

Importing Physician Lists from Hospital Patient Information Systems into the HI*TRACK Tracking Software

The HI*TRACK data and patient information management system is capable of importing lists of physicians to match imported patient information from hospital systems. This will allow interface designers to export matching 4 character "codes" into the "PE_ID" column (foreign key) for each child in the demographic file (Please refer to the Linking Requirements document for the position of this column.)

Using the specification in Table 1 a text file can be created to import into HI*TRACK. The "Import Program Information" function in "Utilities" allows users specify the file path of "pednames.txt" file and then import the data. (The "Import as text files" setting needs to be selected.) PE_ID is a unique primary key and will generally need to be generated by your system. If a "PE_ID" value exists in HI*TRACK, the record will be updated with the imported data. If no existing "PE_ID" value can be found, the physician is added as a new entry in HI*TRACKS database.

This import will only need to be performed when doctors need to be updated or added to the HI*TRACK system.

An example "pednames.txt" is included at the end of this document.

Col	Field Name	Field Description
Col1	PE_ID	Char Width 4, Primary Key
Col2	PE_LAST	Char Width 30
Col3	PE_FIRST	Char Width 30
Col4	PE_ORG	Char Width 30
Col5	PE_ADD1	Char Width 30
Col6	PE_ADD2	Char Width 30
Col7	PE_CITY	Char Width 16
Col8	PE_STATE	Char Width 20
Col9	PE_ZIP	Char Width 19
Col10	PE_PHONE1	Char Width 19
Col11	PE_PHONE2	Char Width 19
Col12	SHOW	Char Width 1 In most cases send a "Y" character.
Col13	MARKED	Integer, Always send a numeric "0"

Notes:

The "9999" code value is reserved for "Unknown".

Other Program Information can be imported in a similar way. Please contact NCHAM for specifications on other items such as "Nursery Levels" and "Screeners/Audiologists".

"C112","Huckleberry","W. H.",,"525 North Vine",,"Chillo","RT","44911","888-555-3628"," ","Y",0
"C113","Dearnbarger","Vivian",,"836 W. Wellington",," Roosevelt ", "RT","43657","888-555-5629"," ","Y",0
"C114","Gryphendore","Kurt",,"202 North County Road",,"Livinston","RT","51937","888-555-5851"," ","Y",0
"C115","Free","Abraham",,"2800 N. Sheridan Road",," Roosevelt ", "RT","22640","888-555-8070"," ","Y",0
"C116","Botler","Jan",,"201 West Pointe, Suite 5",,"Swansean","RT","22226","888-555-6685"," ","Y",0
"C117","Russel","Rushia",,"646 N. Lawndale",,"Chillo","RT","22624","888-555-1603"," ","Y",0
"C118","Murdaugh","Terry",,"4601 State Street, Suite 120",,"Roosevelt","RT","11205","888-555-1920"," ","Y",0
"C119","Potter","Hank",,"185 N. Milwaukee St., 220",,"Lincolnsville","RT","52048","888-555-9601"," ","Y",0