

HQIC Office Hours – Infection Prevention Chats

Welcome!

- Please ask any questions in the chat
- Please actively participate in discussions
- Lines will be muted upon entry

We will get started shortly!

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Hospital Quality Improvement

Welcome from all of us!



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Format for IP Chats


- Open forum networking events to:
 - Build knowledge
 - Share experience
 - Provide IP support

Hello, My Name Is...

- Drop into the chat box
 - Name
 - State
 - Years in IP
 - If you could stay the same age forever, what age would that be and why?




International Infection Prevention Week





October 15 - 21, 2023


CELEBRATE the FUNDAMENTALS of





IP
INFECTION
PREVENTION

- 

HAND
HYGIENE
- 

CLEANING &
DISINFECTION
- 

VACCINATION
- 

PPE
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INJECTION
SAFETY

APIC Infection Prevention and You Resources

- infectionpreventionandyou.org
- IP Jeopardy game
- Infographics
- Updated consumer page



CMS Quality Reporting Program Deadline

- November 15 for CMS IQR for 2023 Quarter 2
- [NHSN Monthly Checklist for Reporting to CMS Hospital IQR \(cdc.gov\)](https://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/monthly-checklist-for-reporting-to-cms-hospital-iqr)
 - Device Associated
 - CAUTI – ICUs and adult/pediatric medical, surgical, and medical/surgical wards
 - CLABSI – ICUs and adult/pediatric medical, surgical, and medical/surgical wards
 - Lab ID
 - MRSA Blood Lab ID - FacWideIn and ED/Obs locations
 - C. diff Lab ID - FacWideIn and ED/Obs locations
 - Procedure Associated
 - HYST inpatient
 - COLO inpatient

CAUTI Prevention Compendium of Strategies Updates

- Essential practices
- Updates to the implementation of evidence-based appropriateness criteria for indwelling urethral catheter use
- Discussion of strategies for urine-culture stewardship and their impact on CAUTI rates
- Updated performance measures to highlight the effects of catheter harm in addition to CAUTI
- Discussion of limitations of external urinary catheters
- Additional approaches

CAUTI Prevention Compendium of Strategies Updates (continued)

- Considerations for injury from urinary catheter use (i.e., catheter harm) as well as non–non-catheter-associated urinary tract infections (e.g., UTIs associated with the use of alternative urinary collection devices such as external urinary catheters).
- An updated visual framework for “Disrupting the Life Cycle of Indwelling Urethral Catheter” has been provided to help identify where patient safety interventions can help reduce catheter-associated infection and trauma.
- Unresolved issues
- Standard of care for routine replacement of urinary catheters in place >30 days for the purpose of infection prevention.
- Best practices for optimizing and tailoring implementation of CAUTI prevention and urine-culture stewardship from the adult acute-care setting to the pediatric acute-care setting.

Hospital Sepsis Core Elements and Project Firstline

Hospital Sepsis Program Core Elements



Hospital Leadership Commitment

Dedicating the necessary human, financial, and information technology resources.



Accountability

Appointing a leader or co-leaders responsible for program goals and outcomes.



Multi-Professional Expertise

Engaging key partners throughout the hospital and healthcare system.



Action

Implementing structures and processes to improve the identification of, management of, and recovery from sepsis.



Tracking

Measuring sepsis epidemiology, management, and outcomes to assess the impact of sepsis initiatives and progress toward program goals.



Reporting

Providing information on sepsis management and outcomes to relevant partners.



Education

Providing sepsis education to healthcare professionals, patients, and family/caregivers.



<https://www.cdc.gov/sepsis/core-elements.html>

New Sepsis Core Elements Webinar Series with Free CE

The CDC's Project Firstline is kicking off a five-part webinar series to introduce the Hospital Sepsis Program Core Elements, a framework to help U.S. hospitals implement, monitor and optimize institutional sepsis programs and sepsis outcomes.

Each webinar topic is independent, and all webinars will be recorded.

Free continuing education will be offered upon successful completion of a post-test.

[Register Here](#)

Upcoming Sepsis Core Elements Webinars:

- [Action: November 2, 2023, at 1 p.m. ET](#)
- [Tracking and Reporting: November 16, 2023, at 1 p.m. ET](#)

NHSN ServiceNow

NHSN-ServiceNow is LIVE

Please submit NHSN questions in ServiceNow instead of using nhsn@cdc.gov, nhsntrain@cdc.gov, and nhsndua@cdc.gov. ServiceNow can be accessed through your SAMS account at <https://sams.cdc.gov/>.

Tickets requiring CDA support and AUR test files should continue to be emailed to nhsnCDA@cdc.gov until further notice. If you are unable to access ServiceNow, you can still email the NHSN Help Desk at nhsn@cdc.gov.

