California Neurodegenerative Disease Registry (CNDR) is California’s statewide population-based neurodegenerative disease surveillance system. On July 1, 2023, CNDR started collecting multiple sclerosis (MS) information. Over 99 percent of records are collected automatically from electronic medical record systems, which do not require additional reporting effort from providers.

**Highlights**

- A total of 26,890 MS records were reported to CNDR as of December 31, 2023. The first reporting deadline, covering July 1 – September 31, 2023, is March 31, 2024.
- CNDR data presented has not been deduplicated and does not account for misdiagnosed or unreported cases to the registry.
- CNDR is hosting Technical Advice Group (TAG) meetings with stakeholders/subject matter experts that focus on four broad areas: 1) data use, 2) data collection, 3) disease case definitions, and 4) value of the registry. Specified TAG meetings will occur at least once a year beginning in summer 2024.
- One of the amendments to HSC 103871 made by Assembly Bill 424 (2023) was adding the following words, “...include, but not be limited to, amyotrophic lateral sclerosis also known as Lou Gehrig’s disease” in section (b).