

# Instructions for Accessing and Completing Post Secondary Immunization Survey 2024- 2025

Please log on to the Health Commerce System (HCS) at:

<https://commerce.health.ny.gov/>

to verify that your account is active.

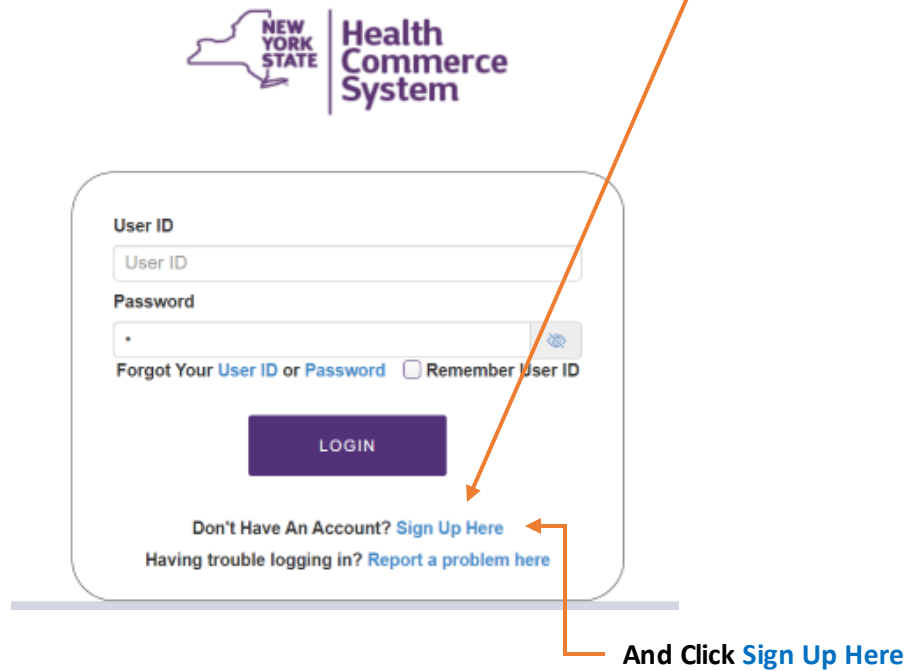
When you click the above link it will take you to a screen that looks like this:

A screenshot of the login page for the Health Commerce System. The page is white with a rounded rectangular border. At the top left, it says "User ID" above a text input field containing "User ID". Below that, it says "Password" above a text input field containing a single asterisk. To the right of the password field is a small blue icon of a person. Below the password field, there is a link "Forgot Your User ID or Password" and a checkbox labeled "Remember User ID". In the center is a purple button with the word "LOGIN" in white. At the bottom, there are two links: "Don't Have An Account? Sign Up Here" and "Having trouble logging in? Report a problem here".

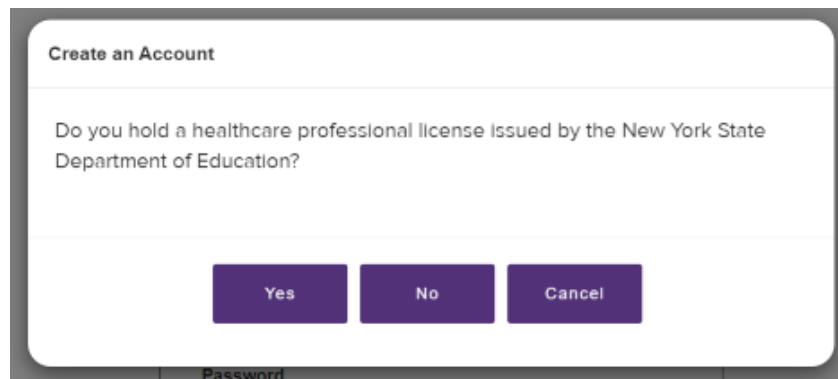
Enter your user ID and Password in the appropriate boxes and LOGIN if you have an account.

