



# NH Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Public Health Services

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### 2016 - 2017 Program Years

**Eligible Hospitals (EHs) & Critical Access Hospitals (CAHs)**  
**Meaningful Use 2015 through 2017 (Modified Stage 2)**  
**All EHs and CAHs in 2016 and 2017 must meet 3 measures.**

Objective	Stage	Measure	Explanation	State Status	Additional Information
Objective 9: Public Health Reporting	Modified Stage 2	Measure Option 1 – Immunization Registry Reporting:	The EH or CAH is in active engagement with a public health agency to submit immunization data.	NH DPHS is not accepting immunization data from EHs at this time. If reporting in NH, EHs may claim exclusions for this measure when attesting for meaningful use, as applicable.	<p>ONC-Adopted Standard(2014 CEHRT)            HL7 2.5.1            HL7 Version 2.5.1: Implementation Guide for Immunization Messaging, Release 1.4</p>
Objective 9: Public Health Reporting	Modified Stage 2	Measure Option 2 – Syndromic Surveillance Reporting:	The EH or CAH is in active engagement with a public health agency to submit syndromic surveillance data.	NH DPHS is accepting syndromic surveillance data into test and production systems as applicable from EHs at this time.	<p>ONC-Adopted Standard(2014 CEHRT)            HL7 2.5.1            PHIN Messaging Guide for Syndromic Surveillance: Emergency Department and Urgent Care Data, Release 1.1 (August 2012)</p> <p>NH Link to SS Local Implementation Guide:  <a href="http://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dphs/bphsi/documents/sslocalguide.pdf">http://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dphs/bphsi/documents/sslocalguide.pdf</a></p> <p>NH Statutes - RSA 141-C:7 (Reporting of Communicable Disease), 141-C:8 (List of Diseases; Report Forms)            Administrative Rule - He-P 301.02 and He-P 301.03.</p>
Objective 9: Public Health Reporting	Modified Stage 2	Measure Option 3 – Specialized Registry Reporting:	The EH or CAH is in active engagement to submit data to a specialized registry.	NH DPHS is not accepting specialized registry reporting from EHs and CAHs.	
Objective 9: Public Health Reporting	Modified Stage 2	Measure Option 4 – Electronic Reportable Laboratory Result Reporting:	The EH or CAH is in active engagement with a public health agency to submit electronic reportable laboratory (ELR) results.	NH DPHS is accepting the submission of electronic reportable laboratory results into test and production systems as applicable from EHs at this time.	<p>ONC-Adopted Standard(2014 CEHRT)            HL7 2.5.1            HL7 Version 2.5.1 Implementation Guide: Electronic Laboratory Reporting to Public Health, Release 1 (US Realm), with Errata and Clarifications</p> <p>NH Link to ELR Local Implementation Guide:  <a href="http://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dphs/bphsi/documents/elrguide.pdf">http://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dphs/bphsi/documents/elrguide.pdf</a></p> <p>NH Statutes - RSA 141-C:7 (Reporting of Communicable Disease), 141-C:8 (List of Diseases; Report Forms), and RSA 130-A (Lead Paint Poisoning Prevention and Control)            Administrative Rules - He-P 301.02, He-P 301.03 (reportable disease), and He-P 1600 (lead paint poisoning)</p>



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**EHs and CAHs attesting for MU3 (optionally in 2017 or 2018 and beyond) have 6 measure options.**  
**EHs & CAHs must meet a Total of 4 measures**

Objective	Stage	Measure	Explanation	State Status	Additional Information
Stage 3 Objective 8: Public Health and Clinical Data Reporting	Stage 3	Measure 1: Immunization Registry Reporting	The EH or CAH is in active engagement with a public health agency to submit immunization data and receive immunization forecasts and histories from the public health immunization registry/immunization information system (IIS).	NH DPHS is not accepting Stage 3 immunization data from EHs & CAHs for 2017.	ONC-Adopted Standard(2015 CEHRT) HL7 2.5.1 HL7 Version 2.5.1: Implementation Guide for Immunization Messaging, Release 1.5 (October 2014) and Addendum (July 2015)
Stage 3 Objective 8: Public Health and Clinical Data Reporting	Stage 3	Measure 2: Syndromic Surveillance Reporting	The EH or CAH is in active engagement with a public health agency to submit syndromic surveillance data from an urgent care setting.	<p>NH DPHS is not accepting Stage 3 syndromic surveillance data from EHs &amp; CAHs into test and production systems for 2017.</p> <p>The PHIN messaging guide for hospital syndromic surveillance is upgraded to version 2.0 in the 2015 Edition CEHRT. Important changes include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• PHAs operating syndromic surveillance systems (SyS) will need to adjust SyS message receiving and data transformation processes.</li> <li>• Certification under 2015 Edition CEHRT calls for the testing of the ability to message inpatient data (in addition to emergency department or outpatient) for syndromic surveillance purposes; under 2014 Edition this was not a requirement. Under 2015 Edition CEHRT, SyS should also provide additional facility and patient demographic information, including:               <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>○ Facility name</li> <li>○ Facility address</li> <li>○ Patient city town</li> <li>○ Smoking status</li> </ul> </li> <li>• SyS should have been tested to include the capture and transmission of ICD-9 CM, ICD-10 CM, LOINC, and SNOMED coded data along with Chief Complaint; under 2014 Edition CEHRT, testing for compliance was limited to ICD-9 CM and Chief Complaint.</li> </ul>	<p>ONC-Adopted Standard(2015 CEHRT) HL7 2.5.1 PHIN Messaging Guide for Syndromic Surveillance: Emergency Department, Urgent Care, Ambulatory Care and Inpatient Settings, Release 2.0</p> <p>NH Link to SS Local Implementation Guide: <a href="http://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dphs/bphsi/documents/sslocalguide.pdf">http://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dphs/bphsi/documents/sslocalguide.pdf</a></p> <p>NH Statutes - RSA 141-C:7 (Reporting of Communicable Disease), 141-C:8 (List of Diseases; Report Forms) Administrative Rule - He-P 301.02 and He-P 301.03.</p>
Stage 3 Objective	Stage 3	Measure 3- Electronic Case	Electronic Case Reporting: The EH or CAH is in active engagement	Not available in 2017 for optional Stage 3 requirements	Per guidelines in the ONC 2015 Edition