SAMS
secure access management services

Menu

- My Profile
- Manage Mobile Soft Token & Grid Card
- Logout

Links

- SAMS User Guide
- SAMS User FAQ
- Identity Verification Overview

My Applications

National Healthcare Safety Network System

- NHSN Reporting *

ServiceNow

- ServiceNow

* Strong credentials required.

NHSN ServiceNow

The screenshot shows the NHSN ServiceNow portal. At the top left is the CDC ServiceDesk logo. The user is logged in as an external partner, with a 'My Lists' dropdown menu. The main heading is 'External Partners Portal' with a search bar below it. A section titled 'Common Support Requests' contains eight cards, each with an icon and a description. The 'NHSN Customer Service' card is highlighted with a red border. The footer of the page reads 'Department of Health & Human Services'.

CDC ServiceDesk My Lists

Welcome [redacted],

External Partners Portal

Please Describe The Issue Below

All Search

Common Support Requests

- DHP Request**
Request support from Division of HIV Prevention support desk
- Division of Tuberculosis Elimination Support Request**
Submit a case to the DTBE support desk
- Enterprise Laboratory Information Management System Request**
Request support from the ELIMS support desk
- NHM&E Support Request**
Request support from the National HIV Monitoring and Evaluation support desk
- PIDS: Submit a Ticket**
Submit a ticket to the PIDS support desk
- PIDS: Support Request**
Request support for the PIDS support desk
- Office of Financial Resources Services**
Request assistance with queries related to payment processing, budget services, travel, and reimbursements
- NHSN Customer Service**
Request support from the NHSN Help Desk

Department of Health & Human Services

NHSN ServiceNow

The screenshot displays the NHSN (National Healthcare Safety Network) ServiceNow portal. At the top, the NHSN logo is centered, with the text "NATIONAL HEALTHCARE SAFETY NETWORK" below it. A horizontal navigation bar contains eight colored boxes, each representing a different component: Patient Safety Component (orange), Long-term Care Facility Component (purple), Outpatient Dialysis Component (green), Healthcare Personnel Safety Component (yellow), Biovigilance Component (light green), Outpatient Procedure Component (teal), Neonatal Component (blue), and Medication Safety Component (dark blue). Each box includes a small icon representing its category.

Below the navigation bar, a central "Create a Case" button is highlighted with a red border. The button features a red first-aid kit icon and the text "Create a Case" and "Create a Case to get help with your issue." Two large blue arrows point towards this button from the left and right sides.

Below the "Create a Case" button, there are three main content areas:

- Most Useful:** A list of articles, with the top one being "How to Reassign a Facility Administrator" by Schultz, Kelly (CDC/NCEZID/DHQP) (CTR), published 2 months ago, with 111 views and a 5-star rating.
- NHSN Featured Websites:** A list of links to various NHSN resources, including "NHSN Home Page", "NHSN Training", "NHSN Reports", and "NHSN Newsletters".
- Most Viewed Articles:** A list of popular articles, with the top one being "How to Reassign a Facility Administrator" with 111 views, and "How to Enroll a Facility for Dialysis Component" with 7 views.

NHSN ServiceNow

* Indicates required

Create a Case

Create a case to get help with an issue.

Submitter

Facility/Group ID

* Short Description

* Description

Attachment(s) must be less than 1 MB and must be one of the following supported file types: .pdf, .docx, .jpeg, .txt, .xlsx and .CSV

Component

Category



NHSN ServiceNow

- Select the component and category that apply to the issue or need
 - Examples:

* Component ?

Healthcare Personnel Safety ▼

* Category ?

COVID-19 Vaccination ▼

* Subcategory ?

