Requests for Immunization Records in ImpactSIIS, Ohio’s Immunization Registry

Immunization records are protected by medical confidentiality laws.

The Ohio Department of Health (ODH) recommends that you contact your health care provider for the records. As your provider they can verify your identity and provide a copy of your medical records, and they may have access to ImpactSIIS.

Another option is to turn to a local health department. All local health departments have access to ImpactSIIS. You can find a list of local health departments here.

You may have also at one time provided a copy of an immunization record to a camp, workplace, or school that could share that with you.

ODH staff cannot verify whether a patient record exists in ImpactSIIS solely on the basis of a phone or email request. We can release records, but first you must mail in a request with by an original signature— not a copy, fax, or email—on our Authorization to Release and a photo-copy of a government-issued ID that has a signature that we can compare.

The forms can be mailed to:

Immunization Program
Ohio Department of Health
246 N. High Street
Columbus, OH 43215

The paperwork cannot be emailed or faxed.

Reporting to the registry began in earnest in 2002; consequently, the likelihood of your immunization being in ImpactSIIS diminishes if it was administered before 2002.

Moreover, immunization reporting has always been voluntary, so the provider who administered your vaccine may not have reported that vaccine to ImpactSIIS.

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