of Investigative Oversight to: 1) review and monitor investigations conducted by applicant and awardee institutions and intramural research programs; 2) evaluate investigations and investigatory findings of awardee and applicant institutions, intramural research programs, and the Office of Inspector General and develop and recommend to the ORI



Director, findings of research misconduct and proposal administrative actions against those who committed misconduct; 3) assist the Office of the General Counsel (OGC) in preparing and presenting cases in hearings before the Research Integrity Adjudications Panel of the DHHS Department Appeals Board; 4) provide information on DHHS policies and procedures, as requested, to individuals who have made an allegation or have been accused of research misconduct; and 5) establish and implement a program of advice and technical assistance to entities that conduct inquiries and investigations, or otherwise respond to allegations of research misconduct.

PTA - 5:

List and/or describe all the types of information that are collected (into), maintained, and/or shared in the system regardless of whether that information is PII and how long that information is stored.

ARPRM annual reports contain the institution name, Institution's address, institution representative officials' titles, names and their official contact information such as email addresses and phone numbers, and statistical data such as number of allegations received broken out into one of three categories: fabrication, falsification, or plagiarism. See Form PHS-6349 for the content of the report at <https://ori.hhs.gov/assurance-program>.

The Office of Research Integrity (ORI) analyzes this data, aggregates it, and makes a public annual report in forms of a PDF document to show a summary of statistical data and accomplishments. The annual reports can be found at http://ori.hhs.gov/annual_reports.

PII is limited to contact information of the person who sends the report and the Research Integrity Officer (RIO) and Responsible Conduct of Research (RCR) Coordinator. RIO and RCR contacts were added in 2013. These PII are maintained and stored in the system for as long as the institutions are renewing their assurance status and receive fundings from PHS.

PII is also limited to login credentials of the internal users, such as user name, password, and email address, so system can authenticate employees and direct contractors of ORI to access the system. No other PII is collected on internal user accounts. These PII are maintained and stored for as long as the institutions are required to submit their annual reports.

In CTS, respondents and institution representative officials' titles, names and their official contact information such as email addresses and phone numbers are also collected for communication purpose regarding allegations and investigations. These PII are stored per record disposition schedule depending on the type of case closures. The record disposition schedule are: 1) 10 years after misconduct finding, 2) 5 years after case has been declared No Misconduct or Declined to Pursuit(DTP), or 3) 6 months after the case is administratively closed.

PTA - 5A:

Are user credentials used to access the system?

Yes

PTA - 5B:

Please identify the type of user credentials used to access the system.

HHS User Credentials

HHS/OpDiv PIV Card

HHS Email Address

HHS Username

Password

Non-HHS User Credentials

Username

Password

Email Address

PTA - 6:

Describe why all types of information is collected (into), maintained, and/or shared with another system. This description should specify what information is collected about each category of individual.

Federal regulations require institutions receiving federal grants from HHS to report allegations of misconduct to HHS Office of Research Integrity (ORI). The ARPRM system permits grantees of the National Institutes of Health (NIH) and the Public Health Service (PHS) to make these reports directly as opposed to mailing or fax in the reports in paper format which would create the burden of data entry. This reporting system is essential for the over 6000 institutions that receive federal research funding from HHS, and which are mandated to complete this report annually between January and April. Failing to make this report will result in withholding funds until the report is made.

Further details on individual allegations are not recorded by the system. Reports do not reflect the names of the parties making the allegations, nor those against whom allegations are made. To see what information are being collect, please see Form PHS-6349 at <https://ori.hhs.gov/assurance-program>. While the ORI does work directly with institutions to advise them how such allegations should be handled, this is not done through the ARPRM, but other business processes. To learn about the process of handling allegations, please see <https://ori.hhs.gov/handling-misconduct>.

The contact information collected from the annual report are used for administrative purposes such as addressing allegations of research misconduct that meet the requirements, and or provide guidance on submitting annual report and policies in general. These contact information are necessary for ORI to establish communication with the proper representatives of the institutions.

The ARPRM system maintains internal user account information so employees and direct contractors of ORI can access the system, with proper role and permissions, to perform functions related to assurance program such as validating submissions of annual reports and policy review.

The internal user (employees and direct contractors) account information/credentials are stored on the system which consist of only user name, password, role, and email address. No other PII is collected for the internal user accounts.

The ARPRM system also maintains institution user information which includes name, job title, mailing address, phone number, and email address.

Institution users can only access their own contact information so they can update the contact information if changed.

