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Dear NBS Users,

As part of our ongoing efforts to ensure compliance with Indiana Administrative Code (IAC) 410 16-41-8-1 and other regulatory requirements, we are implementing changes to NBS user access and functionalities, effective Feb. 17. These changes impact hospital and healthcare providers, as well as local health department (LHD) users, to ensure proper handling of public health surveillance data.

Key Changes

Hospital and healthcare providers

- Providers will no longer be able to edit morbidity reports after submission
- Providers will no longer be able to view morbidity reports they have submitted, including those submitted by other users within their facility
- Providers will no longer have access to the reporting feature that previously allowed extraction of NBS data
- For latent tuberculosis infection (LTBI) reporting, providers must now submit LTBI cases as morbidity reports rather than investigations

LHD users

- For STI and MPOX cases, LHD users will also experience the following changes:
 - Users will no longer be able to edit morbidity reports after submission
 - Users will no longer be able to view reports submitted by others, depending on their permission set
 - Some LHD users may retain expanded access based on their designated role and responsibilities

These updates are necessary to ensure compliance with state laws and public health surveillance standards while maintaining data security and confidentiality. NBS is a public health surveillance system, and these modifications align with legal guidelines for data access and management. We recognize these changes may impact existing workflows. If you have any questions or concerns, please contact the NBS/Surveillance team at NBS@health.in.gov or contact your district field epidemiologist. Additional resources and information can also be found on our [website](#).

Thank you for your cooperation in ensuring compliance with state regulations and best practices.

NBS/Surveillance Team

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