General ▼

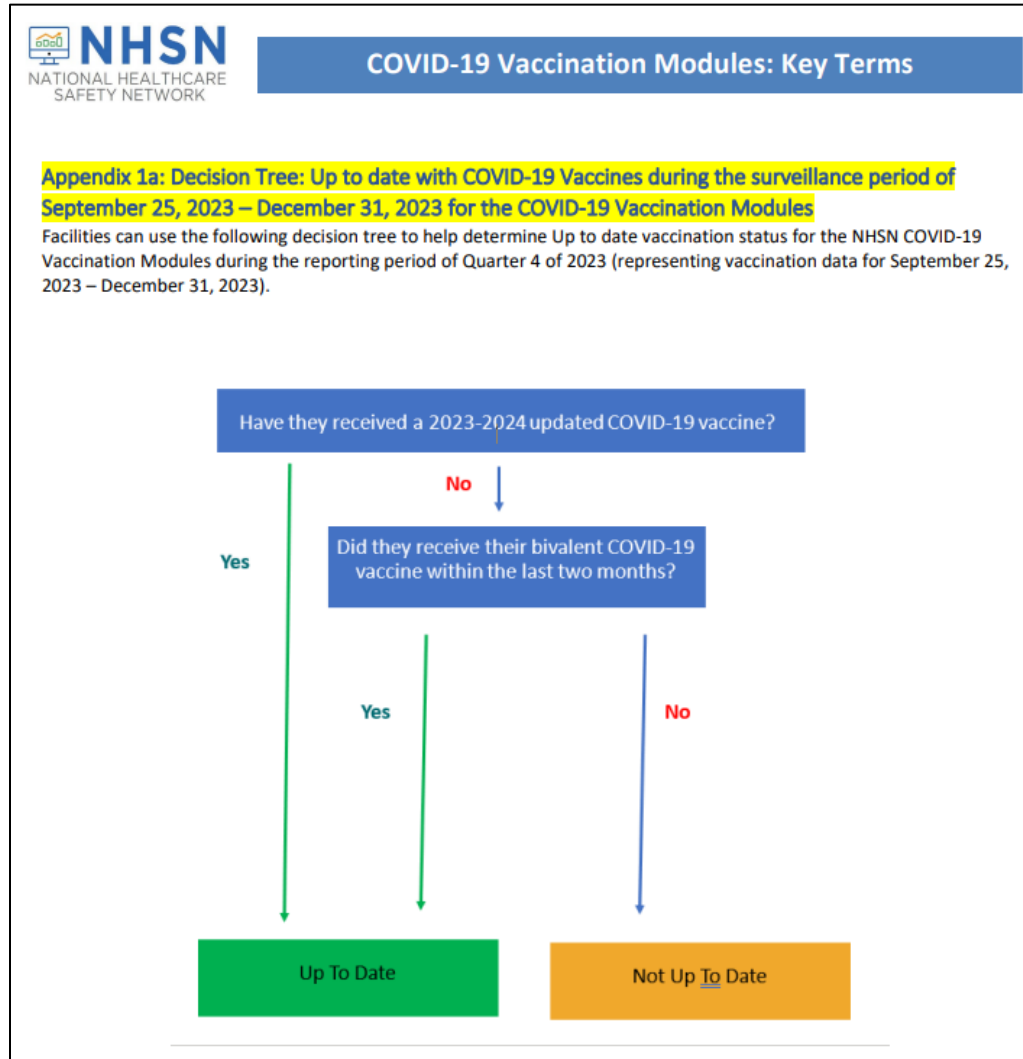
* Component ?

Patient Safety ▼

* Category ?

Analysis ▼

NHSN COVID-19 Vaccination Up To Date Decision Tree



- [UpTo Date Guidance Quarter 2 0f 2023 mockup 508 \(cdc.gov\)](#)
- Page 22

Updates for Submission of COVID-19 Vaccination Data

Facilities will continue to submit cumulative COVID-19 vaccination data to the HPS COVID-19 Vaccination Module. Data can be reported to this module in one of three ways:

1. Directly into the data entry screen of the COVID-19 Vaccination Module
2. Through .CSV upload into the Weekly COVID-19 Vaccination Module
3. As of September 2023, facilities can use the Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form to enter vaccination information on individual health care personnel (HCP). Click the “view reporting summary and submit” button to have the totals calculated for you and submitted to the COVID-19 Vaccination Module

HPS Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form

What is the HPS Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form?

- The Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form is an **optional tool** that can be used to report data to the NHSN Healthcare Personnel (HCP) COVID-19 Vaccination module
- Data on individual HCP are directly entered line by line in the optional Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination form or can be uploaded via a .CSV file
- **Makes reporting vaccination data easier and more efficient!**

HCP Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form

Changes in Reporting Definitions (cont.)

- Definition of up to date for NHSN surveillance may change
- Facilities should use the definitions outlined in the [Understanding Key Terms and Reporting Definitions](#) document each quarter:
 - [Understanding Key Terms and Reporting Definitions](#)
- Reporting periods for COVID-19 vaccination data (effective September 25, 2023):
 - Quarter 2 (October 1, 2023 - December 31, 2023)
 - Quarter 3 (January 1, 2024 - March 31, 2024)
 - Quarter 4 (April 1, 2024 - June 30, 2024)

The Person-level forms apply these definitions for you!

HPS Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form

Person-Level Vaccination Form: Up to Date Definition

- Updates beginning 9/25/23 will include:

- Adding the 2023-2024 updated COVID-19 vaccine for all doses



- Automatically classifying HCP according to the new definition beginning 9/25/23

- Changing any doses received from 9/12/23 – 9/24/23 to the 2023-2024 updated COVID-19 vaccine

- The bivalent Moderna and bivalent Pfizer vaccine are no longer FDA authorized as of 9/12/2023. Until 9/25, enter doses as bivalent. The system will update these for you on 9/25.

