



NV DIRECT -- DIRECT SECURE MESSAGING (DSM)

Connectivity Grant from DHHS through the NSMA
available to the first 200 qualifying participants to enroll.

Not just secure email –

- NV DIRECT provides secure, encrypted, HIPAA and standards compliant messaging.
- Messaging can **ONLY** be done with other DIRECT participants who complete the identity verification requirements, as you have.
- NV DIRECT supports meaningful use requirements.

Ease of Use --

- No additional software to be downloaded or purchased, no additional hardware to buy.
- Login to your account from a supported internet browser.
- Read new email, create new email message, attach documents, request read receipt.

Uses include: patient referrals, care coordination, discharge planning, requesting information from another physician.

No More Faxing. Send information through email directly to the intended recipient. Exchange notes, attachments, and respond to colleague's questions directly.

Don't delay ... register today! Remember to invite your colleagues, as messages may only be sent to other DIRECT users.

Ready to Enroll? Visit <http://dhhs.nv.gov/NVDIRECT.htm>

READY TO SIGN UP?

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And follow these steps:

Step 1: Complete application

- Required information includes: NPI, applicable medical license #, Nevada Business License #.
- One application per organization, no matter how many participants.
- Identity verification is critical to maintain the integrity of the system and must be completed either by a notary or DHHS authorized individual/entity.

Step 2: Read, agree, and sign participant agreement

- This document details the responsibilities of the DIRECT Secure Messaging Service provider, DHHS and you.

Step 3: Return enrollment package to DHHS, Office of Health IT

- First 200 qualifying participants receive waiver of initial subscription fee of \$125, via a connectivity grant from DHHS through NSMA.

Step 4: Provide Certificates of Insurance as required by the Participant Agreement.

Step 5: Receive DIRECT welcome package, DIRECT individual email address LOGIN and user guide.

Step 6: Communicate with other DIRECT participants

- Refer patients to specialist
- Coordinate patient care among physicians
- Coordinate a patient discharge plan

Step 7: Complete and return Attestation form

- Attestation of successful messaging of clinical care decisions via NV DIRECT (required by federal grant).

Need more information? Visit the DHHS/Office of Health IT website at: <http://dhhs.nv.gov/hit.htm>

Still have questions? Contact the NV DIRECT Help Desk at 775.684.7591, M-F 8am – 5pm Pacific or via email at megan.may@dhhs.nv.gov