

# Batch FTP Production and Ongoing Submission

## Introduction

This companion job aide supplements the [Batch FTP Production and Ongoing Submission Webinar](#). This aide provides an overview of FTP Production, its requirements, historical load, and ongoing submission.

## Terminology

- **DQA:** Data Quality Assurance
- **EHR:** Electronic Health Records
- **FTP:** File Transfer Protocol
- **Production:** Data exchange connection to the Registry is live
- **Registry:** Texas Immunization Registry

## Production & Ongoing Submission Overview

### *Overview of Production and Ongoing Submission.*

Production and Ongoing Submission of Data are the final steps of establishing data exchange.

- **Production:** Error free patient records sent to the registry are added to ImmTrac2
- **Ongoing Submission of Data:** Routine activities for monitoring and maintaining data exchange with the registry

## Pre-Production Requirements

### *Overview of Requirements for FTP Production & Ongoing Submission.*

#### Successfully complete Data Exchange testing:

- Submit three to five error free test files
- Request review by the Registry
- Receive Production email

## Production

### *Overview of Production for FTP.*

- Data exchange connect is live with the Registry
- Send only true patient data
- Notify EHR vendor
- Notify Registry of first Production file

## Historical Load

### *Overview of Historical Load.*

- One-time submission of historical records
- Flesh-out patient records
- Ask your EHR vendor
  - Can your EHR send a historical load?
  - How far back can it go?

## Ongoing Submission

### *Overview of Ongoing Submission.*

- Deliver files on a routine schedule
  - **At least once a month**
  - **Daily submissions allowed**
- Regularly monitor DQA reports for errors
- Address all errors
- Take ownership of data quality for your patients

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