

US Department of Health and Human Services

Third Party Websites and Applications Privacy Impact Assessment

Date Signed:

December 04, 2024

OPDIV:

AHRQ

Name:

AHRQ/Facebook

TPWA Unique Identifier:

T-5347111-150551

Is this a new TPWA?

No

Please provide the reason for revision.

Renewal

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.

null

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: null

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

No

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

Facebook is used to to share contact AHRQ posts, updates, and share content to communicate health care information to clinicians, researchers, consumers, and others.

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:

Public can also view the AHRQ healthcare posts, updates, and content on the AHRQ website

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 OPDIV?

Other...

Please describe how the public navigate to the thirdparty website or application:

Embedded on HHS Website

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 anongovernmental 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:

<https://www.ahrq.gov/policy/electronic/privacy/index.html>

Is an OPDIV Privacy Notice posted on the third-part 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?

Yes

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:

AHRQ does not collect PII however, PII is made available to the OpDiv via the user's Facebook comments (users include PII in their comments). AHRQ will scrub or delete comments containing PII.

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 is collected or shared

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

N/A

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:

N/A

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

N/A