The ARPRM internal users (employees and direct contractors) can access all institution's contact information so ORI can reach out to the appropriate institution representatives regarding matters in research integrity and possible misconduct.

PTA - 7:	Does the system collect, maintain, use or share PII?	Yes
PTA - 7A:	Does this include Sensitive PII as defined by HHS?	No
PTA - 8:	Does the system include a website or online application?	Yes
PTA - 8A:	Are any of the URLs listed accessible by the general public (to include publicly accessible log in and internet websites/online applications)?	Yes
PTA - 9:	Describe the purpose of the website, who has access to it, and how users access the web site (via public URL, log in, etc.). Please address each element in your response.	<p>https://ori.hhs.gov is ORI's main website URL. It is a public facing website that provides information about ORI for the constituents. No login is required for accessing these resources.</p> <p>https://ori.hhs.gov/arprm is the login page for ARPRM. It is a public accessible application for institution users to login and submit their policy files and annual reports.</p> <p>https://ori.hhs.gov/intranet is a website for accessing CTS within HHS network. ORI staffs will be required to use their PIV credential to access the application.</p>
PTA - 10:	Does the website have a posted privacy notice?	Yes
PTA - 11:	Does the website contain links to non-federal government websites external to HHS?	Yes
PTA - 11A:	Is a disclaimer notice provided to users that follow external links to websites not owned or operated by HHS?	Yes
PTA - 12:	Does the website use web measurement and customization technology?	No
PTA - 12A:	Select the type(s) of website measurement and customization technologies in use and if it is used to collect PII.	
PTA - 13:	Does the website have any information or pages directed at children under the age of thirteen?	No
PTA - 13A:	Does the website collect PII from children under the age thirteen?	
PTA - 13B:	Is there a unique privacy policy for the website and does the unique privacy policy address the process for obtaining parental consent if any information is collected?	
PTA - 14:	Does the system have a mobile application?	No
PTA - 14A:	Is the mobile application HHS developed and managed or a third-party application?	
PTA - 15:	Describe the purpose of the mobile application, who has access to it, and how users access it. Please address each element in your response.	
PTA - 16:	Does the mobile application/ have a privacy notice?	
PTA - 17:	Does the mobile application contain links to non-federal government websites external to HHS?	
PTA - 17A:	Is a disclaimer notice provided to users that follow external links to resources not owned or operated by HHS?	
PTA - 18:	Does the mobile application use measurement and customization technology?	
PTA - 18A:	Describe the type(s) of measurement and customization technologies or techniques in use and what information is collected.	
PTA - 19:	Does the mobile application have any information or pages directed at children under the age of thirteen?	

PTA - 19A:	Does the mobile application collect PII from children under the age thirteen?	
PTA - 19B:	Is there a unique privacy policy for the mobile application and does the unique privacy policy address the process for obtaining parental consent if any information is collected?	
PTA - 20:	Is there a third-party website or application (TPWA) associated with the system?	No
PTA - 21:	Does this system use artificial intelligence (AI) tools or technologies?	No

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PIA - 1:	Indicate the type(s) of personally identifiable information (PII) that the system will collect, maintain, or share.	<p>Name</p> <p>Email Address</p> <p>Phone numbers</p> <p>Mailing Address</p> <p>User Credentials</p> <p>Other - Free text Field - Title, Institution Name</p>
PIA - 2:	Indicate the categories of individuals about whom PII is collected, maintained or shared.	<p>Business Partners/Contacts (Federal, state, local agencies)</p> <p>Employees/ HHS Direct Contractors</p> <p>Members of the public</p>
PIA - 3:	Indicate the approximate number of individuals whose PII is maintained in the system.	Above 2000
PIA - 4:	For what primary purpose is the PII used?	<p>Personal Identifiable Information (PII) is limited to contact information of the person who sends the report and the Office of Research Integrity (ORI) employees and direct contractors. ORI employees and direct contractors can access all institution's contact information so ORI can reach out to the appropriate institution representatives regarding matters in research integrity and possible misconduct. 42 C.F.R. Part 93 requires all institutions that receive Public Health Service (PHS) funding to have an official responsible for handling allegations of research misconduct (a Research Integrity Officer (RIO)) and for fostering a research environment that promotes the Responsible Conduct of Research (RCR) coordinator. These contact information of RIO and RCR coordinator are necessary for ORI to establish communication with the proper representatives of the institutions that fulfill the regulatory requirements. The contact information of employees and direct contractors are collected so proper roles and permissions can be assigned to the user accordingly to perform their respective functions related to assurance program.</p> <p>The PII of the public citizens are collected for the purpose of research misconduct investigation.</p>