**If you already have an account in HCS and can log in without any issues, skip to Page [10](#) for survey instructions.**

**Can not log into HCS and Need to Create a New User Account?**



**When you click the Sign Up Here hyper link it will take you to a screen that looks like this:**



**Answer the question as appropriate.**

Click the Hyperlink to show you how the two-step process works:

[New HCS Account \(ny.gov\)](#)

The Hyperlink will take you to a page that looks like this:

**New HCS User Account**

**Need a Health Commerce System (HCS) account? Follow these steps (Register only once):**

- Create your unique User ID and set up Security Questions.
- Go to your HCS Coordinator with your user ID and valid photo ID for verification.
- Set your password and login.

**FIRST—The New User will...**

**A. Create User ID & Set Up Security Questions**

- Go to <https://commerce.health.state.ny.us>
- Click **Sign Up Here**
- Click **No** (I do not hold a healthcare professional license issued by the NYS Department of Education)
- Click here to register for an account (for non medical professionals)**
- Create/Enter a unique User ID
- Enter your First Name, Last Name and Email Address  
**NOTE: Name is same as it is on your Photo ID**
- Click the **User Security and Use Policy** link and review
- Check the box to confirm you read and understand the Security and Use Policy
- Click **Continue**
- Answer six (6) Security Questions and click **Save**
- Confirm: Step 1 Success message  
You will receive two emails from [camu@health.ny.gov](mailto:camu@health.ny.gov):  
"HCS Self Registration Account Created for <user ID>" and  
"HCS security questions and answers have been changed for <user ID>."  
**Check junk mail if not received.**
- Go to your organization's HCS coordinator** with your <user ID> and a valid photo ID e.g. NYS DMV Driver's License, NYS DMV Non-driver Photo ID, Passport, Unexpired Foreign Passport, US Driver's license (out-of-state users), etc.

**SECOND—The HCS Coordinator will...**

**B. Affiliate you with the organization**

- Login the HCS
- Click **Coord Account Tools - HCS** under My Applications
- Scroll down to **Request an account for a... User**
- Click **User**
- Select your organization from the list
- Enter the user's HCS ID and click **Next**
- Select option: **NYS Photo ID** or **Non NYS Photo ID**  
**NOTE: The information must match exactly. If the ID is not a NYS driver license, please enter the out-of-state ID number in the Non NYS ID Value field.**
- Complete user's information based on photo ID and click **Next**
- Enter the user's business contact information and click **Submit** Confirm confirmation message "**Registration Success**" displays
- Instruct the *newly* enrolled user to look for "Congratulations! You are enrolled on the HCS" email. This contains their link to set their password. *Existing users do not need to reset password.*

**User Sets Password & Logs in...**

**C. Set your password** upon receipt of "Congratulations! You are enrolled on the Health Commerce System (HCS)" email:

- Click the link in your email **Note: Only newly enrolled users will receive an email; existing users will not.**
- Enter your user ID
- Click **Continue**
- From the Forgot your Password? screen, click one option e.g. [Reset my password using my NYS Driver License or NYS Non-Driver Photo ID](#) or for out-of-state users: [Reset my password using my security question answers](#)
- Enter your user ID and NYS DMV or security questions info, etc. and **Login** to HCS.

\* If you do not know your HCS Coordinator, please call the Commerce Accounts Management Unit (CAMU) at 1-866-529-1890 option 1 (M-F 8am-4:45pm) Revised Oct 2023

Your job as a new user is to set up a new user account.

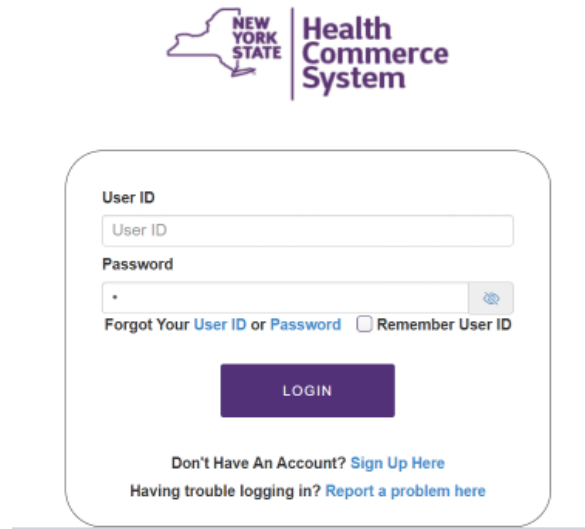
Once your new user account is set up, it's up to the HCS Coordinator to request your account to be activated and assign your role or roles.

