

PRIVACY IMPACT ASSESSMENT (PIA)

PRESCRIBING AUTHORITY: DoD Instruction 5400.16, "DoD Privacy Impact Assessment (PIA) Guidance". Complete this form for Department of Defense (DoD) information systems or electronic collections of information (referred to as an "electronic collection" for the purpose of this form) that collect, maintain, use, and/or disseminate personally identifiable information (PII) about members of the public, Federal employees, contractors, or foreign nationals employed at U.S. military facilities internationally. In the case where no PII is collected, the PIA will serve as a conclusive determination that privacy requirements do not apply to system.

1. DOD INFORMATION SYSTEM/ELECTRONIC COLLECTION NAME:

Armed Forces Health Longitudinal Technology Application (AHLTA)

2. DOD COMPONENT NAME:

Defense Health Agency

3. PIA APPROVAL DATE:

02/19/2026

Program Executive Office (PEO) Medical Systems (J6)

SECTION 1: PII DESCRIPTION SUMMARY (FOR PUBLIC RELEASE)

a. The PII is: (Check one. Note: Federal contractors, military family members, and foreign nationals are included in general public.)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> From members of the general public | <input type="checkbox"/> From Federal employees |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> from both members of the general public and Federal employees | <input type="checkbox"/> Not Collected (if checked proceed to Section 4) |

b. The PII is in a: (Check one.)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> New DoD Information System | <input type="checkbox"/> New Electronic Collection |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Existing DoD Information System | <input type="checkbox"/> Existing Electronic Collection |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Significantly Modified DoD Information System | |

c. Describe the purpose of this DoD information system or electronic collection and describe the types of personal information about individuals collected in the system.

The Armed Forces Health Longitudinal Technology Application (AHLTA) is the Department of Defense (DoD) legacy electronic health record (EHR), used to automate and integrate functions performed by hospital or other clinical staff, facilitate delivery of health care to Military Health System (MHS) beneficiaries, and support Military Treatment Facility (MTF) administration. AHLTA also functions as a legacy medical and archived dental record management system, providing secure online access to beneficiary records. The legacy AHLTA Automated Information System (AIS) provides the following functionalities:

Clinical Data Repository (CDR): Centrally stores patient health care history for all service members and beneficiaries. All data (submitted by the beneficiary or modified by the provider) is stored in the AHLTA CDR.

AHLTA Web Print (AWP): Allows the printing of a patient's entire electronic health record with one command and significantly reduces the backlog of records awaiting transfer to the Department of Veterans Affairs (VA), Social Security Administration (SSA), Medical Evaluation Boards, and Transition Assistance Programs.

Personally Identifiable Information (PII) elements retained by AHLTA include demographic information, protected health information (PHI), contact information, marital information, and Social Security Numbers (SSNs).

PII is retained from the following categories of individuals, including Active Duty and Reserve Service Members, Retirees, and their beneficiaries.

AHLTA is currently owned and managed by the Solution Delivery Division (SDD)/Program Executive Office (PEO) Medical Systems (J-6)/Defense Health Agency (DHA). AHLTA capabilities are expected to be fully subsumed by MHS GENESIS, DoD's modernized EHR, NLT October 2026.

d. Why is the PII collected and/or what is the intended use of the PII? (e.g., verification, identification, authentication, data matching, mission-related use, administrative use)

AHLTA retains PII for authentication, verification, and mission-related uses. PII retained by AHLTA is used to support access authentication, verification of patient eligibility, health care delivery, and processing of billing and insurance claims.

e. Do individuals have the opportunity to object to the collection of their PII? Yes No

(1) If "Yes," describe the method by which individuals can object to the collection of PII.

(2) If "No," state the reason why individuals cannot object to the collection of PII.

Individuals do not have the opportunity to object to the collection of their PII because AHLTA is not the initial point of collection.

f. Do individuals have the opportunity to consent to the specific uses of their PII? Yes No

(1) If "Yes," describe the method by which individuals can give or withhold their consent.

(2) If "No," state the reason why individuals cannot give or withhold their consent.

