



Electronic Case Reporting (eCR)

WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW



What?

Electronic Case Reporting (eCR) is the automatic reporting of notifiable conditions directly from a provider's electronic health record (EHR) system to local and state public health authorities.



When?

Eligible providers may register their intent to submit eCR beginning January 1, 2018 via the [CDPH HIE Gateway](#). eCR pilot implementation in CalREDIE will begin in 2018.



Why?

- Decrease the burden of reporting for providers.
- Decrease the burden of data entry for local health department (LHD) staff.
- Increase timeliness and accuracy of reporting to public health agencies.
- Earlier detection of outbreaks.

HOW TO GET STARTED



Local Health Departments

- Share eCR developments with providers in your LHD.
- Direct stakeholders to the [CalREDIE eCR Informational Webpage](#).
- Stay informed about CalREDIE eCR related updates and developments.



Healthcare Providers

- Contact your EHR vendor or IT analyst to determine if the EHR system can transmit an eICR in conformance with [HL7 CDA® R2 Implementation Guide: Public Health Case Report, Release 2 - US Realm - the Electronic Initial Case Report \(eICR\)](#)
- Discuss adopting electronic case reporting at your facility.
- Contact CalREDIE to verify if you are ready to register for eCR.



Questions?

Contact the CalREDIE Help Desk with any questions at CalREDIEHelp@cdph.ca.gov OR at 1-866-866-1428

Visit our CalREDIE [eCR FAQs](#) for additional information.