

Introduction to the Washington State Immunization Information System (WAIS)

This document includes answers to questions asked during the Introduction to the WAIS webinar.

Question 1: When will the IIS transition interfaces to the OneHealthPort Health Information Exchange (HIE)?

All new interfaces are expected to go through the HIE to send data from an electronic health record (EHR) to the IIS. Existing interfaces are in the process of being transitioned to go through the HIE. If an organization switches to a new EHR system this is considered a new interface and is expected to go through the HIE.

Please see the following resources for more information about the HIE and data exchange with the Department of Health:

- [DOH Leveraging of Health Information Exchange](#)
- [OneHealthPort Health Information Exchange](#)

For questions about data exchange and the HIE, please email IISDataExchange@doh.wa.gov.

Question 2: How can I access more information about the IIS or receive a demonstration of various IIS tools?

You can view the [searchable library of IIS training guides](#) and the [IIS YouTube playlist](#) that includes recorded webinars and short tutorial videos. You can also request an IIS training for your organization or facility by emailing IIS.Training@doh.wa.gov.