How To Enter Data: Person-Level Vaccination Form

Location of the Person-Level Vaccination Form

- To access the Person-Level Vaccination Form in the Healthcare Personnel Safety (HPS) component:
 - Navigate to the **COVID-19** tab on the NHSN homepage
 - Select **Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form for HCP**

The screenshot shows the NHSN - National Healthcare Safety Network interface. At the top, the CDC logo and text "Centers for Disease Control and Prevention CDC 24/7: Saving Lives, Protecting People™" are visible. Below this is the NHSN logo and the URL "https://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/pdfs/hps/covidvax/hps-nhsn-person-level-vaccination-sep-2023-508.pdf". The main content area is titled "Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form for HCP". It features a navigation menu on the left with options: NHSN Home, Alerts, Reporting Plan, HCW, Lab Test, Exposure, Prophyl/Treat, Import/Export, and COVID-19. The COVID-19 option is highlighted, and a tooltip points to "Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form for HCP". The main form area has buttons for "Add Row...", "View Reporting Summary & Submit...", and "Upload CSV...". Below these buttons is a table with the following structure:

| Required fields marked with * Conditionally required fields marked with ** | | |
|--|-------------------------|------------------|
| Duplicate Row | Unique HCP Identifier * | HCP First Name * |
| + | 12345 | |
| + | 2238 | |
| + | 8568 | |

How To Enter Data: Person-Level Vaccination Form

How to enter vaccination information for a new healthcare worker

- Click **+ Add Row** button
- A yellow section at the top of the form will appear to enter this individual's data
- Start by selecting the **"Find"** option to search for the Unique HCP Identifier from a list of healthcare workers who have previously had data submitted in NHSN via other Person-Level Forms, or start typing in the Identifier if you already know it



How To Enter Data: Person-Level Vaccination Form

How to enter vaccination information for a new healthcare worker (cont.)

| Facility ID | HCW ID | Last Name | First Name | Middle Name | Date of Birth |
|-------------|--------|-----------|------------|-------------|---------------|
| 10563 | FCDA | | | | |
| 10563 | ABCD | | | | |
| 10563 | 2238 | Freeman | Judy | | 07/13/1962 |
| 10563 | 12345 | | | | |
| 10563 | ABC | | | | |
| 10563 | 8568 | | | | |
| 10563 | HCW01 | | | | |

- If the Unique HCP Identifier already **exists** within the NHSN list, select the healthcare worker in the pop-up window and click **Select**
 - Demographic information will be filled in for you
- If the healthcare worker is **not** in the NHSN list, click **Cancel**
 - You will need to manually enter a new unique Identifier and demographic information



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How To Submit Data: Person-Level Vaccination Form

How to enter vaccination information for a new healthcare worker (cont.)

- In this example, this healthcare worker was already on the NHSN list, so the identifier and the demographics are filled in
- Enter vaccination information including the vaccination location type, the HCP category, vaccination dose dates, and vaccine manufacturers (or dates of declination or medical contraindication), and click **Save Row**

| Unique HCP Identifier * | HCP First Name * | HCP Last Name * | Gender ** | Date of Birth ** | Ethnicity ** | Race ** |
|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------|------------------|--------------------|-------------------------------|
| 2238 | Judy | Freeman | Female ▾ | 07/13/1962 | Hispanic or Latino | American Indian/Alaska Native |

| Vaccination location type * | HCP Category * | Dose 1 vaccination date ** | Dose 1 vaccine manufacturer name ** | Dose 2 vaccination date ** | Dose 2 vaccine manufacturer name ** | Medical contraindication date ** | Declination date ** | Declination reason | Unknown/other vaccination status Date ** | Dose 3 Date ** | Dose 3 Manufacturer ** |
|-----------------------------|-----------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------------------------|----------------------------------|---------------------|--------------------|--|----------------|---------------------------|
| Hospital * | Employees (staff on f | 01/01/2022 | Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 | 02/01/2022 | Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 | | | | | 06/01/2023 | Updated (Bivalent) Pfizer |

How To Submit Data: Person-Level Vaccination Form

How to submit data to the weekly reporting form

- When all rows of data are entered in the Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form and ready for submission, click the **View Reporting Summary & Submit** button

Person-Level COVID-19 Vaccination Form for HCP

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Add Row... View Reporting Summary & Submit... Upload CSV... Export CSV... Export SQL...

