
Subject: (NS) NS Immunization Extract from Accuro to Panorama

Dear Accuro Client,

Note: This notice does not apply to Accuro Billing-Only or Accuro Admin (Billing and Scheduling Only) clients.

The following information is being forwarded on behalf of the Nova Scotia Department of Health and Wellness.

QHR users:

Panorama is an electronic solution for Public Health specific to Communicable Diseases, Immunizations, Vaccine Inventory, and Outbreaks. The objective is a complete immunization registry of all sources of immunization data to track coverage rates and to provide a copy of immunization records to the public.

As you know, providers on QHR Accuro EMR currently report immunizations to Public Health manually via a monthly immunization report or paper-based reciprocal form. The Public Health Information Systems program, Department of Health and Wellness has worked with QHR Technologies to receive immunization extract submissions electronically and integrate with Panorama. The last step in this initiative is to have all clinics join this exciting Public Health milestone.

Effective immediately, the Department of Health and Wellness is directing providers to enable the NS Immunization Extract module and map the vaccines to the Public Health Immunizing Agent dropdown field to allow for the records to enter the Panorama.

Instructions on how your office can enable the module and map the vaccines can be found in the Immunization User Guide available at the following url:

[http://services.optimedsoftware.com/Manual/2017/#t=NS Immunization Extract User Guide.htm&rhtocid= 50 12](http://services.optimedsoftware.com/Manual/2017/#t=NS%20Immunization%20Extract%20User%20Guide.htm&rhtocid=5012) . The url to the Panorama Vaccine List can be found here: [https://support.novascotia.ca/sites/default/files/EMR-Panorama Vaccine List.pdf](https://support.novascotia.ca/sites/default/files/EMR-Panorama%20Vaccine%20List.pdf)

Once the module is enabled, your clinic will no longer be required to submit paper reciprocals or monthly report.

The Public Health Information Systems program will continue to work with QHR Technologies and provide data quality feedback.

If you have questions or concerns, please contact me. My information is below.

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