## Assigning Roles by the HCS Coordinator:

Log onto the HCS.

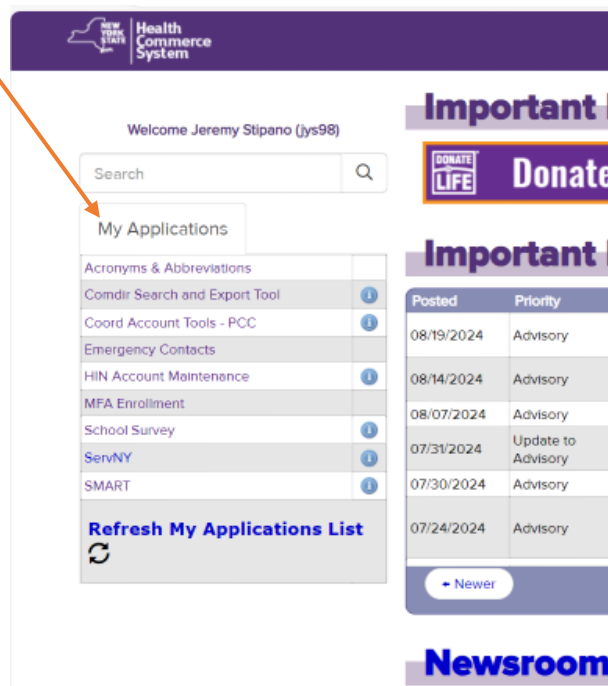
<https://commerce.health.ny.gov/>

When you click the above link above it will take you to a screen that looks like this:




Enter your user ID and Password in the appropriate boxes and **LOGIN**.

Once you're logged in to HCS **look to the left side of the computer screen**. You're looking for a header that says **My Applications**. From there you need to scroll down the list and find a hyper link titled **Coordinator's Update Tool**.



Posted	Priority
08/19/2024	Advisory
08/14/2024	Advisory
08/07/2024	Advisory
07/31/2024	Update to Advisory
07/30/2024	Advisory
07/24/2024	Advisory

Scroll down that list you're looking for the Coordinator's Update Tool

To go to the next screen, click on this icon  to far right.

My Applications	
Acronyms & Abbreviations	
Application Access	
Cancer Data Entry - Physicians	
Comdir Search and Export Tool	
Contact Tracing Perm Granting	
Content Submission Tool	
Coord Account Tools - HCS	
Coord Account Tools - PCC	
Coordinator's Update Tool	
COVID-19 Vaccine Enrollment	
ECLRS	
Emergency Contacts	
Form Builder	
HIN Account Maintenance	
IHANS	
MFA Enrollment	
NYSIIS - Production	
NYSIIS - Training	
NYSIIS-Development	
Person Update Tool	
School Survey	
ServNY	
SMART	

The next screen you will see looks like the image below:

Coordinator's Update Tool

Main Menu

Please select an organization for which you are a coordinator

[Your Institution]

Select

- OR -

Please select a proxy organization for which you are a coordinator

<input type="radio"/> Emergency Volunteers - County
<input type="radio"/> Fire Districts
<input type="radio"/> Multi-County Coordinated Applications
<input type="radio"/> Account access - Limited
<input type="radio"/> EMS Services
<input type="radio"/> Early Intervention Provider
Select

name.  
Step 4

Send questions or comments to  
[Communications Directory Help](#)

**Choose Your Institution and click on Select.**

Please select an organization for which you are a coordinator

[Your Institution]

Select

Enlargement of Above Picture to show details.

When you click on select the next screen you will see is this one. You will want to find the tab at the top of the screen in blue titled Manage Role Assignments.

Next: Click on **Manage Role Assignments**.