Required fields marked with * Conditionally required fields marked with **

| Duplicate Row | Unique HCP Identifier * | HCP First Name * | HCP Last Name * | Gender ** | Date of Birth ** |
|---------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------|------------------|
| + | 12345 | | | | |
| + | 2238 | | | | |
| + | 8568 | | | | |

Pro tip! Click out of the data field you just edited in order to save the data

How To Submit Data: Person-Level Vaccination Form

Reporting Summary Screen: Healthcare Personnel

View Reporting Summary & Submit...

Healthcare Personnel COVID-19 Vaccination Cumulative Summary
Person-Level Form

Facility ID#: _____

Vaccination type: **COVID19**

Week of data collection first day (Monday): 7/31/2023 - VACCHOSP (Never submitted) Re-submit all changed weeks

Week of data collection last day (Sunday): 08/06/2023

Select the week and vaccination location type for submission

| Cumulative Vaccination Coverage | Healthcare Personnel (HCP) Categories | | | | | |
|--|---------------------------------------|----------|---------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| | All Core HCP | All HCP | Employee HCP | Non-Employee HCP | | |
| | | | Employees (staff on facility payroll) | Licensed independent practitioners: Physicians, advanced practice nurses, & physician assistants | Adult students/trainees & volunteers | Other Contract Personnel |
| 1. *Number of HCP that were eligible to have worked at this healthcare facility for at least 1 day during the week of data collection | 5 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 2. *Cumulative number of HCP in Question #1 who have received complete primary series COVID-19 vaccine(s) at this facility or elsewhere since December 2020: | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 3. Cumulative number of HCP in Question #1 with other conditions: | | | | | | |
| 3.1 *Medical contraindication or exclusion to COVID-19 vaccine | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 3.2. *Offered but declined COVID-19 vaccine | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 3.3. *Unknown/other COVID-19 vaccination status | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 4. *Cumulative number of HCP in question #1 who are up to date with COVID-19 vaccines | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |

Review totals

Note: up to date totals are calculated by the application! Users do not need to apply the up to date definition themselves

3 Save and Submit Data Done



How To Submit Data: Person-Level Vaccination Form

The Reporting Summary screen feeds the aggregate weekly vaccination form when you click save and submit!

Reporting Summary

View Reporting Summary & Submit...

Healthcare Personnel COVID-19 Vaccination Cumulative Summary

Person-Level Form

Facility ID#: []


Vaccination type: COVID19

Week of data collection first day (Monday): 7/31/2023 - VACCHOSP Re-submit all changed weeks

Week of data collection last day (Sunday): 08/06/2023

| | Healthcare Personnel (HCP) Categories | | | | | |
|---|---------------------------------------|---------|---------------------------------------|--|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| | All Core HCP | All HCP | Employee HCP | Non-Employee HCP | | |
| | | | Employees (staff on facility payroll) | Licensed independent practitioners: Physicians, advanced practice nurses, & physician assistants | Adult students/trainees & volunteers | Other Contract Personnel |
| 1. *Number of HCP that were eligible to have worked at this healthcare facility for at least 1 day during the week of data collection | 5 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 2. *Cumulative number of HCP in series COVID-19 vaccine(s) at this facility | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 3. *Cumulative number of HCP in Question #1 with other conditions: | | | | | | |
| 3.1 *Medical contraindication or exclusion to COVID-19 vaccine | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 3.2 *Offered but declined COVID-19 vaccine | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 3.3 *Unknown/other COVID-19 vaccination status | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 4. *Cumulative number of HCP in question #1 who are up to date with COVID-19 vaccines | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |

Please review the current definition of up to date: [Key Terms and Up to Date Vaccination](#)



Feeds

Weekly Aggregate Form

Edit COVID-19 Vaccination Summary Data

Healthcare Personnel COVID-19 Vaccination Cumulative Summary for Non-Long-Term Care Facilities

Date Created: 08/18/2023 2:33PM
 Facility ID #: []
 Vaccination type: COVID19
 Location type: Hospital
 Facility CEN #: []

Week of Data Collection: 07/31/2023 - 08/06/2023 | Date Last Modified: 08/18/2023 2:35PM

| | Cumulative Vaccination Coverage | | | | | |
|---|---------------------------------|----------------------|--|---|---|---------------------------------------|
| | All Core HCP ^a | All HCP ^b | Employee HCP ^c | Non-Employee HCP ^d | | |
| | | | Employees (staff on facility payroll) ^e | Licensed independent practitioners: Physicians, advanced practice nurses, & physician assistants ^f | Adult students/trainees and volunteers ^g | Other Contract Personnel ^h |
| 1. *Number of HCP that were eligible to have worked at this healthcare facility for at least 1 day during the week of data collection | 5 | 6 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| 2. *Cumulative number of HCP in Question #1 who have received complete primary series ⁱ COVID-19 vaccine(s) at this facility or elsewhere since December 2020: | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 3. *Cumulative number of HCP in Question #1 with other conditions: | | | | | | |
| 3.1 *Medical contraindication to COVID-19 vaccine | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| 3.2 *Offered but declined COVID-19 vaccine | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 3.3 *Unknown/other COVID-19 vaccination status | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 4. *Cumulative number of HCP in question #1 who are up to date with COVID-19 vaccines | 3 | 3 | 2 | 1 | 0 | 0 |

