UPDATES for *August 2019*

- The EHR team has spiral bound manuals for CureMD users and will hand-mail them to any county in need. The manual is a quick reference for various tasks performed by our clerical staff and providers. To request a manual, call Victoria at 334-206-9470 or email Victoria.brady@adph.state.al.us.

- Wilcox and Houston counties have made the transition into full Production for injections and historical vaccines. This means their staff will enter injections and historical vaccines directly into CureMD and from there they will be transmitted to ImmPRINT. The EHR team will visit the remaining counties in the Southwestern district within the next few weeks to help make the transition go as smoothly as possible and then they will move on to the Southeastern district.

- The CureMD team has been investigating ways to eliminate the creation of duplicate charts. When this has been fully vetted, the EHR team will share the agreed upon strategy with county staff members.

- The Account Balance write-off was finished on July 26.

- The Izenda reports generated in CureMD are being refined to better meet the needs of ADPH. Watch for updates in future issues of the Bulletin.

- The EHR team has hired a Nurse Coordinator. Mrs. Teresa Stinson, RN is training in the use of CureMD and is a valuable new member of the EHR team. Teresa came to us from Medicaid. County staff members will have an opportunity to get to know her soon and she is looking forward to assisting you with questions and concerns. Teresa may be reached at 334-206-9469 or Teresa.stinson@adph.state.al.us

- We ask that the county staff please always ask the patient for ID and verify all patient demographic information for every visit.

- Please do not create test patients in CureMD.

- Clerical staff please scan the entire card for drivers license and insurance or Medicaid and do not crop the image. All the information on the card should show as well as the photo.

- EHR Bulletins are posted to http://www.alabamapublichealth.gov/ehr/index.html for quick review and may be shared with anyone interested in the EHR process.