**Coordinator's Update Tool**

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Main Page
Location
Manage People
Organizational Offices
Manage Role Assignments
Reports
Add a New Person
Special Accounts

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**Form Name:**  
Location Information for *NYSDOH Center for Community Health*

Primary ID: 6307	Secondary ID: NYSDOH	Org Type: NYSDOH CCH
Name: NYSDOH Center for Community Health		
*Addr. Line 1	Coming Tower 1415	
Addr. Line 2	Empire State Plaza	
*Town or City	Albany	Albany County <small>Not NYS Albany</small>
*State or Province	NY	*Country: USA
Postal Code	12237	
Phone	518-402-5382	Fax: 518-406-1465
Changed On	04/05/2022	Changed By: rxs14 <span style="color: red;">* required field(s)</span>

[Modify](#) [Reset](#)

Click here to **Modify Role Assignments**

Step 5

**Role Assignments**

Select a Role to Assign/Modify  
for *NYSDOH Center for Community Health*

Role Description	Person in Role?	Modify Role Assignments
<a href="#">CCH Director</a>	Yes	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">CCH Logistics Chief</a>	No	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">CCH/DCDPAH Logistics Chief</a>	Yes	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">CCH/DEPI Logistics Chief</a>	No	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">CCH/DFH Finance Chief</a>	No	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">CCH/DFH Operations Chief</a>	No	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">CCH/DON Logistics Chief</a>	No	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">CCH/DON Operations Chief</a>	No	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">CCH/OIT Logistics Chief</a>	No	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">CCH/OMH Logistics Chief</a>	No	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">CCH/OPHP Finance Chief</a>	Yes	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">CCH/OPHP Logistics Chief, Alternate</a>	Yes	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">CCH/OPHP Operations Chief, Alternate</a>	Yes	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">CCH/PHIG Operations Chief, Alternate</a>	Yes	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">Countermeasure Data Management System (CDMS) Data Operator</a>	Yes	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">Countermeasure Data Management System (CDMS) NYSDOH Administrator</a>	Yes	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">Countermeasure Data Management System (CDMS) Registration Support</a>	No	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">Directory Coordinator</a>	Yes	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">HERDS Survey Reader</a>	Yes	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">HPN Coordinator</a>	DOH Assigned	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">NORA Closeout Reporter</a>	Yes	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">NYLEADS Epidemiologist</a>	Yes	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">NYS PVS Manager</a>	Yes	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">Regional Epidemiologist</a>	Yes	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">Regional Epidemiology Program Manager</a>	Yes	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">SDE Analyst</a>	Yes	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">School Survey Coordinator</a>	Yes	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">Smallpox Vaccination Coordinator/Liaison</a>	No	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">VHOC User</a>	Yes	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">Vaccination Logistics Coordinator</a>	No	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">Vaccination Medical Screener</a>	No	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">Vaccine Adverse Event, Site and Take Coordinator</a>	No	<a href="#">Modify</a>
<a href="#">Vaccine Educator</a>	No	<a href="#">Modify</a>

Steps 6-9 (also edited this one so it didn't have names on it)

A pop-up list will be displayed of the individuals affiliated with your school district/school who have HCS accounts.

## Role Assignments

Choose from the options below to select a person for *School Survey Manager* at *NYSDOH Center for Community Health*

Users already assigned to this role. To remove one or more users from this role, check next to their name and click Remove Role Assignments.

**Role Assignments**

Choose from the options below to select a person for *School Survey Manager* at *NYSDOH Center for Community Health*

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1) Users already assigned to this role. To remove one or more users from this role, check the checkbox next to their name and click Remove Role Assignments.

Sample A, Test – abc01	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sample B, Test – abc02	<input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="button" value="Remove Role Assignments"/>	

- OR -

### To Add Roles

2) Select names from the drop down list of the persons you wish to assign to this role, then click on the Add Role Assignments button to add them (Use Ctrl/left click for multiple selections or to unselect). Avoid assigning a role to a "na" account. This does not give user any permissions.

Note: This list is limited to the users in your Manage People, that is, users with a primary organization of this facility or agency.

Sample A, Test – abc01

Sample B, Test – abc02

Sample C, Test – abc03

Sample D, Test – abc04

Sample E, Test – abc05

Sample F, Test – abc06

Sample G, Test – abc07

Sample H, Test – abc08

Select names from the drop-down list of the persons you wish to assign this role, then click on the Add Role Assignments button to add them (use ctrl left mouse click for multiple selections or to unselect). Avoid assigning a role to a "na" account. This does not give users any permissions.

