

From: NHSN (CDC)
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To: All NHSN Users
Subject: NHSN Version 8.3 Now Available



Dear NHSN Users,

NHSN version 8.3 was released this weekend. There have been many changes made to the NHSN Components, including revised definitions, criteria, and reporting requirements. These updates will affect almost all NHSN facilities, including those that submit data electronically into NHSN via CDA and those who use the Group function. Please carefully review the attached release notes for important details about the changes found in NHSN version 8.3. Also, please pay special attention to the update on the definitions for NHSN inpatient and outpatient operative procedures on Page 2 of the attached document.

NOTE: Due to the changes in NHSN 8.3, users who wish to analyze data must regenerate datasets prior to running any of the Analysis Output Options.

As always, if you have questions, please send them to NHSN@cdc.gov.

Sincerely,

The NHSN Team