

Regarding Requests for Immunization Records from ImpactSIIS, Ohio's Immunization Registry

Due to medical confidentiality laws, Ohio Department of Health (ODH) staff cannot verify whether a patient record exists in ImpactSIIS solely on the basis of a phone or email request. Reporting to the registry began in roughly 2002 and has always been voluntary, so many immunizations administered in Ohio were never reported.

ODH recommends that you contact your health care provider for the records. As your provider they can verify your identity and provide a copy of your medical records, and they may have access to ImpactSIIS.

Another option is to turn to a local health department. All local health departments have access to ImpactSIIS. You can find a list of local health departments [here](#).

You may have also at one time provided a copy of an immunization record to a school, workplace, or camp that could share that with you.

We can release records, but first you must mail in a request with an original signature on our [Authorization to Release](#) form **and** a photo-copy of a government-issued ID that has a signature that we can compare.