NOTE: This list is limited to the users in your Manage People, that is, users with a primary organization of this facility or agency.

-- OR --

Search for Person(s) by Name



**If user does not appear in your Manage People List**, and you know this user has an HCS ID, then search by user's last name or first few letters of the last name only. This will search all active users. Click Submit. Scroll down the results on the next page to find the person and their user ID. Select the user and click Add Role Assignment.

**If your account is not active, contact CAMU (Commerce Account Management Unit) at 1-866-529-1890**

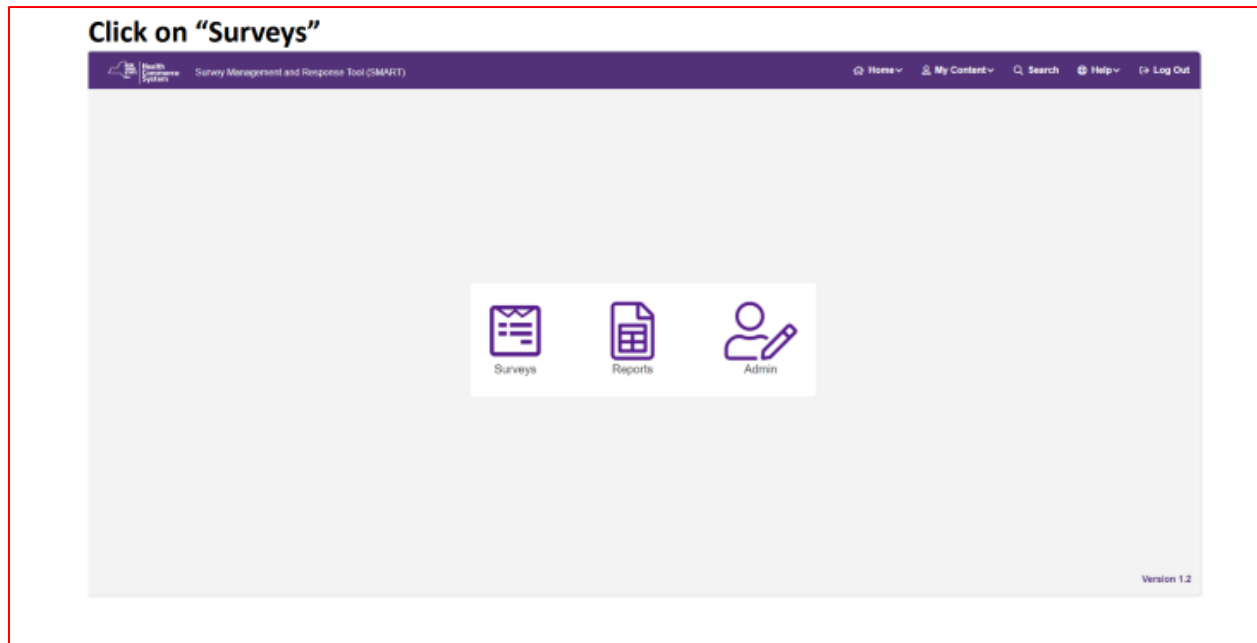
**If you are the HCS Coordinator you do not have to assign yourself to any roles to take the survey.**

