



# The Hub Club

Your Source for **EI-Hub** Updates



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## A Message from the Bureau

The New York State Early Intervention program (EIP) and the EI-Hub system development project continues to benefit from the experience, direction, and leadership at both the Bureau and Department of Health Executive level. As the Bureau drives progress on day to day activities and deliverables, the Executive Committee continues to guide major milestones and critical decisions to support the program and monitor progress of the EI-Hub project.

Over the course of the EI-Hub project you've all heard from me and how much I am anticipating this launch. I want to take this opportunity for other members of the Department to speak to their commitment to the EIP, our valued stakeholders, and the implementation of a system that will meet the needs of EI providers and municipal users. I've asked my colleagues to share a few words on what this new solution means to them.

***"I believe the EI-Hub solution will usher in a new era for the NYS Early Intervention Program. I look forward to the launch of this tool and hope it will benefit our providers who do so much good for the children of New York." – Angella Timothy, Assistant Director of the Center for Community Health***

***"I join the entire staff of the Bureau of Early Intervention in my commitment to the successful launch of the EI-Hub. BEI providers are vital to the growth and success of NYS children. We owe it to all of you to provide a system solution that will make your workday smoother by easing administrative burden." – Peter Baran, Assistant Director of the Bureau of Early Intervention***

The commitment of the Executive Committee, Bureau leadership and staff coupled with your continued engagement is what drives the progress and success of the NYS EIP. Your feedback and participation in discussions, demonstrations, and user acceptance testing is critical to EI-Hub development. With an engaged community on all levels, we are looking toward a system that will make the administration of the program more efficient, a system that can be built on and improved as the needs of the program and users become more refined or continue to evolve.

Please continue to share questions, comments, and anticipated training needs with us via the [EIHub@health.ny.gov](mailto:EIHub@health.ny.gov) mailbox so that we can work together to prepare for this exciting transition to the EI-Hub.

**Connie Donohue**  
Director, Bureau of Early Intervention

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## Featured Feature: LMS Update

Thank you to everyone that has self-registered for EI-Hub LMS Phase 1! Many registered users have begun exploring the functionality and taking training courses. If you've registered but haven't started exploring the system yet, we encourage you to do so. Please contact the EI-Hub Training Team at [nyeitraining@pcgus.com](mailto:nyeitraining@pcgus.com) if you have questions.

**1,501** registered users

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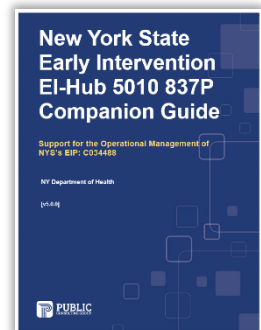
**1,267** training courses completed

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**30%** course completion rate so far

If you haven't self-registered yet, there's still time! [Click here for self-registration instructional video.](#)

**In the coming weeks, the EI-Hub team will add new resources for the EI-Hub transition to the LMS. This includes companion guides for 837P, 277CA, and 999 file testing.** These guides are intended for EI providers that will exchange electronic data with the EI-Hub solution. The guides provide detailed, technical instructions on required data content for claims submissions and responses. They are intended for use by an EI Provider's technical team responsible for creating the specifications needed to submit a HIPAA-compliant electronic claims file.



Later this year, we will move to Phase 2 of the EI-Hub LMS implementation, which will link the LMS to the main EI-Hub landing page and allow users to complete courses for credit towards EI-Hub access. Please stay tuned for more information in the coming months!

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## Upcoming Events

- **EICC Meeting** – Wednesday, September 15  
<http://www.health.ny.gov/events/webcasts/>
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## Key Transition Dates

- **Transition of NYEIS to Read-Only** – Two weeks prior to EI-Hub go-live
- **EI-Hub Go-Live** – New 2022 Date to be Announced Shortly