PIA - 5:	Describe any secondary uses for which the PII will be used (e.g. testing, training or research).	The Office of Research Integrity uses this PII for research to identify scientific publications that are impacted by possible research misconducts.
PIA - 6:	Describe the function of the SSN, Truncated SSN, and/or Taxpayer ID.	
PIA - 6A:	Cite the legal authority to use the SSN, Truncated SSN, and/or Taxpayer ID.	
PIA - 7:	Identify legal authorities governing information use and disclosure specific to the system and program.	ORI gets its statutory authority from 42 U.S.C. 289b. This activity is mandated by Section (b), which requires that 'the Secretary [of HHS] shall by regulation require that each entity that applies for financial assistance under this chapter for any project or program that involves the conduct of biomedical or behavioral research submit in or with its application for such assistance (1)assurances satisfactory to the Secretary that such entity has established and has in effect (in accordance with regulations which the Secretary shall prescribe) an administrative process to review reports of research misconduct in connection with biomedical and behavioral research conducted at or sponsored by such entity (2) an agreement that the entity will report to the Director any investigation of alleged research misconduct in connection with projects for which funds have been made available under this chapter that appears substantial....' Regulations concerning this activity can be found at 42 CFR Part 93. and 42 C.F.R. Part 50, Subpart A.
PIA - 8:	Are records in the system retrieved by one or more PII data elements?	Yes
PIA - 8A:	Please specify which PII data elements are used to retrieve records.	Names, email addresses and sometimes institution name + title can be used to retrieve records.
PIA - 8B:	Provide the number, title, and URL of the Privacy Act System of Records Notice (SORN) that is being used to cover the system or indicate whether a new or revised SORN is in development.	Assigned SORN number: 09-37-0021 Title: HHS Records Related to Research Misconduct Proceedings, HHS/OS/ORI URL: https://www.hhs.gov/foia/privacy/sorns/exempt-systems/59fr36717.html
PIA - 9:	Identify the sources of PII in the system.	Directly from an individual about whom the information pertains Hard Copy Mail/Fax Phone Email Online Government Sources Within the OPDIV Other HHS OPDIV Non-Government Sources Members of the Public
PIA - 10:	Is there an Office of Management and Budget (OMB) information collection approval number?	Yes

PIA - 10A:	Provide the information collection approval number.	Annual report form Form PHS-6349 OMB No. 0937-0198
PIA - 10B:	Identify the OMB information collection approval number expiration date.	8/31/2025
PIA - 10C:	Explain why an OMB information collection approval number is not required.	
PIA - 11:	Is the PII shared with other organizations outside the system's Operating Division?	No
PIA - 11A:	Identify with whom the PII is shared or disclosed.	
PIA - 11B:	Please provide the purpose(s) for the disclosures described in PIA - 11A.	
PIA - 11C:	List any agreements in place that authorizes the information sharing or disclosure (e.g., Computer Matching Agreement (CMA), Memorandum of Understanding (MOU), or Information Sharing Agreement (ISA)).	
PIA - 11D:	Describe process and procedures for logging/tracking/accounting for the sharing and/or disclosing of PII. If no process or procedures are in place, please explain why not.	
PIA - 12:	Is the submission of PII by individuals voluntary or mandatory?	Voluntary
PIA - 12A:	If PII submission is mandatory, provide the specific legal requirement that requires individuals to provide information or face potential civil or criminal penalties.	

PIA - 13:

Describe the method for notifying individuals that their information will be collected and how they can opt-out of the collection or use of their PII. If there is no option to object to the information collection, provide a reason.

All institutions that receives PHS funding are require to provide point of contacts to ORI for possible research misconduct matters in their annual reports. The point of contacts are the institutions Research Integrity Officers, or RIOs.

During an investigation, an ORI scientist investigator may requests reports from the RIO via email. The RIOs may be required to submit the reports pertaining to institutions' investigations on possible research misconducts by email or ORI's File Transfer System (ORI-FTS). Once ORI receives the requested reports and evidence, ORI can conduct investigation oversight base on those artifacts.

Individuals consent in the course of supplying the information directly. No individual is required to submit PII, but the institution is required to identify an individual willing to be identified as a point of contact responsible for handling allegations of research misconduct (a RIO) and for fostering a research environment that promotes the responsible conduct of research (an RCR Coordinator).

In order to comply with 42 C.F.R. Part 93 to receive PHS funding, there is no option to object to the information collection. These contact information of RIO and RCR coordinator are necessary for ORI to establish communication with the proper representatives of the institutions that fulfills the regulatory requirements.