Individuals do not have the opportunity to consent to the specific uses of their PII because AHLTA is not the initial point of collection.

g. When an individual is asked to provide PII, a Privacy Act Statement (PAS) and/or a Privacy Advisory must be provided. (Check as appropriate and provide the actual wording.)

Privacy Act Statement Privacy Advisory Not Applicable

PRIVACY ADVISORY: You are accessing a U.S. Government information system (IS) which may contain information subject to the Privacy Act of 1974, as amended, 5 U.S.C. § 552(a). By accessing this system, you: (1) acknowledge that you possess a valid need-to-know; (2) agree to adhere to all applicable DoD & DHA requirements concerning access to information subject to the Privacy Act of 1974; and (3) acknowledge that disclosure of protected Privacy Act information in this IS, in any manner, to person(s) or entity(ies) not entitled to receive it, may subject you to administrative, civil, and/or criminal penalties.

HIPAA ADVISORY: You are accessing a U.S. Government information system (IS) which may contain information subject to P.L. 104-191, the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA) of 1996. By accessing this system, you: (1) acknowledge that you possess a valid need-to-know; (2) agree to adhere to all applicable DoD & DHA requirements concerning access to information subject to HIPAA; and (3) acknowledge that disclosure of protected HIPAA information in this IS, in any manner, to person(s) or entity(ies) not entitled to receive it, may subject you to administrative, civil, and/or criminal penalties.

h. With whom will the PII be shared through data/system exchange, both within your DoD Component and outside your Component? (Check all that apply)

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Within the DoD Component | Specify. | DHA MTFs and Clinics; Enterprise Intelligence & Data Solutions (EIDS) PMO |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other DoD Components (i.e. Army, Navy, Air Force) | Specify. | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Federal Agencies (i.e. Veteran's Affairs, Energy, State) | Specify. | Department of Veteran Affairs (VA); Department of Homeland Security (DHS); Social Security Administration (SSA) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> State and Local Agencies | Specify. | |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Contractor (Name of contractor and describe the language in the contract that safeguards PII. Include whether FAR privacy clauses, i.e., 52.224-1, Privacy Act Notification, 52.224-2, Privacy Act, and FAR 39.105 are included in the contract.) | Specify. | Leidos provides Tier 3 support, local site support, and application support. "Leidos shall ensure that its entire staff, including subcontractors and consultants that perform work on this Contract receive training on the Privacy Act, HIPAA, the Alcohol, Drug Abuse and Mental Health Administration (ADAMHA) Reorganization Act, 42 U.S.C. 290dd-2, and the ADAMHA implementing regulations, 42 CFR Part 2.

Leidos shall ensure all employees and subcontractors supply a certificate of all training completion to the Contracting Officer's Representative (COR) within 30 days of being assigned and on an annual basis thereafter.

Leidos shall not use or further disclose PII other than as permitted or required by the Contract or as Required by Law. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (e.g., commercial providers, colleges). | Specify. | |

i. Source of the PII collected is: (Check all that apply and list all information systems if applicable)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Individuals | <input type="checkbox"/> Databases |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Existing DoD Information Systems | <input type="checkbox"/> Commercial Systems |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other Federal Information Systems | |

Existing DoD Information Systems: Defense Enrollment Eligibility Reporting System (DEERS); Composite Health Care System (CHCS); Clinical Data Repository/Health Data Repository (CHDR); Theater Medical Data Store (TMDS); Pharmacy Data Transaction Service

(TPharm); Navy Medicine Online (NMO); Air Force Complete Immunization Tracking Application (AFCITA); Medical Protection System (MEDPROS); Corporate Dental Application (CDA).

j. How will the information be collected? (Check all that apply and list all Official Form Numbers if applicable)

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| <input type="checkbox"/> E-mail | <input type="checkbox"/> Official Form (Enter Form Number(s) in the box below) |
| <input type="checkbox"/> In-Person Contact | <input type="checkbox"/> Paper |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Fax | <input type="checkbox"/> Telephone Interview |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Information Sharing - System to System | <input type="checkbox"/> Website/E-Form |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (If Other, enter the information in the box below) | |

Information Sharing - System to System: DEERS; CHCS; CHDR; TMDS; TPharm; NMO; AFCITA; MEDPROS; CDA.

k. Does this DoD Information system or electronic collection require a Privacy Act System of Records Notice (SORN)?

