NEW JERSEY IMMUNIZATION INFORMATION SYSTEM (NJIIS)

Why participate?

Any health care provider, child care center, school, college or university, health plan, billing and practice management vendor, state or local public health, and agencies or designated agents thereof may participate in NJIIS. For healthcare practitioners (HCP), there is one more very important reason to enroll in NJIIS. Any HCP that immunizes children less than seven (7) years of age is required by State regulation to enroll as an authorized user of NJIIS and report vaccinations to NJIIS. Mandatory participation is stipulated in New Jersey Administrative Code, N.J.A.C. 8.

Practices that participate in the Vaccines for Children (VFC) Program are required to enter all VFC doses administered, regardless of the patient’s age, into NJIIS to demonstrate accountability for all doses of VFC vaccine. The HCP must report all doses administered to children less than seven years of age to NJIIS, regardless of funding source of the vaccine (VFC or private).

Who is eligible?

Medicaid and Non-Medicaid Providers who administer vaccines and want/need to connect with NJIIS are eligible.

Practices/Providers must have an Electronic Health Record application that is able to send HL7 Messages.

What can NJII do for participants?

NJII will work with the provider/practice in connecting to NJIIS electronically by assisting with enrollment, smoke test and reviewing critical errors until practice is critical error free and accepted into production by NJIIS.

NJII will also assist Practice/Provider in creating tickets in the NJIIS ticketing system to resolve issues as well as work with Practice/Provider’s EHR vendor in remediating technical issues.

Fees:

NJII and NJIIS do not charge a fee, but there may be a charge for the interface from the Practice/Provider’s Electronic Health Records Application (EHR).

Those interested in joining should contact njhin@njii.com or complete our online form.