

2020 Cataloging Record Distribution Program Participant Survey Preview



The U.S. Government Publishing Office plans to extend the [Cataloging Record Distribution Program](#) into FY2021, subsequent to funding approval. As a currently participating library, please complete this short survey.

Before completing the survey:

If you need to update who receives the monthly emails from MARCIVE, Inc. or who serves as a CRDP point of contact, please [contact both GPO and MARCIVE](#) with your changes. To support timely communication, it would be helpful if you would do this before completing the survey. Then, in your responses to questions #2 and 3, provide the updated list of names and email addresses.

Please note:

- It is recommended that at least two individuals receive monthly notification emails so that a backup may retrieve records when needed.
- A library may have up to five contacts or email addresses.
- After the survey, your responses to questions #2 and 3 will be reviewed to update CRDP contact information, if needed.

Survey instructions:

- Completion of the survey is a [requirement of CRDP participation](#).
- All questions are required, except where noted.
- After you respond to question #17, click the "submit survey" button at the bottom of the page. If you have filled in all required fields, you are done and:
 - You will be taken to a page with a copy of your survey submission, where you may download a copy in PDF.
 - You will also receive a copy of your survey submission by email.
- If you still see the survey page after clicking on "submit survey", look for highlighted fields on the page, complete required responses, and click on "submit survey" again.
- Send any survey or CRDP-related questions to Kathy Bayer and Lara Flint, Outreach Librarians, at:
 - kbayer@gpo.gov
 - lflint@gpo.gov

SURVEY

Library information. Fill in:

- Your depository library number/institution (from a drop-down)
- Your first and last name
- Your position title
- Your email address (*Please note: a copy of the survey submission will be sent to this email address*)
- Your phone number
- Library director's first and last name
- Library director's email address
- Your library's integrated library system

Questions

1. CRDP services currently profiled to receive (select all that apply)
 - New records for all formats
 - New records only for selected format(s), such as online only publications only
 - Changed records
 - Records which do not have item numbers or have inactive item numbers
 - Local holding codes
 - Local holding fields
 - OCLC holdings
 - Monthly Records Lists
 - FDLP Basic Collection catalog records (sent once in a single batch)
2. List the first and last name and email address of the primary CRDP point of contact at your library.
3. (optional). List the first and last names and email addresses of additional CRDP contacts, including those receiving monthly email notifications about CRDP records availability. **You may list up to four additional contacts.**
4. Does your library plan to continue participation in the CRDP through 2020 and in 2021? Yes/No. If no, please explain.
5. Does your library pick up the CRDP records every month and review and load them to your library system right away? Or, if your library has OCLC WMS, do you check your records after your local holdings are attached? Yes/No. If no, please explain.
6. Does your library meet GPO's requirements for participation in the CRDP? Yes/No. If no, please explain.
7. If you have contacted MARCIVE, Inc. representatives for assistance, have your needs been addressed and fulfilled in a timely manner? Yes/No. If no, please provide a brief summary of the issue and how it was not resolved.

8. If you have contacted GPO staff for assistance, have your needs been addressed and fulfilled in a timely manner? Yes/No. If no, please provide a brief summary of the issue and how it was not resolved.
9. Are there enhancements to the CRDP that you would like to see included in the service? Yes/No. If yes, please provide your suggestions for enhancing the service.
10. Have you faced technical challenges with any aspect of this program? Yes/No. If yes, please briefly describe the issue.
11. The standard output is bibliographic records that match [your library's FDLP item number selection profile](#). Have you made changes to or [amended your item selection profile](#) in the last year in order to acquire the most relevant bibliographic records from GPO via the CRDP? Yes/No.
12. Do you catalog Federal depository resources in other ways in addition to the CRDP? Yes/No, my library only catalogs Federal depository resources using CRDP records.
13. (optional). **If you answered "yes" to the previous question**, select any of the following choices below. My library:
 - Occasionally copy catalogs as additional resources are identified
 - Routinely or systematically copy catalogs additional new resources (for example, we copy catalog tangible receipts or we routinely search to identify publications that do not match our item number selections and copy catalog those titles)
 - Is retrospectively cataloging older publications in the depository collection
 - Attaches holdings to records in a consortial catalog
 - Subscribes to other bibliographic records services which provide my library with catalog records
 - Other
14. Has the CRDP been beneficial to your library? Yes/No. If no, please provide additional information about your response.
15. Would an individual at your library be willing to help train or consult with others about the CRDP, potentially through a webinar presentation or [service as an experienced CRDP practitioner, a CRDP Buddy](#)? Yes/No.
16. (optional). **If you answered "yes" to the previous question**, please provide contact information for each volunteer.
 - First and last name
 - Position title
 - Email address
 - Phone number
17. Do you have any additional comments or suggestions? Yes/No. If yes, please provide your additional feedback.