A Privacy Act SORN is required if the information system or electronic collection contains information about U.S. citizens or lawful permanent U.S. residents that is retrieved by name or other unique identifier. PIA and Privacy Act SORN information must be consistent.

- Yes No

If "Yes," enter SORN System Identifier

SORN Identifier, not the Federal Register (FR) Citation. Consult the DoD Component Privacy Office for additional information or <http://dpcl.d.defense.gov/Privacy/SORNs/>
or

If a SORN has not yet been published in the Federal Register, enter date of submission for approval to Defense Privacy, Civil Liberties, and Transparency Division (DPCLTD). Consult the DoD Component Privacy Office for this date.

If "No," explain why the SORN is not required in accordance with DoD Regulation 5400.11-R: Department of Defense Privacy Program.

l. What is the National Archives and Records Administration (NARA) approved, pending or general records schedule (GRS) disposition authority for the system or for the records maintained in the system?

(1) NARA Job Number or General Records Schedule Authority.

(2) If pending, provide the date the SF-115 was submitted to NARA.

(3) Retention Instructions.

FILE NUMBER: 911-17
FILE TITLE: Armed Forces Health Longitudinal Technology Application / Composite Health Care System (AHLTA/CHCS)
DISPOSITION: Temporary. Cut off upon last episode of patient care or last entry to the patient record is annotated. Destroy 75 years after cutoff.

m. What is the authority to collect information? A Federal law or Executive Order must authorize the collection and maintenance of a system of records. For PII not collected or maintained in a system of records, the collection or maintenance of the PII must be necessary to discharge the requirements of a statute or Executive Order.

- (1) If this system has a Privacy Act SORN, the authorities in this PIA and the existing Privacy Act SORN should be similar.
- (2) If a SORN does not apply, cite the authority for this DoD information system or electronic collection to collect, use, maintain and/or disseminate PII. (If multiple authorities are cited, provide all that apply).
 - (a) Cite the specific provisions of the statute and/or EO that authorizes the operation of the system and the collection of PII.
 - (b) If direct statutory authority or an Executive Order does not exist, indirect statutory authority may be cited if the authority requires the operation or administration of a program, the execution of which will require the collection and maintenance of a system of records.
 - (c) If direct or indirect authority does not exist, DoD Components can use their general statutory grants of authority ("internal housekeeping") as the primary authority. The requirement, directive, or instruction implementing the statute within the DoD Component must be identified.

Public Law 104-191, Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act of 1996; 10 U.S.C., Ch. 55, Medical and Dental Care; 10 U.S.C. 1097a, TRICARE Prime: Automatic Enrollments; 42 U.S.C. 290dd, Substance Abuse Among Government and Other Employees; 42 U.S.C. 290dd-2, Confidentiality Of Records; 42 U.S.C. Ch. 117, Sections 11131-11152, Reporting of Information; 45 CFR 164, Security and Privacy; Department of Defense (DoD) Instruction 6015.23, Foreign Military Personnel Care and Uniform Business Offices in Military

n. Does this DoD information system or electronic collection have an active and approved Office of Management and Budget (OMB) Control Number?

Contact the Component Information Management Control Officer or DoD Clearance Officer for this information. This number indicates OMB approval to collect data from 10 or more members of the public in a 12-month period regardless of form or format.

Yes No Pending

- (1) If "Yes," list all applicable OMB Control Numbers, collection titles, and expiration dates.
- (2) If "No," explain why OMB approval is not required in accordance with DoD Manual 8910.01, Volume 2, "DoD Information Collections Manual: Procedures for DoD Public Information Collections."
- (3) If "Pending," provide the date for the 60 and/or 30 day notice and the Federal Register citation.

AHLTA does not require OMB approval as it does not serve as the initial point of collection for the information it processes.