During investigations on possible research misconducts, the individuals involve in the investigation will have no option to opt-out because they are either the subject being investigated or the interviewers or experts who provided the analysis.

PIA - 14:

Describe the process to notify and obtain consent from the individuals whose PII is in the system when major changes occur to the system (e.g., disclosure and/or data uses have changed since the notice at the time of original collection). Alternatively, describe why they cannot be notified or have their consent obtained.

Under their assurance, institutions are obligated to follow the policy they established for responding to allegations of research misconduct that complies with the PHS Policies on Research Misconduct (42 C.F.R. 93). The institutions are required to submit research documents and evidence upon request as part of compliance to PHS policy. The only function Office of Research Integrity - File Transfer System (ORI-FTS) provides is to collaborate with institutions so they can transfer the requested information to ORI to support the PHS Policies.. It will not change the use of the PII's that were originally collected.

PIA - 15:	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. If no process exists, explain why not.	<p>Under their assurance, institutions are obligated to follow the policy they established for responding to allegations of research misconduct that complies with the PHS Policies on Research Misconduct (42 C.F.R. 93). All PIIs in the reports and related artifacts are submitted by the institutions.</p> <p>If an individual has concern about their PII was inappropriately obtained, used, or disclosed by using Annual Report on Possible Resource Misconduct System (ARPRM), the individual may contact ORI via email or phone number displayed on the system.</p>
PIA - 16:	Describe the process in place for periodic reviews of PII contained in the system to ensure the data's integrity, availability, accuracy and relevancy. Please address each element in your response. If no processes are in place, explain why not.	<p>Information is used transactional, and does not affect the rights or benefits of the individual.</p> <p>Institution records are periodically reviewed and inactive records are deactivated. An user account is deactivated/deleted upon separation of his/her role to the system. Investigative records are also periodically reviewed and closed cases are dispositioned per established retention schedule. Database schema is modeled with mandatory constrains to ensure data integrity, availability, accuracy and relevancy.</p>
PIA - 17:	Identify who will have access to the PII in the system.	<p>Users</p> <p>Administrators</p> <p>Developers</p> <p>Contractors</p>
PIA - 17A:	Select the type of contractor.	HHS/OpDiv Direct Contractors
PIA - 17B:	Do contracts include Federal Acquisition Regulation (FAR) and other appropriate clauses ensuring adherence to privacy provisions and practices?	Yes
PIA - 18:	Provide the reason why each of the groups identified in PIA - 17 needs access to PII.	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Institution users, who will submit annual reports and maintain institution information. ORI staff users, who will request institutions for reports and accepting the electronic submissions for analysis and investigation 2) The Administrators manage the system configuration and user accounts; 3) The Developers maintain the system and provide IT support on database enhancement. 4) The contractor analyze reports and provides subject matter expertise in regulatory compliance.

<p>PIA - 19:</p>	<p>Describe the administrative procedures in place to determine which system users (administrators, developers, contractors, etc.) may access PII.</p>	<p>1) Institution users can only access their own PII information that they had voluntarily provided and maintained in the system. ORI staff users, such as annual report reviewers, record management specialist, investigators and analysts would have access to PII to perform their jobs. 2) The system administrator or co-admin are assigned to designated ORI staff in order to administer user accounts. 3) The Developers may be granted temporary access to records with PII only when debugging or testing are needed for system upgrades or enhancements 4) Subject matter experts or contractors are administered to access PII in order to analyze reports and perform their investigations.</p>
<p>PIA - 20:</p>	<p>Describe the technical methods in place to allow those with access to PII to only access the minimum amount of information necessary to perform their job.</p>	<p>Roles and responsibilities are defined within ORI. Depending on the roles and permissions of the internal users, different type of access to PII can be controlled, such as read-only access, reports generation, and communicating with institutions.</p> <p>Based on the conditions of the established roles as mentioned in the previous question, access are provided by creations of user accounts.</p>
<p>PIA - 21:</p>	<p>Identify the general security and privacy awareness training provided to system users (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.</p>	<p>All ORI personnel and contractors are required to complete the mandatory annual record management training, security and privacy awareness trainings.</p>
<p>PIA - 22:</p>	<p>Describe the training system users receive (above and beyond general security and privacy awareness training).</p>	<p>The record management specialists have completed advanced record management training offered by National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) . Users who are granted access to the system will also receive the system specific training for best practices of handling the collected information. The system administrator or ORI's IT Specialist received GIAC security essentials training and certification.</p>

PIA - 23:

Describe the process and guidelines in place with regard to the retention and destruction of PII. Cite specific National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) records retention schedule(s) and include the retention period(s).