**Any other staff NEEDS to be assigned the role of Data Reporter to access the survey.**

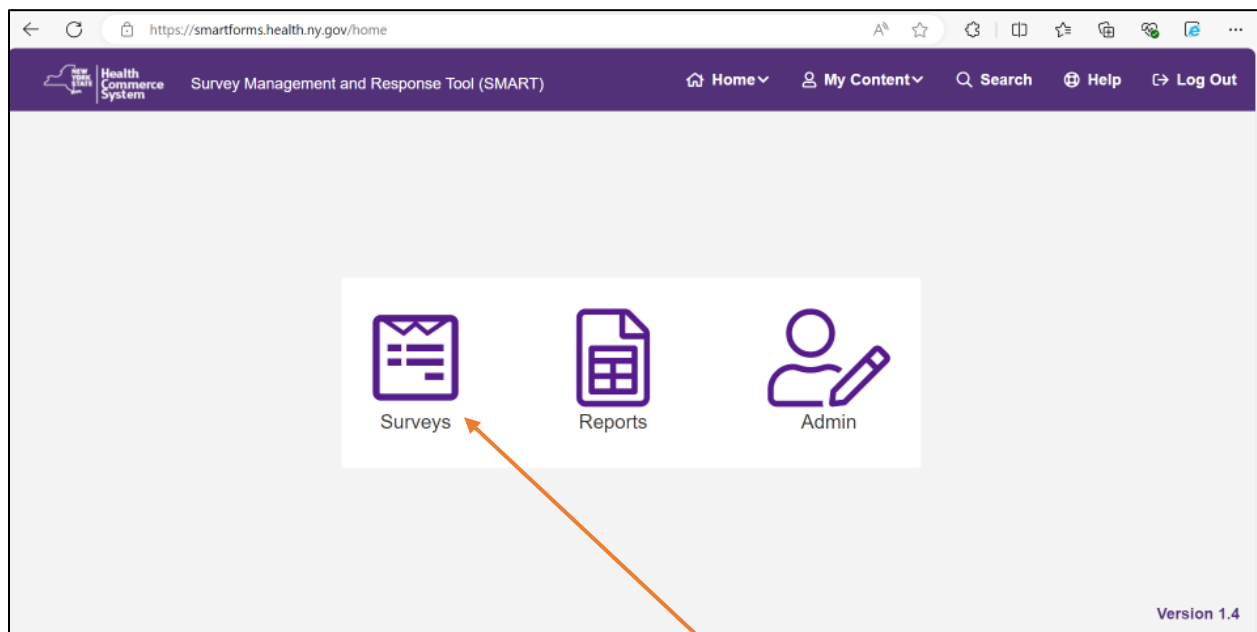
## Accessing the Post Secondary Immunization Survey

Click this link - <https://smartforms.health.ny.gov/home>

(This is also the page after you click "SMART" on the HCS homepage)



The next screen you will see is this:



Click the first icon that is labeled **Surveys**

The next screen you will see is:



Find “Post Secondary Immunization Survey 2024-2025.

Click the yellow open box located on the right side of the screen to open the titled Post-Secondary Immunization Survey 2024 – 2025.

Then for “Access Level” choose *Facility Level Access*

For “Organization Type” choose whether your organization is *Public, Private, etc*

For “Organization” choose your School

Access Level	Facility Level Data Access
Organization Type *	Select Organization Type
Organization *	Select Organization
Filter by Start Date	<input type="text"/>
Filter by End Date	<input type="text"/>
<input type="button" value="Search"/>	

The next screen you will see will look like this:

Surveys

Institution Name

Health Commerce System ID Number

Primary Contact Name and Title \*

Primary Contact Email \*

Primary Contact Phone Number with Area Code \*

Additional Contact Name and Title

Additional Contact Email

Additional Contact Phone Number with Area Code

Total number of students enrolled in 6 or more semester hours

**Enter your institution's full name and Health Commerce System ID.**

Institution Name	<input type="text"/>
Health Commerce System ID Number	<input type="text"/>

**Enter your institution's Primary Contact's Name, Title, Email address, and Phone number. Additional contact information is encouraged but not required.**

Primary Contact Name and Title *	<input type="text"/>
Primary Contact Email *	<input type="text"/>
Primary Contact Phone Number with Area Code *	<input type="text"/>
Additional Contact Name and Title	<input type="text"/>
Additional Contact Email	<input type="text"/>
Additional Contact Phone Number with Area Code	<input type="text"/>

**Enter the total number of students enrolled for 6 or more semester hours (credits). This number will be used for both the MMR and the Meningococcal sections.**

Total number of students enrolled in 6 or more semester hours ?	<input type="text"/>
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**Hovering over the question mark symbol will provide information about the information required in that section.**

Total number of students enrolled in 6 or more semester hours ?	All students born on or after January 1, 1957 and enrolled in 6 or more semester hours as defined by both PHL § 2165 and PHL § 2167.	<input type="text"/>
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**Enter total number of students vaccinated for Measles with 2 doses .**

Students Vaccinated for Measles (2 doses) ? *	<input type="text"/>
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**Enter total number of students vaccinated for Mumps.**

