

**PA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH REGISTRY INFORMATION**

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The first step in preparing for Stage 2 Meaningful Use - LANGUAGE about being prepared for on-going submission prior to registering intent.	You need to complete your intent to register. EH would start 10/1/13 and EP would start 1/1/14	Review the PHIN messaging guides for syndromic surveillance (see last row) to determine if you can comply with the requirements.	Registration of intent. Instructions to register intent are poted under the Meaningful Use tab on the PCR website indicated below.	All MU entities must register via the PA-ELR web survey form for either Stage 1 or Stage 2 (only one registration required, valid for either Stage).	If a provider gives immunizations, they need to continuously report that data via an HL7 interface between their EMR system and the KIDS Plus IIS.
Where to register or obtain information about registration	<a href="http://www.health.state.pa.us/pasiis">www.health.state.pa.us/pasiis</a>	<a href="http://webserver.health.state.pa.us/health/syndromic/">http://webserver.health.state.pa.us/health/syndromic/</a>	<a href="http://www.health.pa.gov/MyRecords/Registries/Cancer/Pages/CancerRegistry.aspx#.Vuq9xzfD83G">http://www.health.pa.gov/MyRecords/Registries/Cancer/Pages/CancerRegistry.aspx#.Vuq9xzfD83G</a>	<a href="http://webserver.health.state.pa.us/health/PA-ELR/">http://webserver.health.state.pa.us/health/PA-ELR/</a>	Providers can contact the KIDS Plus IIS Helpline <a href="mailto:KIDSRegistry@phila.gov">KIDSRegistry@phila.gov</a> to start the HL7 testing process.
Successful registration will be confirmed with this process	PA-SIIS will provide an acknowledgement email	Someone will contact you if we determine that we are interested in receiving your data.	PCR will provide an acknowledgement email	Someone will contact you	There is no formal onboarding process. After contacting the Helpline, you will be contacted by someone at KIDS Plus to start testing.
Stage 2 availability date	10/1/2013 - EH; 1/1/14 - EP	Currently Available	1/1/14 - EP	Currently Available	Currently available to EMR vendors/practices wishing to attest for MU stage 2.
Cost to on-board	No Cost	No cost for hospital emergency departments to onboard or submit syndromic data. EPs will need to pay fees for onboarding and maintenance.	No Cost	No Cost	No cost from KIDS Plus IIS. The cost from the provider's EMR vendor to implement the interface may vary.
Who do we contact with questions?	PA Statewide Immunization Information System (SIIS)	PA Syndromic	Pennsylvania Cancer Registry	PA ELR	<a href="mailto:KIDSRegistry@phila.gov">KIDSRegistry@phila.gov</a>
Contact email address and/or Phone	<a href="mailto:pasiis@pa.gov">pasiis@pa.gov</a> - 877-774-4748	<a href="mailto:RA-DHMU.SYNDROMIC@pa.gov">RA-DHMU.SYNDROMIC@pa.gov</a>	<a href="mailto:pcr@pa.gov">pcr@pa.gov</a>	<a href="mailto:PA-ELR@pa.gov">PA-ELR@pa.gov</a>	<a href="mailto:KIDSRegistry@phila.gov">KIDSRegistry@phila.gov</a>
Requirements for submission	<b>Stage 1 Meaningful Use specifications:</b> Performed at least one test of certified EHR technology's capacity to submit electronic data to immunization registries and follow up submission if the test is successful. <b>Stage 2 Meaningful Use Specifications:</b> Successful ongoing submission of electronic immunization data from CEHRT	Must intend and be able to submit syndromic data on an ongoing and real-time basis	Successful ongoing submission of electronic cancer data from certified EHR vendor that meets standards documented in the Implementation Guide for Ambulatory Healthcare Provider Reporting to Central Cancer Registries, August 2012 <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/ehrmeaningfuluse/cancer.html">http://www.cdc.gov/ehrmeaningfuluse/cancer.html</a>	PA-ELR Team will provide PA-ELR version of National Standard HL7 2.5.1 Guidelines. Test messages must fully conform to all PADOH/ELR standards and must create complete PA-NEDSS Disease Reports to be considered compliant. All participants are expected to move to full on-going Production reporting as soon as possible regardless of MU Stage 1 or Stage 2 implementation.	In order to meet meaningful use attestation, providers must perform at least one successful test submission of data. Providers must arrange for continuous reporting in accordance with KIDS Plus IIS policies. A letter acknowledging attestation may be provided by the Immunization Program after completion of testing process.
Eligible Participants	Hospitals (Acute care, Critical and Children's) and providers	Hospital Emergency Departments: No new facilities can be onboarded by 6/30/14. An additional 11 facilities can be onboarded from 7/1/2014 to 6/30/2015. New facilities wishing to onboard will be prioritized on the basis of geographic location and average daily patient census. EPs: Primary care practices will be prioritized.	Eligible Professionals (EP) (may be prioritized based on monthly volume)	PA Hospitals/Labs (may be prioritized based on monthly volume)	Hospitals (Acute care, Critical and Children's) and eligible clinics

