





Case Investigation – Assign/Transfer to another jurisdiction – IOM WS	Name of Activity: Case Investigation – 1. Assigning 2. Transferring responsibility of Case Investigation to a different Responsible Organization within SK. 8. Receiving an investigation. Role performing Activity:			
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Lab received in one Org (Organization= Former RHA or First Nation) (follow-up may or may not have begun) and now responsibility is being assigned/transferred to a different Org within SK.

- 1. Update client demographics, including ORG and physical address/set 'address at time of infection'.
- 2. Update investigation responsible ORG and investigator Workgroup (see below)
- **3.** Fax notification of Investigation transfer to receiving public health office.

Essential Tasks:

- 1. Assigning (1st touch) when a lab is received that is the responsibility of another Org:
 - ➤ The Org who initially receives the lab will **create the investigation** adding the additional appropriate responsible Org (See Policy Creation of Panorama investigation and Lab entry), (See Create Investigation IOM WS)
 - Note: select disposition as Pending.
 - > Enter lab in Panorama and upload copy (See Lab Quick Entry IOM WS)
 - > Send notification to appropriate Org (See Fax Notification of CD Investigation within Saskatchewan Health Authority IOM WS)
 - ➤ Receiving (New) org will -1 change the primary investigator to themselves, 2 delete the sending responsible org (if they did not contribute to the investigation follow up) 3 New Org must change the disposition once the investigation is received/accepted.

2. Transferring – when an investigation is identified to be the responsibility of a different Org after follow-up has begun: Set Client in context

LHN > SUBJECT > CLIENT DETAILS > Client Demographics

- Click on radio button to the left of the current health region and click "Update" (if applicable)
 - End date the current org (The end date has to be one day before the new organizations Effective from date)
 - o Click on "Apply button then save
 - o Click on the "Add" button then type in the new "Health Region Organization"
 - Click on "Apply" button then save
 - o This refers to where the client is currently residing
- Click on "Add" Button to enter new telephone and address as needed
 - Click on "Apply" Button
- Click on "Add" Button to enter new address as needed
 - Click on "Apply" Button
 - Click on "Set as Preferred" Button if applicable

If the Client is no longer residing at an address:

- ➤ Click on radio button beside address no longer residing at If applicable
 - o Click on "Update" Button
 - o Enter in date client no longer effectively resides at that location

Click on "Apply" Button

Click on "Save" Button

3. LHN > INVESTIGATION > SUBJECT SUMMARY

- Click on Investigation ID hyperlink of investigation to be transferred
 - This will put the investigation into context

4. | LHN > INVESTIGATION > INVESTIGATION DETAILS > RESP. ORG/INVESTIGATOR

Responsible / Organization Investigator screen will open

To add a new/additional Responsible Organization:

- Select receiving Responsible Organization from drop down list
- Select Responsible Organization Workgroup from drop down list "Workgroup"
- Select Responsible Organization Date
 - o **NOTE:** This will be the date the new responsible organization is assigned
- Click on "Add Organization" Button
- Scroll down to bottom of page

To end date original (transferring) primary investigator:

- Scroll to bottom of page and Select radio button beside current primary investigator
- Click on "Update" button
- > Select end date for original investigator organization under "Investigator" Heading
- Click on "Apply Update" Button (do not save yet!)

5. To Add Primary Investigator Type to receiving Organization:

- Scroll to "Investigator" Heading
- Select new Investigator Type from drop down list as "Primary"
- Select Investigator Organization name of new primary investigator from drop down list
- Select Investigator Workgroup from drop down "Workgroup"
- Investigator Name DO NOT USE
- Select Assigned date
 - NOTE: This is the date the new responsible organization is assigned
- Click on "ADD" Button
- NOW Click on "SAVE" Button

NOTE: There must always be a primary investigator assigned to a case investigation, therefore the end date of one will be the same as the assigned date of the next (ie. can't be the day before).

6. NOTE: When transferring, change disposition to 'PENDING'.

LHN > INVESTIGATION > INVESTIGATION DETAILS > INVESTIGATION INFORMATION

- Select disposition from drop down list as "Pending"
 - **NOTE:** New Responsible Organization must change the disposition to something other than 'pending' once accepted.
- > Enter disposition date as date of transfer will be prepopulated to today's date
- > Select appropriate 'Client address at time of the infection' from drop down list. This is the address for reporting might not be their new or current address.
 - NOTE: based on rules of residency -CD Manual Chp 10
- ➤ NOTE: Diagnosis section is to be used for AIDS cases only! For all other diseases leave blank.
- Click on "Save" Button
- 7. Send FAX Notification to new responsible ORG
 - ➤ See: FAX Communicable Disease & STBBI Notification

NOTE: Change the disposition to pending when transfering responsibilty. See Case investigation – Updating – IOM WS

NOTE: When the new Org accepts responsibility, they must change the disposition – this will allow searches for investigations with pending as a disposition providing a audit to ensure the transfer was received. NOTE: If referring contacts who do not have an investigation – include the index case inv ID # for the contact follow up work to be uploaded by the org doing the follow up (if they are not documenting an electronic contact record already)

8. Receiving a transferred *Panorama investigation* from a different org in SK

- Fax Communicable Disease & STBBI Notification arrives
 - Review the fax sheet and any attached documents (NOTE: whenever possible sender will scan and upload documents into the investigation rather than attaching to fax notification. (exceptions include; there is no investigation (contact) or resources (staff or equipment not available to do so.
- Search investigation/client using provided ID #.
- Change disposition to something other than 'Pending'.
- Review client demographics to ensure up to date
- Review Resp/org list and Investigator Org (Primary) is accurate

Receiving a Contact referral (does not qualify for a Panorama investigation)

- Fax Communicable Disease & STBBI Notification arrives with paper contact referral info attached
- Complete contact follow up
- > Scan and upload contact follow up outcomes into index case investigation (index case inv ID # should have been provided on the fax notification form)