Students Vaccinated for Mumps (1 dose) ? *	<input type="text"/>
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**Enter total number of students vaccinated for Rubella.**

Students Vaccinated for Rubella (1 dose) ⓘ \*

**An error message wil appear in red in the numbers listed do not compute correctly.**

Students Vaccinated for Measles (2 doses) ⓘ \*

Students Vaccinated for Measles (2 doses) is required

Students Vaccinated for Mumps (1 dose) ⓘ \*

Students Vaccinated for Mumps (1 dose) is required

Students Vaccinated for Rubella (1 dose) ⓘ \*

Students Vaccinated for Rubella (1 dose) is required

**Enter total number of students completely immune (completely vaccinated for Measles (2), Mumps (1), Rubella (1)).**

Total Number Completely Immune ⓘ \*

**Enter total number of religious exemptions.**

Religious Exemption ⓘ \*

**Enter total number of medical exemptions.**

Medical Exemption ⓘ \*


**Enter total number of students without documented MMR vaccines.**

Total Number of Students without Records \*

**Enter total number of students in the process completing MMR vaccination.**

Students in Process  \*

**Choose one based on your school's written policy; if there is not a policy, please create one.**

Does the institution exclude students who are not in compliance with Public Health Law § 2165?  \*

Yes

No

**Only comments about the MMR section.**

Measles, Mumps, Rubella Comments

### **Meningococcal Meningitis**

**Enter total number students vaccinated for Meningococcal Meningitis.**

Number of students vaccinated for Meningococcal Meningitis  \*

**Enter total number of students who have submitted the Meningococcal Meningitis form but are not vaccinated.**

Unvaccinated but Meningococcal Meningitis Response Form Submitted

**Enter total number of students without any record for Meningococcal Meningitis**

Number of students without records

**Choose one based on your school's written policy; if there is not a policy, please create one.**

Does the institution exclude students who are not in compliance with PHL § 2167?  \*

Yes

No

**Only comments about Meningococcal Meningitis**

Meningococcal Meningitis Comments

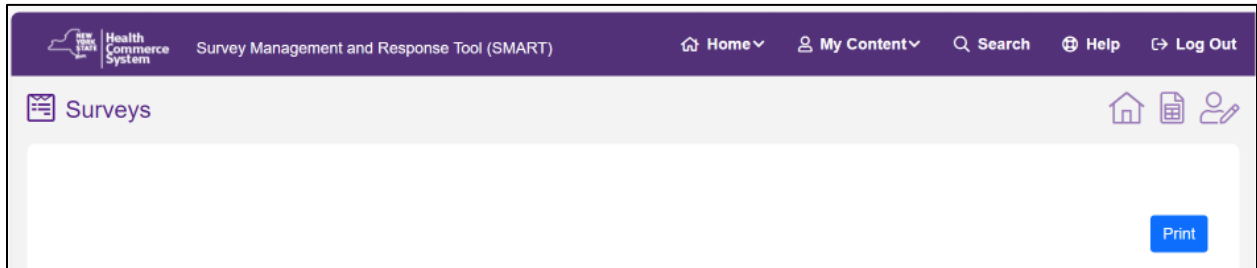
Only comments about Meningococcal Meningitis section.

A screenshot of a web form. On the left, there is a text input field with the placeholder text "Meningococcal Meningitis Comments". To the right of this field is a white callout box with a black border containing the text "Only comments about Meningococcal Meningitis section." The entire form is enclosed in a thin black border.

Click "Draft" to save and "Submit" once completed.

A screenshot of a horizontal bar containing two buttons. The first button is blue with the text "Draft" in white. The second button is green with the text "Submit" in white.

You can download a PDF at any point by clicking "Print" either before or after submitting.

A screenshot of the "Survey Management and Response Tool (SMART)" interface. The top navigation bar is purple and contains the "Health Commerce System" logo, the title "Survey Management and Response Tool (SMART)", and navigation links for "Home", "My Content", "Search", "Help", and "Log Out". Below the navigation bar, the page title is "Surveys". On the right side of the page, there are icons for home, a document, and a user profile. In the bottom right corner of the main content area, there is a blue button labeled "Print".

**Enter your data and submit!**