

DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES Health Resources and Services Administration ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION AND DOCUMENTATION (EID)	FOR HRSA USE ONLY		
	Applicant Name		
	Grant Number		Application Tracking #

Name of Service Site: _____

Physical Site Address: _____

A. USE OF NATURAL RESOURCES

This set of criteria is concerned with the use and accessibility of nonrenewable natural resources such as land, minerals, and fuels as well as the flow resources (water and air) which are constantly renewed but in which short-term or local shortages might occur.

1. Is there a controversy with respect to environmental effects of the action based on reasonable and substantial issues?
 Yes No
 If yes explain:

2. Is the action significantly greater in scope than normal for the area, or will it have significant unusual characteristics (for instance, purchasing a large fleet of cars)?
 Yes No
 If yes explain:

3. Is the action located in either a 100-year or, for critical actions, a 500-year floodplain?
 Yes No
 A PO will contact you to provide a Flood Insurance Rate Map. Clearly mark the location of the facility, and the NFIP Panel Number. FIRMettes can be generated electronically at no cost at <http://www.msc.fema.gov>. The FIRMette module is located in the upper left hand corner, while the tutorial is at the lower right hand corner of the webpage. (If Flood Insurance Rate Maps do not exist for the project site, a floodplain survey or consultation may be required.)

4. Will the action include the use of wetlands (swamps, marshes, etc.) for the storage of equipment?
 Yes No
 If yes explain:

5. Will the action violate a Section 404 (Clean Water Act) permit for actions in a wetland and/or Section 10 (Rivers and Harbors Act) permit for actions in a stream or river? (Activities in or near a wetland or river may require a permit from the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers or U.S. Coast Guard. Includes: construction in or near any wet or dry waterway, stream crossings, intake structures, outfalls, etc.)
 Yes No
 If yes explain:

B. POLLUTION

This set of criteria concerns the processes that generate pollution. These include the introduction of pollutants into the environment, changes in the flow of energy through the environment, and changes in the composition of environments through the augmentation or deletion of substances that are naturally present. The criteria are also directly concerned with the production and one-time use of materials and the proper disposal of wastes.

1. Will the action increase identifiable ambient air pollution levels from a new emission source or from existing sources?
 Yes No
 If yes explain:

<p>2. Will the action increase identifiable ambient air pollution levels through a major increase in the number of or use of automobiles, trucks, etc.? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No Approximate number of new employees: _____</p>
<p>3. Will the action exceed city or State health standards with exhausts from fume hoods? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes explain:</p>
<p>4. Will the action involve the discharge of laboratory wastes or biohazard wastes directly into a lake, river, etc.? If Yes Describe::</p>
<p>5. Will the action overload existing waste treatment plants due to new loads (water volume, chemicals, toxicity, etc.)? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes, a PO will contact you to provide a connection permit or other approval from local sewer authority</p>
<p>6. Will the action allow seepage of contaminants into the water table? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes explain:</p>
<p>7. Will the action create an identifiable change in aquatic life by discharge of hot water? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes explain:</p>
<p>8. Will the action impact an EPA designated sole source aquifer? (Designation of sole source aquifer puts restrictions and conditions on Federal expenditures, projects, and grants.) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes explain:</p>
<p>9. Will the action violate a storm water permit or a wastewater discharge permit either for construction or on-going operations? (Earth disturbing activities may require a Notice of Intent (NOI) to be covered under a storm water general permit or individual permit from the EPA or other agency and a storm water control plan, including some parking lot construction activities. A discharge of wastewater to the environment may require a permit from Tribal, local or State authorities, or EPA.) <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes explain:</p>
<p><i>Consider the following statements prior to answering questions 10-14: Facility will/will not emit noises in excess of local noise standards. Is facility near a wildlife sanctuary? Are outdoor animal facilities included? Facility will/will not contain x-ray machines. Facility will/will not meet Atomic Energy Commission standards.</i></p>
<p>10. Will the action produce noises considered offensive to a human population? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes explain:</p>
<p>11. Will the action create sounds that result in changes in behavior patterns of animals? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If yes explain:</p>

12. Will the action introduce major new sources of unshielded radiation?

Yes No

If yes explain:

13. Will the action cause a new, large volume of production of non-recycled items?

Yes No

If yes explain:

14. Will the action result in the non-recycling of recyclable items such as laboratory glassware, animal cages, and office paper?