ORI has established retention schedule pertaining to this system as the following: (N1-514-93-1)

Outline of Records Schedule Items for DAA-0514-2020-0001

1 Inquiry and Investigative Case Files 1.1
Misconduct/Administrative Action Files Disposition
Authority Number: DAA-0514-2020-0001-0001
Cutoff at the end of the fiscal year in which the
case closed. Destroy 10 years after cutoff.

1.2 Misconduct Internal Summary Report (ISR) and
Director's Memo (DM) - Final Report and Summary
Disposition Authority Number: DAA-0514-2020-
0001-0002 Cutoff at the end of the fiscal year in
which the case closed. Transfer to the National
Archives 15 year(s) after cutoff. Frequency of of
transfer is 1 year.

1.3 No misconduct/Administrative Action Files
Disposition Authority Number: DAA-0514-2020-
0001-0003 Cutoff at the end of the fiscal year in
which the case closed. Destroy 5 years after cutoff.

2 Assurance Program Records

2.1 Initial Assurance Regarding Procedures for
Dealing with and Reporting Possible Misconduct in
Science Form (PHS 6315) Disposition Authority
Number: DAA-0514-2020-0001-0004 Cutoff at the
end of the calendar year in which the form is
submitted. Destroy 3 years after cutoff.

2.2 The Annual Report on Possible Research
Misconduct Form (PHS 6349) Disposition Authority
Number: DAA-0514-2020-0001-0005 Cut-off at
close of the calendar year of last agency action.
Destroy 5 years after cutoff.

PIA - 24:

Describe how the PII will be secured in the system using administrative, technical, and physical controls. Please address each element in your response.

The following administrative, technical, and physical controls are in place for ARPRM-Cloud:

Administrative Controls:

Certification and Accreditation, System security plan, Contingency (or backup) plan, User manuals, Security Awareness Training, and Access control policy

Technical:

Access Enforcement, Use of External Information Systems, Publicly Accessible Content, Authenticator Feedback, Identifier Management, Acceptance of PIV credentials, Cryptographic key establishment and management

Operational:

Configuration Management Plan (CMP), Information System Monitoring, Media storage, Media Sensitization, Unauthorized software backlisting, Error Handling, Baseline Configuration, Role-based Security Training Security, and Impact Analysis

Management:

Security Assessment, System Interconnections, Restriction on External Systems Connections, and Continuous Monitoring

Review & Comments

Privacy Analyst Review

OpDiv Privacy Analyst Review Status:	Approved	Privacy Analyst Review Date:	1/21/2025
Privacy Analyst Comments:	Vanessa, this PIA is ready for your review. All necessary questions have been answered. Thank you, Jon		Privacy Analyst Days Open:

SOP Review

SOP Review Status:	Approved	SOP Signature:	
SOP Comments:		SOP Review Date:	1/22/2025
		SOP Days Open:	5

Agency Privacy Analyst Review

Agency Privacy Analyst Review Status:	Approved	Agency Privacy Analyst Review Date:	1/24/2025
Agency Privacy Analyst Review Comments:	Reviewer: Shanai Shobowale 1/24/2025 This PIA is ready for SAOP review and approval.		Agency Privacy Analyst Days Open: 2

SAOP Review

SAOP Review Status:	Approved	SAOP Signature:	Archer Signature_Bridget Guenther.docx
SAOP Comments:		SAOP Review Date:	2/20/2025
		SAOP Days Open:	27

Supporting Document(s)

Name	Size	Type	Upload Date	Downloads
No Records Found				

Comments

Question Name	Submitter	Date	Comment	Attachment
PIA - 4	Data Feed Service, piafrmos_Release	1/14/2025	Please define the acronym RCR on first use within the response.	
PIA - 13	Data Feed Service, piafrmos_Release	1/14/2025	This question combines questions 11 and 13 from the old version of the	

PIA questionnaire. You may want to include some or all of the response that you provided to question 13 previously as it details the options for an individual to opt-out of information collection, in addition to the information you have already provided in the current response field.

For reference, the response provided to the old version of question 13:

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PIA - 24

Data Feed Service,
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1/14/2025

Please remove the bullet points as they are not 508 compliant, and switch to lists instead. E.g.:

Administrative Controls:

Certification and Accreditation,
System security plan, Contingency (or backup) plan, User manuals, Security Awareness Training, Access control policy

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