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Objective	Stage	Measure	Explanation	State Status	Additional Information
8: Public Health and Clinical Data Reporting		Reporting (For Stage 3 in 2018 only)	with a public health agency to submit case reporting of reportable conditions.		Certification Final Rule  Not available in 2017 for optional Stage 3 requirements.
Stage 3 Objective 8: Public Health and Clinical Data Reporting	Stage 3	Measure 4: Public Health Registry Reporting*  *For Measures 4 and 5, a Provider may report to more than one public health and/or clinical data registry and may count public health and/or clinical data registry reporting more than once to meet the required number of measures for the Public Health and Clinical Data Registry Reporting objective.	Public Health Registry Reporting: The EH or CAH is in active engagement to submit data to public health registries.  Starting in Stage 3, all Public Health Registries and Clinical Data Registries must use certified standards for meaningful use transactions.  In 2017, providers can use a combination of 2014 Edition and 2015 Edition CEHRT. This is in contrast to Modified Stage 2 where use of ONC standards are not required if they are not present in the 2014 Edition CEHRT.	NH DPHS is not accepting Stage 3 Public Health Registry Reporting from EHs and CAHs for 2017.	No standard mandated for public health registry reporting per se, except for- <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Cancer case reporting from EPs to State Cancer Registry-HL7 CDA® Release 2 Implementation Guide: Reporting to Public Health Cancer Registries from Ambulatory Healthcare Providers, Release 1; DSTU Release 1.1, U.S. Realm) (EP Only)</li> <li>Antimicrobial use and resistance reporting to NHSN-HL7 Implementation Guide for CDA® Release 2 –Level 3: Healthcare Associated Infection Reports, Release 1, U.S. Realm (August 2013) (EH/CAH only)</li> <li>NCHS Health care surveys-HL7 Implementation Guide for CDA® Release 2: National Health Care Surveys (NHCS), Release 1—US Realm, Draft Standard for Trial Use (December 2014)</li> </ul>
Stage 3 Objective 8: Public Health and Clinical	Stage 3	Measure 5: Clinical Data Registry Reporting* *For Measures 4 and 5, a Provider	The EH or CAH is in active engagement to submit data to a clinical data registry.	NH DPHS is not accepting Stage 3 Clinical Data Registry Reporting from EHs and CAHs for 2017.	No standard mandated.



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Data Reporting		may report to more than one public health and/or clinical data registry and may count public health and/or clinical data registry reporting more than once to meet the required number of measures for the Public Health and Clinical Data Registry Reporting objective.			
Stage 3 Objective 8: Public Health and Clinical Data Reporting	Stage 3	Measure 6: Electronic Reportable Laboratory	The EH or CAH is in active engagement with a public health agency to submit electronic reportable laboratory (ELR) results.	NH DPHS is accepting Stage 3 submission of electronic reportable laboratory results into test and production systems as applicable from EHs & CAHs for 2017.*  *There are no changes to the HL7 implementation guide used for Electronic Laboratory Reporting.  *Despite no changes, there may be a need to revalidate if a hospital updates or purchases new certified software.	HL7 2.5.1 <u><a href="#">HL7 Version 2.5.1 Implementation Guide: Electronic Laboratory Reporting to Public Health, Release 1 (US Realm), with Errata and Clarifications</a></u>  NH Link to ELR Local Implementation Guide: <u><a href="http://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dphs/bphsi/documents/elrguide.pdf">http://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dphs/bphsi/documents/elrguide.pdf</a></u>  NH Statutes - RSA 141-C:7 (Reporting of Communicable Disease), 141-C:8 (List of Diseases; Report Forms), and RSA 130-A (Lead Paint Poisoning Prevention and Control) Administrative Rules - He-P 301.02, He-P 301.03 (reportable disease), and He-P 1600 (lead paint poisoning)