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Confirmation that I have been onboarded and/or tested	PA SIIIS electronic acknowledgement	Facility/provider will be working directly with the syndromic vendor throughout the onboarding process. For documentation of participation, see below.	PCR electronic acknowledgement	Hospital/Lab must email a request to PA-ELR Manager requesting confirmation of successful upload and processing of an ELR message in PA-NEDSS; PA-ELR web service returns a success/fail message after upload of messages, this is only a system status message and not a full 'ACK'	A letter acknowledging attestation may be provided by the Immunization Program.
What to use to validate that you have been onboarded	PA SIIIS electronic acknowledgement	Upon request to the syndromic system vendor, onboarded facilities/providers will receive a letter that confirms successful ongoing transmission of data. The Department and vendor are not responsible for declaration of compliance with Meaningful Use standards beyond syndromic surveillance reporting specifications.	PCR electronic acknowledgement	PA-ELR/PADOH will only state that a compliant message was received, did not error and created a usable PA-NEDSS message - PA-ELR/PADOH is not responsible for declaration of compliance with Meaningful Use standards beyond compliance with PA-ELR/PADOH reporting specifications	No onboarding process.
General Registry Information	<a href="http://www.portal.state.pa.us/portal/server.pt/community/pa_statewide_immunization_information_system_%2528pa-siis%2529/14281">http://www.portal.state.pa.us/portal/server.pt/community/pa_statewide_immunization_information_system_%2528pa-siis%2529/14281</a>	Additional information forthcoming	<a href="http://www.portal.state.pa.us/portal/server.pt/community/pa_cancer_registry/14280">http://www.portal.state.pa.us/portal/server.pt/community/pa_cancer_registry/14280</a>	<a href="http://www.portal.state.pa.us/portal/server.pt/community/pa_national_electronic_disease_surveillance_system_%28pa-nedss%29/14215/pa-nedss_-_electronic_laboratory_reporting/557085">http://www.portal.state.pa.us/portal/server.pt/community/pa_national_electronic_disease_surveillance_system_%28pa-nedss%29/14215/pa-nedss_-_electronic_laboratory_reporting/557085</a>	Kids.phila.gov has information on the Philadelphia KIDS Plus IIS.
Details about the Meaningful Use measure that is specific to this registry	<b>Stage 1 Meaningful Use specifications:</b> <a href="https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/EHRIncentivePrograms/downloads/EP-MU-TOC.pdf">https://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/EHRIncentivePrograms/downloads/EP-MU-TOC.pdf</a> <b>Stage 2 Meaningful Use specifications:</b> <a href="http://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/EHRIncentivePrograms/Downloads/Stage2_MeaningfulUseSpecSheet_TableContents_EPs.pdf">http://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/EHRIncentivePrograms/Downloads/Stage2_MeaningfulUseSpecSheet_TableContents_EPs.pdf</a>	<b>Stage 1 Meaningful Use specifications:</b> <a href="http://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/EHRIncentivePrograms/downloads/10_Syndromic_Surveillance_Data_SubmissionEP.pdf">http://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/EHRIncentivePrograms/downloads/10_Syndromic_Surveillance_Data_SubmissionEP.pdf</a> <b>Stage 2 Meaningful Use specifications:</b> <a href="http://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/EHRIncentivePrograms/downloads/Stage2_EPMMenu_1_SyndromicSurveillanceDataSub.pdf">http://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/EHRIncentivePrograms/downloads/Stage2_EPMMenu_1_SyndromicSurveillanceDataSub.pdf</a>	<b>Stage 1 Meaningful Use specifications:</b> NONE <b>Stage 2 Meaningful Use specifications:</b> <a href="http://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/EHRIncentivePrograms/downloads/Stage2_EPMMenu_5_ReportCancerCases.pdf">http://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/EHRIncentivePrograms/downloads/Stage2_EPMMenu_5_ReportCancerCases.pdf</a>	<b>Stage 1 Meaningful Use specifications:</b> <a href="http://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/EHRIncentivePrograms/downloads/9_Reportable_Lab_Results_to_Public_Health_Agencies.pdf">http://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/EHRIncentivePrograms/downloads/9_Reportable_Lab_Results_to_Public_Health_Agencies.pdf</a> <b>Stage 2 Meaningful Use specifications:</b> <a href="http://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/EHRIncentivePrograms/downloads/Stage2_HospitalCore_14_SubLabResults.pdf">http://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/EHRIncentivePrograms/downloads/Stage2_HospitalCore_14_SubLabResults.pdf</a>	Kids.phila.gov has information on meaningful use attestation
Hosting Vendor	Commonwealth	Syndromic system is hosted by a vendor, Health Monitoring Systems, Inc. (HMS)	Commonwealth	Commonwealth	
Core Data Fields	See implementation guide 2.5.1 release 1.4 <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/programs/iis/technical-guidance/hl7.html">http://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/programs/iis/technical-guidance/hl7.html</a>	Facility Code, Date/time of visit, Chief complaint, Age, Sex, Zip code of patient, Visit number, Optional: diagnosis, disposition	See Implementation Guide for Ambulatory Healthcare Provider Reporting to Central Cancer Registries, August 2012 <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/ehrmeaningfuluse/cancer.html">http://www.cdc.gov/ehrmeaningfuluse/cancer.html</a>	See PA-ELR 2.5.1 Guidelines for specific data field requirements	Kids.phila.gov has information on this on website
Data Structure Supported	Format is consistent HL7 2.5.1	Must use PHIN messaging guide to meet MU - HL7 2.5.1 - Release 1.1 and 1.2 are to be used for Stage 2 and Release 1.9 will be used for future stages - <a href="http://www.cdc.gov/phin/resources/PHIN_guides.html#ss">http://www.cdc.gov/phin/resources/PHIN_guides.html#ss</a>	Format is consistent with HL7 Clinical Document Architecture (CDA) as specified in Implementation Guide above	See PA-ELR 2.5.1 Guidelines for specific data field requirements. LOINC, SNOMED and Standard National Codes are required.	HL7 2.3.1 and 2.5.1 capability. Batch messaging using sFTP. Real-time/bi-directional (VXU, VX, RSP) messaging through web service.

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**NOTE:** The Pennsylvania Department of Health does not currently maintain a specialty registry that meets the requirements for the Stage 2 Meaningful Use Menu Measure 6.