Yes No

If yes explain:

If no, indicate number of:

Glassware-washing machines: _____

Cage-washing machines: _____

15. Will the action generate solid wastes that cannot be properly disposed of by existing facilities?

Yes No

If yes, describe proposed methods and disposal sites.

16. Will the action require storage of waste pending technology for safe disposal?

Yes No

If yes explain:

17. Will the action comply with Federal, State, and local requirements for waste handling, transportation, or disposal methods?

Yes No

If yes, describe proposed methods:

C. POPULATIONS

This section of the initial criteria addresses changes in human and plant populations. NOTE: For these criteria, the affected area is defined as being greater than 160 acres in size.

1. Will the action result in a 5% change in the transient population?

Yes No

If yes, include estimated number of:

Visitors: _____

Patients: _____

Students: _____

2. Will the action result in changes in genetic engineering directed at the human population?

Yes No

If yes explain:

D. HUMAN SERVICES

As society has evolved, traditional self-sufficient human communities have given way to dense populations that depend upon the development and application of technology. Man's highly complex, technological environments are maintained by a variety of services, ranging from the provision of the basic necessities of food and water to complex systems of economic exchange. These services are largely interdependent, and their complexities must be considered. NOTE: In this section, the human environment impacted upon is defined as less than 160 acres in size.

1. Will the action use more than 5% of remaining electrical capacity? (Will the project require electrical upgrades?)
 Yes No

If yes:

Estimated daily usage is _____ kWh.

A PO will contact you to provide an approval letter from a local utility or plant

2. Will the action use more than 5% of available capacity of trash disposal system (collection, incinerator plant, and landfill)? Also clearly explain proposed handling and disposal of chemical wastes, biohazards, syringes, and other special wastes.

Yes No

If yes explain:

3. Will the action increase by more than 5% the patient load of the area's routine care services?

Yes No

If yes explain:

4. Will the action change the availability of social services by opening or closing facilities?

Yes No

If yes explain:

E. HUMAN VALUES

The fifth set of criteria is directed toward human values concerning the environmental qualities generally agreed upon to the extent that they are stated in statutes, standards, or regulations.

1. Will the action involve the purchase, construction, alteration, renovation, or lease of real property or portion of real property that is more than 50 years old? Will the action encroach upon any historical, architectural, or archeological cultural property? Will the proposed action adversely affect properties listed, or eligible for listing, on the National Register of Historic Places? [Buildings, archaeological sites, National Historic Landmarks; objects of significance to a Tribe including graves, funerary objects, and traditional cultural properties.]

Yes No

If yes explain: If yes, A PO will contact you to provide clearance letters from State Historic Preservation Officer. For assistance, consult with the State Preservation Officer (SHPO) or the Tribal Historic Preservation Officer (THPO).

2. Will the action be likely to adversely affect a plant or animal species listed on the Federal or applicable State list of endangered or threatened species or a specific critical habitat of an endangered or threatened species? (Discovering an endangered or threatened species in the project area will stop the project, and the Endangered Species Act has significant fines and penalties for violations.)

Yes No

If yes explain:

5. Will the action adversely affect a wild, scenic, or recreational river area or create conditions inconsistent with the character of the river? (A consideration for activities that are in or near any wild and scenic waterway including construction of stream/river crossings, intake structures, outfalls, etc.)

Yes No

If yes explain:

F. Mitigative Measures

Please discuss any mitigative measures undertaken to minimize any environmental impacts. For example, utilizing EPEAT or EnergyStar guidance as part of IT selection and purchase criteria, or incorporating Sustainable Design or Leadership in Energy and Environmental Design (LEED) standards into alteration/repair/renovation or new construction project.

Discuss Mitigative Measures:

ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION AND DOCUMENTATION CERTIFICATION

[] I certify that to the best of my knowledge and ability the information presented herein is true and correct (enter appropriate information in the shaded blanks):

Signature (Type Full Name)	Title or Position	Phone #	Date
(Grantee or responsible, knowledgeable person who completed this document)			

Signature (Type Full Name)	Title or Position	Phone #	Date
(Grantee Authorized Representative)			

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