Question 4 asks about individuals who are up to date. Please review the current definition of up to date: [Key Terms and Up to Date Vaccination](#)

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How To Submit Data: Person-Level Vaccination Form

Week of data collection: statuses in drop-down menu

1. **Never submitted** = Data for that reporting week have never been submitted by any form or reporting mechanism.
2. **Not eligible for submission using the person-level form** = Weeks already reported to the Weekly COVID-19 Vaccination Summary Module using the standard Weekly Summary form or standard Weekly Summary CSV upload (i.e., NOT via person-level form or person-level CSV) are not eligible for submission using the person-level vaccination form

View Reporting Summary & Submit...

| Healthcare Personnel COVID-19 Vaccination Cumulative Summary | |
|--|---|
| Person-Level Form | |
| Facility ID#: | |
| Vaccination type: | COVID19 |
| Week of data collection first day (Monday): | 8/14/2023 - VACCHOSP (Never submitted) Re-submit all changed weeks |
| Week of data collection last day (Sunday): | 5/22/2023 - VACCHOSP (Never submitted) |
| | 5/29/2023 - VACCHOSP (Never submitted) |
| | 6/5/2023 - VACCHOSP (Changed since submitted using the person-level form) |
| | 6/12/2023 - VACCHOSP (Changed since submitted using the person-level form) |
| | 6/19/2023 - VACCHOSP (Never submitted) |
| | 6/26/2023 - VACCHOSP (Never submitted) |
| | 7/3/2023 - VACCHOSP (Not eligible for submission using the person-level form) |
| | 7/10/2023 - VACCHOSP (Changed since submitted using the person-level form) |
| | 7/17/2023 - VACCHOSP (Changed since submitted using the person-level form) |
| | 7/24/2023 - VACCHOSP (Never submitted) |
| | 7/31/2023 - VACCHOSP |
| | 8/7/2023 - VACCHOSP (Changed since submitted using the person-level form) |
| | 8/14/2023 - VACCHOSP (Never submitted) |

How To Submit Data: Person-Level Vaccination Form

Week of data collection: statuses in drop-down menu (cont.)

3. Changed since submitted using the person-level form = Data for this reporting week have been modified since submitted; click the **Re-Submit all changed weeks** button and save

4. Blank/ no text next to date = You have already submitted data for this week using the Person-Level Form, and there have been no updates to the data since submission; no action needed.

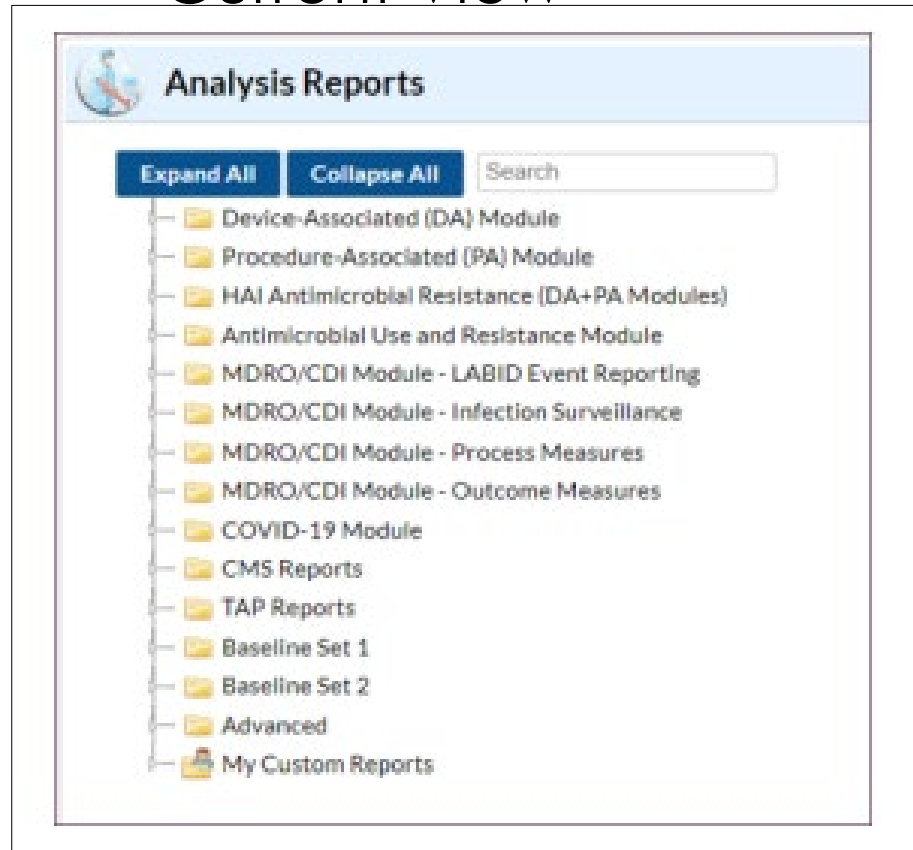
View Reporting Summary & Submit...

