



In Tennessee, the onboarding process to exchange data with the Tennessee Department of Health (TDH) begins when a potential trading partner registers with TDH, expressing their intent to exchange data electronically.

The Trading Partner Registration (TPR) system allows potential trading partners to register for Immunization Messaging, Cancer Case Reporting, Electronic Laboratory Reporting (ELR), and Syndromic Surveillance Messaging (*eligible hospitals w/emergency room*) in one location. TPR provides documentation that can be utilized for Meaningful Use attestation and allows users to view their progress from start to finish through the use of milestone letters documenting onboarding progress.

Also displayed within the TPR organizational profiles are requests for action. Potential trading partners are expected to provide valid responses to requests for action in order to move the trading partner into production status. TDH reserves the right to discontinue onboarding activities with any trading partner, at any time, in the event of consistent problems associated with TDH reporting requirements and/or meeting file specifications in accordance with published national standards.

TPR Webinars are scheduled for the following dates and times:

- Friday, August 26<sup>th</sup>, 3:00 PM-4:00 PM Central Time
- Wednesday, September 7<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 AM-10:00 AM Central Time
- Friday, September 23<sup>rd</sup>, 3:00 PM-4:00 PM Central Time
- Monday, October 10<sup>th</sup>, 9:00 AM-10:00 AM Central Time
- Tuesday, October 25<sup>th</sup>, 12:30 PM-1:30 PM Central Time

To receive the TPR webinar details, you **must** complete the online registration form found at <http://tn.gov/health/calendar/meaningful-use>. If the requested date/time is available, you will receive an email invitation with the conference phone number and webinar link. If you do not receive an email within 3-4 days after registration, send an email to the TDH Meaningful Use Coordinator at [MU.Health@tn.gov](mailto:MU.Health@tn.gov). Contact the Meaningful Use Coordinator for additional training options.

If you would like to learn more about the Public Health Meaningful Use objectives in Tennessee, visit the TDH Meaningful Use web page at <http://tn.gov/health/topic/meaningful-use-summary>.