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**Eligible Professionals (EPs)**

**Modified Stage 2 Meaningful Use 2015 through 2017**

**All EPs must meet 2 measures in 2016 and 2017**

Objective	Stage	Measure	Explanation	State Status	Additional Information
Objective 10: Public Health Reporting	Modified Stage 2	Option 1 – Immunization Registry Reporting	The EP is in active engagement with a public health agency to submit immunization data.	NH DPHS is not accepting immunization data from EPs. If reporting in NH, EPs may claim exclusions for this measure when attesting for meaningful use, as applicable.	
Objective 10: Public Health Reporting	Modified Stage 2	Option 2 – Syndromic Surveillance Reporting	The EP is in active engagement with a public health agency to submit syndromic surveillance data.	NH DPHS is not accepting syndromic surveillance data from EPs. If reporting in NH, EPs may claim exclusions for this measure when attesting for meaningful use, as applicable.	
Objective 10: Public Health Reporting	Modified Stage 2	Option 3 – Specialized Registry Reporting	The EP is in active engagement to submit data to a specialized registry.	NH DPHS is ready to begin accepting the submission of cancer case information from Certified Electronic Health Record Technology.	EPs planning to report to the cancer registry in Program Year 2016 are required to complete NH’s cancer registry registration form. For more information on the Registry, please visit their website at: <a href="http://geiselmed.dartmouth.edu/nhscr/">http://geiselmed.dartmouth.edu/nhscr/</a> NH Statutes - RSA 141-C:7 Administrative Rules <a href="#">He-P 304</a> . For information on specifications for reporting cancer cases, please visit the HL7.org website at <a href="http://www.hl7.org/implement/standards/product_brief.cfm?product_id=383">http://www.hl7.org/implement/standards/product_brief.cfm?product_id=383</a>



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**EPs attesting for MU3 (optionally in 2017 or 2018 and beyond) have 5 measure options.**

**EPs must meet 2 measures.**

Objective	Stage	Measure	Explanation	State Status	Additional Information
Stage 3 Objective 8: Public Health and Clinical Data Reporting	Stage 3	Measure 1 – Immunization Registry Reporting	The EP is in active engagement with a public health agency to submit immunization data and receive immunization forecasts and histories from the public health immunization registry/immunization information system (IIS)	NH DPHS is not accepting Stage 3 immunization data from EPs for 2017.	ONC-Adopted Standard(2015 CEHRT) HL7 2.5.1 HL7 Version 2.5.1: Implementation Guide for Immunization Messaging, Release 1.5 (October 2014) and Addendum (July 2015)
Stage 3 Objective 8: Public Health and Clinical Data Reporting	Stage 3	Measure 2 – Syndromic Surveillance Reporting	The EP is in active engagement with a public health agency to submit syndromic surveillance data from an urgent care setting.	NH DPHS is not accepting Stage 3 syndromic surveillance data from EPs for 2017.	
Stage 3 Objective 8: Public Health and Clinical Data Reporting	Stage 3	Measure 3 – Electronic Case Reporting	The EP is in active engagement with a public health agency to submit case reporting of reportable conditions	NH DPHS is not accepting Stage 3 Public Health Electronic Case Reporting from EPs for 2017.	



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**EPs must meet 2 measures.**

Stage 3 Objective 8: Public Health and Clinical Data Reporting	Stage 3	Measure 4 – Public Health Registry Reporting	The EP is in active engagement to submit data to public health registries	NH DPHS is not accepting Stage 3 Public Health Registry Reporting from EPs for 2017.	Cancer case reporting from EPs to State Cancer Registry-HL7 CDA® Release 2 Implementation Guide: Reporting to Public Health Cancer Registries from Ambulatory Healthcare Providers, Release 1; DSTU Release 1.1, U.S. Realm) (EP Only)
Stage 3 Objective 8: Public Health and Clinical Data Reporting	Stage 3	Measure 5 – Clinical Data Registry Reporting	The EP is in active engagement to submit data to a clinical data registry	NH DPHS is not accepting Stage 3 Clinical Data Registry Reporting from EPs for 2017.	

**Available links and resources:**

**NH Department of Health and Human Services, Division of Public Health Services**

<http://www.dhhs.nh.gov/dphs/bphsi/meaningful-use.htm>

**CMS EHR Incentive Program website**

<http://www.cms.gov/Regulations-and-Guidance/Legislation/EHRIncentivePrograms/index.html?redirect=/ehrincentiveprograms/>

**Medicaid Electronic Health Record Incentive Program**

<http://www.dhhs.nh.gov/ombp/ehr/index.htm>

**The Office of the National Coordinator for Health Information Technology (ONC)**

<http://www.healthit.gov/>