| Healthcare Personnel COVID-19 Vaccination Cumulative Summary | |
|--|---|
| Person-Level Form | |
| Facility ID#: | |
| Vaccination type: | COVID19 |
| Week of data collection first day (Monday): | 8/14/2023 - VACCHOSP (Never submitted) Re-submit all changed weeks |
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NHSN Analysis Updates

- [NHSN Patient Safety Analysis Treeview: 2023 Changes Quick Reference Guide \(cdc.gov\)](https://www.cdc.gov/nhsn/patient-safety-analysis-treeview-2023-changes-quick-reference-guide)

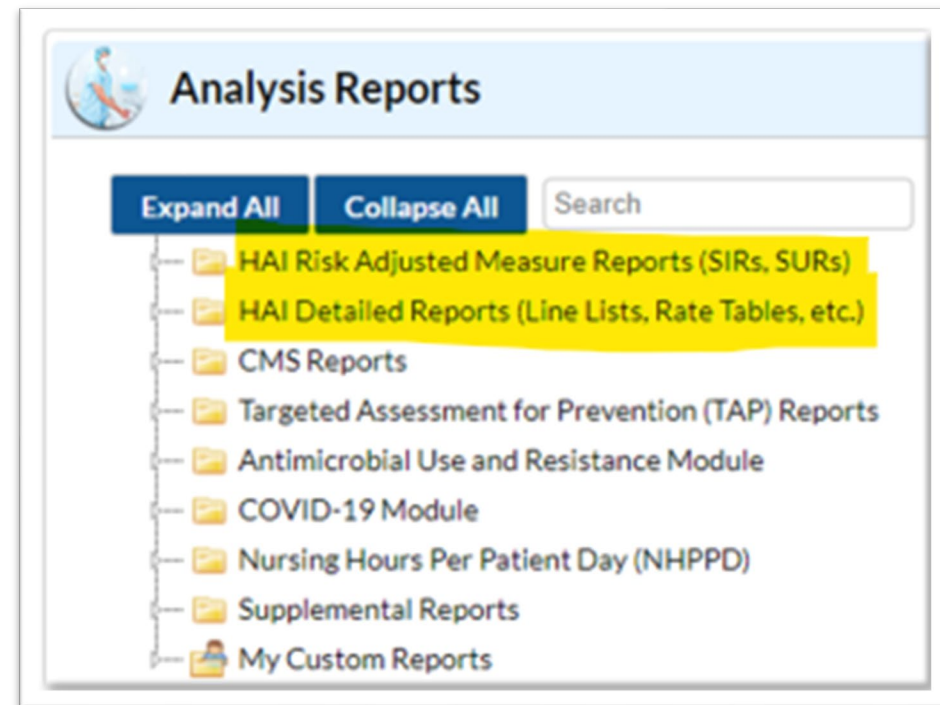
- Current View



The screenshot shows the 'Analysis Reports' interface with a search bar and 'Expand All' and 'Collapse All' buttons. The list of reports is expanded, showing a hierarchical structure of folders and reports.

- Device-Associated (DA) Module
- Procedure-Associated (PA) Module
- HAI Antimicrobial Resistance (DA+PA Modules)
- Antimicrobial Use and Resistance Module
- MDRO/CDI Module - LABID Event Reporting
- MDRO/CDI Module - Infection Surveillance
- MDRO/CDI Module - Process Measures
- MDRO/CDI Module - Outcome Measures
- COVID-19 Module
- CMS Reports
- TAP Reports
- Baseline Set 1
- Baseline Set 2
- Advanced
- My Custom Reports

- New View



The screenshot shows the 'Analysis Reports' interface with a search bar and 'Expand All' and 'Collapse All' buttons. The list of reports is collapsed, showing a simplified view of the report categories. The top two items are highlighted in yellow.

