

NBS Results Pilot Project



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Goal of NBS Results Pilot Project

To transmit NBS results to hospitals via e-mail in a secure and encrypted method. To produce results with reduced transit time, to assist hospitals ability to complete 14 day chart reviews on time; and to ultimately save money!

Pilot Project Readiness

Three hospitals started receiving transmissions on Wednesday, April 21st. Another hospital started receiving results on Friday, April 23rd. All hospitals were able to receive the secure e-mails but had difficulty downloading the WinZip file. Several attempts to troubleshoot and resolve the issue failed. A link for an evaluation copy of WinZip was sent to participants. Results transmission halted on April 28, 2010 until participants indicate they can open the zip files. As of April 30, 2010 two facilities* indicated they downloaded the WinZip program, opened the zip files, and received the NBS Results!

Three new hospital participation forms have been received; and a new set of instructions will be sent to all hospitals in the process of getting set up. We are changing the hospital name descriptions to match those in SIS.

Received confirmation from CDPH privacy officer that our security efforts are sound and there are no HIPPA issues remaining to address for this project.

Participant Readiness

ASC 93	K600 Kaiser Vallejo*
ASC 99	R421 JFK MH Indio *
ASC 96	R439 Mercy San Juan MC
ASC 98	R467 Community H San Bernardino
ASC 94	K729 Kaiser Woodland Hills
ASC 96	R055 Clovis Community MC
ASC 95	R362 Salinas Valley Mem H
ASC 95	R777 Stanford Univ MC
ASC 93	K788 Kaiser Roseville
ASC 97	R262 Pomona Valley H MC
ASC 98	R297 Torrance Memorial MC
ASC 94	K7457 Kaiser Fontana
ASC 99	PX01 Rady Childrens San Diego (no form yet)
ASC 97	TBD