- HAI Risk Adjusted Measure Reports (SIRs, SURs)
- HAI Detailed Reports (Line Lists, Rate Tables, etc.)
- CMS Reports
- Targeted Assessment for Prevention (TAP) Reports
- Antimicrobial Use and Resistance Module
- COVID-19 Module
- Nursing Hours Per Patient Day (NHPPD)
- Supplemental Reports
- My Custom Reports

NHSN 2022 Rebaseline



NHSN will update the national baseline data that is used to calculate the standardized infection ratio (SIR) for healthcare-associated infections (HAI).



Current number of predicted HAIs and device days are calculated using the 2015 baseline and associated risk models.



Rebaseline will be complete by the end of 2024



Phased approach to update risk models, SIR, and SUR reports for:

HAIs
Devices
Facility types



[Learn more at 2022 Rebaseline | NHSN | CDC](#)

Upcoming NHSN Training Opportunities

- **Topic: HPS Person Level COVID-19 Vaccination General Training (Replay)**
 - When: Nov. 8, 2023, 2 p.m. ET (U.S. and Canada)
 - Register in advance for this webinar: https://cdc.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN_MHbwB92bQ-eo_qD8yahjhQ

- **Topic: Antimicrobial Use and Resistance (AUR) reporting**
 - When: Monday, October 30, 12-1 p.m. ET
 - Register in advance https://cdc.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN_ZMgWvgwxR8Sn3uz_sC6eng
 - When: Tuesday, December 5, 1-2 p.m. ET
 - Register in advance for this webinar: https://cdc.zoomgov.com/webinar/register/WN_M0ba-W2wS6KX4DNn4NbF_A

NHSN – Patient Safety Component “Ask The Expert Office Hours”



Monthly education events to “Ask the Expert”



Email announcements sent monthly, two weeks in advance, to all active patient safety component users

Subject: “Register for: NHSN Protocol and Training – Ask the Experts”

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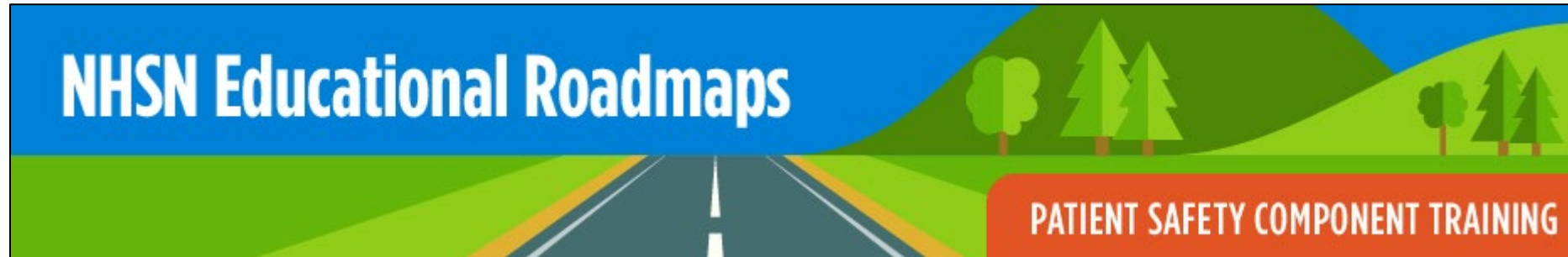
Audience: PSC users, targeted toward those who have been using NHSN less than three years

Topics:

November 17 – Chapter 17 – Specific infection type definitions

December 13 – UTI and Pneumonia

NHSN Educational Roadmaps



- Guided tour of NHSN Training materials including:
 - Applying NHSN protocols
 - Data reporting and entry
 - Begins with basic resources
 - Topics advance as learners progress
- [PSC Roadmap](#) | [NHSN Roadmap](#) | [NHSN](#) | [CDC](#)

Save the Date

- Alliant HQIC IP Chats are on 4th Wednesdays each quarter
- Registration Links will be available soon
- Save the dates for upcoming sessions:
 - January 24, 2024
 - April 24, 2024
 - July 24, 2024

SAVE THE DATE

We Want To Know....

What can we do to support you?

Drop into chat:

More sessions like this

Specific HAI focused events

More networking

Mentoring

1:1 coaching

Email support

Other

HQIC Goals



Behavioral Health Outcomes & Opioid Misuse

- ✓ Promote opioid best practices
 - ✓ Decrease high dose opioid prescribing and opioid adverse events in all settings
 - ✓ Increase access to behavioral health services
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Patient Safety

- ✓ Reduce risky medication combinations
 - ✓ Reduce adverse drug events
 - ✓ Reduce *C. diff* in all settings
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Quality of Care Transitions

- ✓ Convene community coalitions
- ✓ Identify and promote optimal care for super utilizers
- ✓ Reduce community-based adverse drug events

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